

## DOUBLE KNITTING



*featured in FAIRYTALE DK*

**Tiny  
sizes**  
For early  
arrivals





## Jacket, Helmet, Bonnet, Bootees and Mitts

### Measurements

#### Jacket

To fit  
3-5 5-8 8-12 lbs

To fit chest  
31 36 41 cm  
12 14 16 in

Actual size  
34 38 42 cm  
13 1/2 15 16 1/2 in

Finished length, approx  
16 19 22 cm  
6 1/2 7 1/2 8 1/2 in

Sleeve, measured down centre, approx  
10 12 14 cm  
4 4 1/2 5 1/2 in

#### Helmet

Width round head  
25 30 34 cm  
10 12 13 1/2 in

#### Bonnet

Width round face  
22 25 28 cm  
8 1/2 10 11 in

#### Bootees

Length of foot  
7 8 9 cm  
3 3 3 1/2 in

#### Mitts

Width all round at palm  
11 12 13 cm  
4 1/2 4 1/2 5 in

### Quantities

Patons Fairytale DK (Tumble dry)

Jacket (6309) (6312)	2	2	2	50g balls
Helmet (6309)	1	1	1	50g ball
Bonnet (6312)	1	1	1	50g ball
Bootees (6312)	1	1	1	50g ball
Mitts (6312)	1	1	1	50g ball

Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements. Check actual yarn colour - as printing may not match yarn exactly.

**Jacket:** Pair each Patons 3 1/4 mm (USA 3) and 4 mm (USA 6) needles. Patons cable pin.

Patons 4 mm (USA 6) circular needle (length 60 cm). 5 buttons.

**Helmet, Bonnet and Bootees:** Pair each Patons 3 1/4 mm (USA 3) and 4 mm (USA 6) needles. 1 button for Helmet and Bonnet.

### Tension

On 4 mm needles, 22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking st).

Warmth is essential for the premature and low birth weight baby, therefore it is most important that the correct tension is obtained to produce the necessary warmth

retaining fabric of this design. If there are too many stitches to 10 cm, your tension is tight and you should change to a larger size needle. If there are too few, your tension is loose and you should change to a smaller size needle.

### Caution

It is essential to work to the stated tension, and we cannot accept responsibility for the finished product if any yarn other than the specified yarn is used.

### Abbreviations

**K**=knit; **P**=purl; **st**=stitch; **stocking st**=1 row K, 1 row P; **garter st**=every row K; **tog**=together; **inc**=increase by working into front and back of st; **dec**=decrease by working 2 sts together; **beg**=beginning; **alt**=alternate; **rep**=repeat; **cont**=continue; **meas**=measures; **fol**=following; **rem**=remain(ing); **RS**=right side; **WS**=wrong side; **cm**=centimetres; **in**=inches; **mm**=millimetres; **sL1P**=slip 1 purlways; **patt**=pattern; **0**=no st to be worked in this size; **yb**=yarn back-take yarn to back of needle; **kyb**=keeping yarn back; **yrn**=yarn round needle.

**C4F**=slip next 2 sts on cable pin and leave at front of work, K2, then K2 from cable pin.

**C4B**=slip next 2 sts on cable pin and leave at back of work, K2, then K2 from cable pin.

### U.S.A. Glossary

Cast off=bind off; tension=gauge; knit up=pick up and knit; stocking st=stockinette st; yarn forward, yarn over needle or yarn round needle=yarn over.

Instructions are given for the first size, with larger size(s) given in square brackets [ ]. Where only one figure is given this applies to both (all) sizes.

Before starting to knit, read the instructions carefully and circle all figures relating to your size with a coloured pencil.

### PANEL PATT (12 sts)

**Row 1** - (RS), P2, K2, C4B, K2, P2.

**Row 2** - K2, P8, K2.

**Row 3** - P2, C4B, K4, P2.

**Row 4** - K2, P8, K2.

**Row 5** - P2, K2, C4F, K2, P2.

**Row 6** - K2, P8, K2.

**Row 7** - P2, K4, C4F, P2.

**Row 8** - K2, P8, K2.

These 8 rows form panel patt.

