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KNIT SKILL LEVEL EASY

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#### What you will need:

RED HEART<sup>®</sup> Scrubby<sup>™</sup>: 1 ball each 905 Cherry A and 12 Black B

Susan Bates<sup>®</sup> Knitting Needles: 5mm [US 8]

Stitch markers, yarn needle

**GAUGE:** Gauge is not critical for this project.



RED HEART<sup>®</sup> Scrubby<sup>™</sup>, Art. E833 available in

solids 3.5 oz (100 g), 92 yd (85 m), prints 3.0 oz (85 g) 78 yds (71 m) balls



# Lucky Ladybug Scrubby

You'll enjoy having this ladybug Scrubby because it makes washing and cleaning go more quickly and feel like fun. Knit it for kid's bath time, to wash dishes or any cleaning task. It can be washed by machine and will air dry quickly. Scrubby measures 6" [15 cm] wide x 7" [18 cm] long.

#### SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

**kfb:** Knit 1 front and back (increase) Knit next st, then knit it through back loop.

#### BODY

With A, cast on 3 sts. Row 1: Kfb in each st - 6 sts. Row 2: Knit. Row 3: Kfb in each st - 12 sts. Row 4: Knit. Row 5: [Kfb, k1] 6 times - 18 sts. Row 6: K1, [place marker, k2] 8 times, place marker, k1. Row 7: [Knit to 1 st before marker, kfb, slip marker] 8 times, knit to end - 26 sts. Row 8: Knit. Repeat Rows 7-8 until piece measures 3" [7.5 cm] from beginning. Bind off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

## DOTS (make 6)

With **B**, cast on 3 sts. **Row 1:** Kfb, k1, kfb - 5 sts. **Row 2:** Knit. **Row 3:** K2tog, k1, k2tog - 3 sts. Bind off, leaving long tail.

#### HEAD

With **B**, cast on 8 sts. **Rows 1-3:** Knit. **Row 4:** K2tog, k4, k2tog - 6 sts. **Row 5:** Knit. **Row 6:** K2tog, k2, k2tog - 4 sts. **Row 7:** [K2tog] twice - 2 sts. Bind off, leaving long tail.

ANTENNA With B, cast on 6 sts. Bind off, leaving long tail.

### FINISHING

Using long tails and following photo, sew side edges of Body together to make a circle.

Using 2 strands of **B**, backstitch down center of Body.

Sew Dots to Body. Sew Head to Body. Sew center of Antennae to top of Head. Weave in ends.

#### Abbreviations

A, B, C = Color A, B, C; cm = centimeters; k = knit; k2tog = knit 2 sts together; mm = millimeters; st(s) = stitch(es); tog = together; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.





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