

**FINISHED MEASUREMENTS****Circumference:** 28"**Total Length:** 23"**MATERIALS****Premier Yarns® Everyday® Plaid** (100% anti-pilling acrylic; 200gm/360 yds)

- #1073-02 Pink Silver Plaid – 2 balls

**Hook:** US Size I-9 (5.5 mm) crochet hook *or size needed to obtain gauge***Notions:** Tapestry needle, sewing needle and matching thread, 12" zipper**GAUGE**

18 sts x 16 rows = 4" in linen stitch

**Working evenly and consistently throughout project is more important than an exact gauge.****PATTERN NOTES**

Rather than calling for an exact gauge and a specific number of stitches, this sleep sack pattern adjusts to your own gauge to make planned pooling easier to start. The colors of the sleep sack should shift 1 stitch each row. To be successful the most important thing is to have a consistent gauge throughout the sleep sack. Letting your tension loosen or tighten mid project will cause the pooling pattern to change.

When you begin a new ball, change balls where the yarn changes color and match the new ball to the old ball to ensure the pattern doesn't get disrupted.

**SLEEP SACK****Blanket**

Choose a spot in the yarn with a clear color change (such as pink to purple) and make a slip knot. Chain until you have reached that same color change 4 times.

**Row 1:** Sc in 3rd ch from hook, \*ch 1, sk 1 ch, sc in next ch; rep from \* until you have reached that same color change 4 more times, rip back 2-3 sts to the last sc, turn. You will not use the entire beginning chain, leave the rest of the chain unworked.

**Row 2:** Ch 2, \*sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* across, sc in beginning ch-2 sp, turn.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures 16". Fasten off.

**Hood**

Choose a spot in the yarn with a clear color change (such as pink to purple) and make a slip knot. Chain until you have reached that same color change 2 times.

**Row 1:** Sc in 3rd ch from hook, \*ch 1, sk 1 ch, sc in next ch; rep from \* until you have reached that same color change 2 more times, rip back 2-3 sts to the last sc, turn. You will not use the entire beginning chain, leave the rest of the chain unworked.

**Row 2:** Ch 2, \*sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* across, sc in beginning ch-2 sp, turn.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures 7". Do not fasten off.

Fold hood in half, sl st across top to close top of hood.

# Wee Bairn Sleep Sack

Level: Intermediate



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project continued

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## FINISHING

Unravel unused crochet chain.

Line up edge of hood with seam centered on final row of blanket and sew together.

Fold sides of blanket to the middle and sew bottom edge.

Sew center front seam up 4".

With sewing needle and threads insert zipper into the remaining 12" of the center front.

Weave in ends.

## Abbreviations

<b>ch</b>	chain
<b>rep</b>	repeat(ing)
<b>sc</b>	single crochet
<b>sk</b>	skip
<b>sl st</b>	slip stitch
<b>sp</b>	space
<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)