## JACKET

### RIGHT FRONT, BACK AND LEFT FRONT

(Worked in one piece to armhole division).

With 3 1/4 mm needles, cast on 101 [109, 121] sts.

**Row 1** - (RS), K1, kyb sL1P, K3, kyb sL1P, \*P1, K1; rep from \* to last 7 sts, P1, yb, sL1P, K3, kyb sL1P, K1.

**Row 2** - K1, P1, K3, P1, \*K1, P1; rep from \* to last 5 sts, K3, P1, K1.

These 2 rows set rib and front borders.

### Boy's Version

**Row 3** - (Buttonhole row), work to last 6 sts, kyb sL1P, K1, cast off next st, kyb sL1P, K1.

**Row 4** - K1, P1, K1, cast on 1 st, K1, P1, work to end.

### Girl's Version

**Row 3** - (Buttonhole row), K1, kyb sL1P, K1, cast off next st, kyb sL1P, work to end.

**Row 4** - Work to last 5 sts, P1, K1, cast on 1 st, K1, P1, K1.

### Both Versions

Rep rows 1 and 2 once more inc 1 st at centre of last row (102 [110, 122] sts).

**Change to 4 mm needles and patt, placing panel patt thus:**

**Row 1** - (RS), K1, kyb sL1P, K3, kyb sL1P, K6, panel patt 12 as row 1, K6 [10, 16], panel patt 12 as row 1, K18, panel patt 12 as row 1, K6 [10, 16], panel patt 12 as row 1, K6, kyb sL1P, K3, kyb sL1P, K1.

**Row 2** - K1, P1, K3, P7, panel patt 12 as row 2, P6 [10, 16], panel patt 12 as row 2, P6 [10, 16], panel patt 12 as row 2, P7, K3, P1, K1.

These 2 rows set patt. Cont in patt as set, working appropriate rows of

panel patt for a further 4 [6, 6] rows.

**Next 2 rows** - Make a buttonhole as before.

Work 8 [10, 12] rows.

**Next 2 rows** - Make a buttonhole as before.

Work 3 rows, thus ending with WS facing for next row.

**Next row** - Patt 27 [29, 32], turn and slip rem sts on a spare needle for Back and Right Front.

Cont in patt on these 27 [29, 32] sts for Left Front and work 4 [6, 8] rows.

**Next 2 rows** - In patt, making a buttonhole on Boy's Version **only**.

Work 4 [8, 10] rows, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

### Shape neck

**Next row** - Patt 21 [22, 24], turn and slip rem 6 [7, 8] sts on a safety-pin. Keeping patt correct, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 4 rows (17 [18, 20] sts).

Work 5 [5, 7] rows, thus ending with RS facing. Leave these sts on a spare needle for shoulder grafting, leaving sufficient length when breaking yarn to work across row (about 4 times the length of stitches on needle).

With WS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, patt across 48 [52, 58] sts for Back, turn and leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Work 20 [26, 32] rows, thus ending with RS facing. Leave sts on a spare needle.

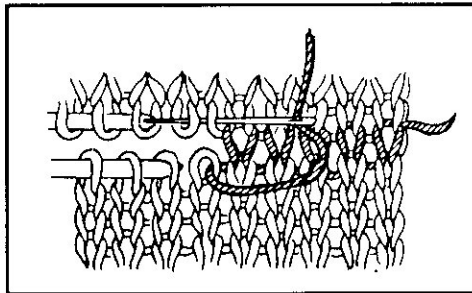
With WS facing, rejoin yarn to rem to 27 [29, 32] sts for Right Front and keeping patt correct, work to match Left Front, reversing shapings, working buttonholes for Girl's Version **only** on appropriate rows.

Using a tapestry needle and diagram as a guide, graft shoulders together, leaving centre 14 [16, 18] sts at back free for neck.

