





KNIT SKILL LEVEL **EASY**

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®: 1 skein of 341 Light Grey

Susan Bates[®] Circular Knitting Needles: 5 mm [US 8] - 20"

Susan Bates® Double Pointed Knitting Needles: 5 mm [US 8]

Stitch marker, yarn needle

GAUGE: 17 sts = 4" (10 cm), 23 rows = 4" (10 cm) in Stockinette Stitch. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® Super Saver®, Art. E300 available in solid color

7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); prints, multis and heathers 5 oz (141 g), 236 yd (215 m), flecks 5 oz (141g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins





Comfy Cocoon & Cap

Create a rib knit cocoon with matching hat and keep a newborn bundle of joy happily warm. It's the perfect gift for the next baby shower, and the neutral color suits either gender.

Finished Sizes

Cocoon: 16" (40.5 cm) circumference x 20" (51 cm) long, unstretched

Cap: 14" (35.5 cm) circumference x 7" (18 cm) long, unstretched

Special Stitches

PSSO = Pass Slipped Stitch Over – Insert the left needle into the front of the slipped stitch, passing it over the previously worked stitch and off the needle (1 stitch decrease).

COCOON

With circular knitting needle, cast on 96 sts. Join, being careful that sts are not twisted, and begin working in the round. Place marker for beginning of round.

Round 1 (Right side): (K4, P2) around. Repeat Round 1 for pattern until piece measures approximately 19" (48.5 cm) from cast on edge.

Toe Shaping

Note: Change to double pointed needles when there are too few sts for the circular needle.

Round 1 (Right side): *K4, P2tog, K4, P2; repeat from * around: 88 sts.

Round 2: *K4, K2tog, K3, P2; repeat from * around: 80 sts.

Round 3: *Slip 1 as if to knit, K1, PSSO, K4, K2tog, P2; repeat from * around: 64 sts.

Round 4: *Slip 1 as if to knit, K1, PSSO, K2, K2tog, P2; repeat from * around: 48 sts.

Round 5: *Slip 1 as if to knit, K1, PSSO, K2tog, P2, K4, P2; repeat from * around:

40 sts.

Round 6: : (K2tog, P2, K4, P2) 3 times, K2tog, P2, K4, you will be 2 sts before end of round. Place a new beginning of round marker and proceed to Round 7. After working the first 2 sts of Round 7, remove the old beginning of round marker.

Round 7: *P2, P2tog, P1, K4; repeat from * around: 32 sts.

Round 8: *P1, P2tog, P1, K4; repeat from * around: 28 sts.

Round 9: (P2tog, P1, K4) around: 24 sts. **Round 10:** (P2tog, K4) around: 20 sts.

Round 11: *P1, slip 1 as if to knit, K1, PSSO, K2tog; repeat from * around: 12 sts. Cut yarn leaving a 12" (30.5 cm) end. Thread yarn needle with end and weave through remaining stitches; draw up firmly; fasten securely.

CAP

With double pointed knitting needle, cast on 60 sts. Join, being careful that sts are not twisted, and begin working in the round. Place marker for beginning of round.

RIBBING

Round 1 (Right side): (P4, K2) around. Repeat Round 1 for Ribbing until piece measures approximately 2" (5 cm) from cast on edge.

Next Round: Purl around.

Body

Round 1: (K4, P2) around. Repeat Round 1 for Body until piece measures approximately 6" (15 cm) from cast on edge.

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Crown Shaping

Round 1: *K4, P2, slip 1 as if to knit, K1, PSSO, K2tog, P2; repeat from * around: 50 sts.

Round 2: *K4, P2, P2tog, P2; repeat from * around: 45 sts.

Round 3: *K4, P2, P2tog, P1; repeat from * around: 40 sts.

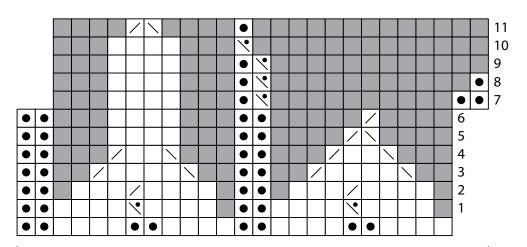
Round 4: *K4, P1, P2tog, P1; repeat from * around: 35 sts.

Round 5: (K4, P2tog, P1) around: 30 sts. **Round 6:** (K4, P2tog) around: 25 sts.

Round 7: *Slip 1 as if to knit, K1, PSSO, K2tog, P1; repeat from * around: 15 sts. Cut yarn leaving a 12" (30.5 cm) end. Thread yarn needle with end and weave through remaining stitches; draw up firmly; fasten securely.

ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit; **mm** = millimeter; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tog** = together; **()** = work instructions in parentheses as indicated; * = repeat instructions that follow * as indicated.



repeat 4 times around

