

Baby's First Stocking

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Height: 9"

Circumference: 11¾"

### **MATERIALS**

Premier® Yarns Color Pack™ (100% Anti-pilling Acrylic; 14oz/400g, 1080yds/1000m)

• 1175-02 Box 2 – 1 box

Hook: US Size 7 (4.5 mm) or size needed to

obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, removable stitch

markers

### GAUGE

15 sts x 16 rnds = 4" in pattern Save time, check your gauge.

# Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Chain, slip stitch, single and double crochet stitches.
- Bobble stitch.
- Single crochet 2 stitches together.
- Single crochet 3 stitches together.
- Double crochet 3 stitches together. sc
- Working in continuous rounds and in joined rounds.

# STITCH GUIDE

**Bobble:** (Yo, insert hk in indicated st, yo and draw up a loop, yo draw through 2 lps) four times, yo, draw through 5 lps on hk.

### PATTERN NOTES

This Stocking is worked in rounds from the Cuff down. Join with a slip stitch to first stitch. To change yarn color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete the stitch. Work over the strand of old color as you work each row. See last page for a skein diagram with color names referred to in this pattern.

# **STOCKING**

### Cuff

With Cream, ch 5.

**Row 1:** Sc in  $2^{nd}$  ch from hk and in each ch across, turn -4 sc.

**Row 2-44:** Ch 1, working in the blo, sc in each st, turn.

Fold length so that Row 1 meets Row 44. Working through both sides, sl st in each st. Ch 10, sl st to same st to create hanging loop. Fasten off.

### Leg

**Rnd 1:** Join Porcelain in end of row at sl st seam on opposite side of hanging loop, ch 1, working in ends of rows, sc in the side of each of the 44 rows, join.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, \*sc in next 3 sts, bobble; rep from \* around, join. Fasten off, join Pale Yellow.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join.

**Rnd 4:** Ch 1, sc in next st, **bobble** in next st, \*sc in next 3 sts, **bobble** in next st; rep from \* around, ending with sc in last 2 sts, join. Fasten off, join Bubbles.

Rnd 5: Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 6: Rep Rnd 2. Fasten off, join Lilac.

**Rnd 7:** Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 8: Rep Rnd 4. Fasten off, join Apricot.

Rnd 9: Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 10: Rep Rnd 2. Fasten off, join Rose Petal.

**Rnd 11:** Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 12: Rep Rnd 4. Fasten off, join Seedling.

**Rnd 13:** Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 14: Rep Rnd 2. Fasten off.

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### Heel

**Row 1:** Count 11 sts to the right of seam, join Cream. Ch 1, sc in next 22 sts, leaving rem sts unworked, turn.

Row 2-9: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 10: Sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog 7 times, sc in next 4 sts, turn - 15 sc.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog 2 times, sc in next st, sc2tog 2 times, sc in last 3 sts, turn – 11 sts.

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog, sc3tog, sc2tog, sc in last 2 sts, turn - 7 sts.

#### Gusset

**Rnd 1:** Ch 1, sc in 9 sts across end of Heel, using ends of rows as sts, sc in next 12 sts, work 12 sc across end of Leg, using ends of rows as sts, sc in next 11 sts, 2 sc in last st, join - 48 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in next 11 sts, dc2tog, sc in next 20 sts, dc2tog, sc in last 11 sts, join – 44 sc.

Fasten off, join Porcelain.

# Foot

Notes: Rnds rep in this section are from the Leg.

Rnd 1: Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 2: Rep Rnd 4. Fasten off, join Pale Yellow.

Rnd 3: Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 4: Rep Rnd 2. Fasten off, join Bubbles.

Rnd 5: Rep Rnd 3.

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**Rnd 13:** Rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 14: Rep Rnd 4. Fasten off, join Cream.

#### Toe

Rnd 15: \*Sc in next 9 sts, sc2tog; rep from \* around, do not join - 40 sc.

Rnd 16: \*Sc in next 8 sts, sc2tog; rep from \* around -36 sc.

Rnd 17: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 18: \*Sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog; rep from \* around -32 sc.

Rnd 19: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 20: \*Sc in next 6 sts, sc2tog; rep from \* around -28 sc.

Rnd 21: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 22: \*Sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog; rep from \* around -24 sc.

Rnd 23: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 24: \*Sc in next 2 sts sc2tog; rep from \* around -18 sc.

Rnd 25: \*Sc in next st, sc2tog; rep from \* around – 12 SC.

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing.

Thread tapestry needle with long tail and close last rnd.

# **FINISHING**

Weave in ends.

# **Abbreviations**

ch chain

hk

dc double crochet

dc2tog double crochet next 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)

dec('d) decrease(d) hook

rep repeat rnd(s) round(s) lps loops remaining rem single crochet SC

sc2tog single crochet next 2 sts together (1 st dec'd) sc3tog single crochet next 3 sts together (1 st dec'd)

sk skip sp(s) space(es) st(s) stitch(es) sl st slip stitch yo yarn over



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