### Grafting

Lay two pieces of fabric flat as in diagram, \*thread yarn knitways through first stitch on front needle, draw yarn through stitch and slip stitch off needle. Thread yarn through next stitch on front needle purlways, draw yarn through and let stitch remain on needle. Take yarn under needle and thread purlways into first stitch on back needle, draw yarn through and slip

stitch off needle. Thread yarn knitways into next stitch on back needle, draw yarn through and let stitch remain on needle. Bring yarn forward under needle and repeat from \* to end of row. You will see from this that, apart from the first stitch, needle threads twice into each stitch.



### Neck Border

With RS facing and 3 1/4 mm needles, starting at right front, K1, kyb sL1P, K3, kyb sL1P, K0 [1, 2] from safety-pin, **knit up** 10 [10, 12] sts up right side of neck, K14 [16, 18] from back inc 1 st at centre, **knit up** 10 [10, 12] sts down left side of neck, then K0 [1, 2], kyb sL1P, K3, kyb sL1P, K1 from safety-pin (47 [51, 59] sts).

**Next row** - K1, P1, K3, P1, \*K1, P1; rep from \* to last 5 sts, K3, P1, K1.

Keeping front borders correct and rem sts in rib as set, work 4 rows more, making last buttonhole on right front for Girl's Version or left front for Boy's Version, as before in first 2 rows. Cast off in patt.

### SLEEVES

With RS facing and 4 mm circular needle, starting at base of armhole, **knit up** 36 [46, 54] sts evenly round armhole and working backwards and forwards in rows, **patt, placing panel patt** thus:

**Row 1** - (WS), P12 [17, 21], panel patt 12 as row 2, P12 [17, 21].

**Row 2** - K12 [17, 21], panel patt 12 as row 3, K12 [17, 21].

These 2 rows **set** patt.

Cont in patt as set, **working appropriate rows of panel patt**, shaping sides by dec 1 st at each end of 6th [4th, 4th] row (from beg of patt) and every foll 6th [4th, 4th] row until 32 [34, 40] sts rem, then on every foll 4th [alt, alt] row until 28 [30, 34] sts rem.

Work 3 [1, 1] rows dec 1 st at centre of last row, thus ending with RS facing for

next row (27 [29, 33] sts).

### Change to 3 1/4 mm needles

**Rib row 1** - (RS), K1, \*P1, K1; rep from \* to end.

**Rib row 2** - P1, \*K1, P1; rep from \* to end.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. Cast off in rib.

### MAKE UP

Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a dry cloth using a cool iron.

Join sleeve seams. Sew on buttons.

Do not dry handknits in harsh sunlight as fading or yellowing may occur.

You may tumble dry your garment with confidence in any domestic tumble dryer at temperatures of up to 60°C. Recommended by Hoover.

### HELMET

With 3 1/4 mm needles, cast on 55 [65, 73] sts loosely.

**Rib row 1** - K1, \*P1, K1; rep from \* to end.

**Rib row 2** - P1, \*K1, P1; rep from \* to end.

Rep these 2 rows for 4 cm, ending with row 1 inc 1 [0, 1] st at centre of last row (56 [65, 74] sts).

**Change to 4 mm needles** and starting with a K row, **noting** that first row is RS, work in stocking st until work meas 9 cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

### Shape crown

**Row 1** - K1, (K2tog, K4 [5, 6]) 9 times, K1 (47 [56, 65] sts).

**Row 2 and every alt row** - P.

**Row 3** - K1, (K2tog, K3 [4, 5]) 9 times, K1 (38 [47, 56] sts).

**Row 5** - K1, (K2tog, K2 [3, 4]) 9 times, K1 (29 [38, 47] sts).

Cont thus dec 9 sts on every alt row, working 1 st less between decreases until 20 sts rem.

**Next row** - P.

**Next row** - K1, (K2tog) 9 times, K1 (11 sts).

Break yarn, thread through rem sts, draw up and fasten off securely.

### Right Ear Flap

With 3 1/4 mm needles, cast on 5 sts

and work in garter st for 3 rows, noting that first row is WS.

**Next 2 rows** - (Buttonhole rows), K2, cast off next st, K to end and back, casting on 1 st over st cast-off.

Cont in garter st until work meas 5 [6, 7] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and every foll 4th row until there are 11 [13, 15] sts.

Work 3 rows. Cast off knitways.

#### Left Ear Flap

Work as Right Ear Flap omitting buttonhole.

#### MAKE UP

Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a dry cloth using a cool iron.

Join back seam, reversing lower 2 cm for turn back. Join ear flaps to either side of Helmet on WS to top of rib. Sew on button.

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#### BONNET

With 3 1/4 mm needles, cast on 49 [55, 61] sts and noting that first row is RS, work in rib as on Helmet for 6 rows.

**Change to 4 mm needles** and starting with a K row, work in stocking st until work meas 7 [9, 10] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

#### Shape back

Cast off 17 [18, 19] sts at beg of next 2 rows (15 [19, 23] sts).

Cont in stocking st, dec 1 st at each end of 7th and every foll 6th [4th, 4th] row until 9 [11, 13] sts rem. Work 3 [5, 3] rows. Cast off.

Using a flat seam, sew shaped edges of back to cast-off sts.

#### Neck Edging

With RS facing and 3 1/4 mm needles, knit up 41 [49, 65] sts evenly along neck edge.

**Next row** - P1, \*K1, P1; rep from \* to end. Cast off loosely in rib.

#### Strap

With 3 1/4 mm needles, cast on 5 sts and work in rib as on Helmet for 4 [5, 7] cm, ending with row 2.

**Next row** - (Buttonhole row), K1, P1, yrn, P2tog, K1.

Work 3 rows more in rib. Cast off in rib.

#### MAKE UP

Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a dry cloth using a cool iron.

Sew strap in position to right side of Bonnet. Sew on button.

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#### BOOTEES

With 3 1/4 mm needles, cast on 23 [25, 27] sts and work in rib as on Helmet for 13 rows.

**Change to 4 mm needles** and noting that first row is RS, starting with a K row, work in stocking st for 6 [8, 10] rows.

#### Divide for Instep

**Next row** - K15 [17, 19], turn.

**Next row** - P7 [9, 11], turn.

Work in stocking st on these 7 [9, 11] sts for 6 [6, 8] rows dec 1 st at each end of last row on 41 cm size only (7 [9, 9] sts). Break yarn.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to inside edge where 8 sts were left, knit up 6 [6, 7] sts evenly along side of foot, K7 [9, 9], knit up 6 [6, 7] sts from other side of foot, then K rem 8 sts (35 [37, 39] sts).

Work in garter st for 7 rows.

#### Shape foot

**Row 1** - K1, (sL1K, K1, pssso, K12 [13, 14], K2tog, K1) twice (31 [33, 35] sts).

**Row 2** - K.

**Row 3** - K1, (sL1K, K1, pssso, K10 [11, 12], K2tog, K1) twice (27 [29, 31] sts).

**Row 4** - K.

Cast off.

#### MAKE UP

Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a dry cloth using a cool iron.

Join seams, reversing seam for turn back.

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#### MITTS

With 3 1/4 mm needles, cast on 25 [27, 29] sts and noting that first row is RS, work in rib as on Helmet for 6 rows.

**Change to 4 mm needles** and starting with a K row, work in stocking st for 10 [12, 14] rows, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

#### Shape top

**Next row** - K1, (sL1K, K1, pssso, K7 [8, 9], K2tog, K1) twice (21 [23, 25] sts).

**Next row** - P.

**Next row** - K1, (sL1K, K1, pssso, K5 [6, 7], K2tog, K1) twice (17 [19, 21] sts).

**Next row** - P.

Cast off.

#### MAKE UP

Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a dry cloth using a cool iron.

Join top and side seams.

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