

## BABY REEFER JACKET AND HAT

### Materials

Jacket: 8(9:11:12) 50g balls of cotton double knitting. Pair each of 3 ¾ mm (US 5) and 4mm

(US 6) knitting needles, 6(6:8:8) buttons.

Hat: Two 50g balls of cotton double knitting. Pair of 4mm (US 6) knitting needles.

### Measurements

#### Jacket

To fit ages 6-12 12-18 18-24 24-36 months

#### Actual measurements

Chest 64 70 76 82 cm

25 ¼ 27 ½ 30 32 ¼ in

Length to shoulder 30 35 39 43 cm

11 ¾ 13 ¾ 15 ½ 17 in

Sleeve length 18 20 23 26 cm

(cuff turned back) 7 8 9 10 ¼ in

#### Hat

To fit ages 6-18 18-36 months

### Tension

20 sts and 28 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using 4mm (US 6) needles.

### Jacket

#### Back

With 3 ¼ mm (US 5) needles cast on 66(70:78:82) sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row** K2, \*p2, k2; rep from \* to end.

**2<sup>nd</sup> row** P2,\*k2,p2; rep from \* to end. Rep the last 2 rows for 7cm/2 ¾ in, ending With a 2<sup>nd</sup> row and inc 0(2:0:2) sts evenly across last row, 66(72:78:84) sts. Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Beg with a k row cont in st st until back Measures 30(35:39:43)cm/11 ¾(13 ¾: 15 ½:17) in

From cast on edge, ending with a p row.

#### Shape shoulders

Cast off 11(12:13:14) sts at beg of next 2 rows and 12(13:14:14) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.



Cast off rem 20(22:24:28) sts on a spare needle.

## **Left Front**

With 3 ¼ mm (US 5) needles cast on 23(23:27:27) sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row** K2, \* p2, k2; rep from \* to last 5 sts, p2, k3.

**2<sup>nd</sup> row** P3, \* k2, p2; rep from \* to end. Rep the last 2 rows for 7cm/2 ¾in, ending

With a 2<sup>nd</sup> row and inc 0(2:0:1) sts evenly across last row. 23(25:27:28) sts.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles. Beg with a k row cont in st st until front Measures 30(35:39:43)cm/11 ¾(13 ¾:15 ½:17) in from cast on edge, ending with a p row.

## **Shape shoulder**

Cast off 11(12:13:14) sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 12(13:14:14) sts.

## **Right Front**

With 3 ¾mm (US 5) needles cast on 23(23:27:27) sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row** K3, \* p2, k2; rep from \* to end

**2<sup>nd</sup> row** P2, \* k2, p2 ; rep from \* to last 5 sts, k2, p3.

Rep the last 2 rows for 7cm/2 ¾in, ending with a 2<sup>nd</sup> row and inc 0(2:0:1) sts evenly across last row, 23(25:27:28) sts. Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Beg with a k row cont in st st until front measures 30(35:39:43)cm/11 ¾(13 ¾:15 ½:17) in from cast on edge, ending with a k row.

## **Shape shoulder**

Cast off 11(12:13:14) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 12(13:14:14) sts.

## **Sleeves**

With 4mm (US 6) needles cast on 38(42:42:46) sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row** K2, \* p2, k2; rep from \* to end.

**2<sup>nd</sup> row** P2, \* k2, p2; rep from \* to end Rep the last 2 rows for 5cm/2in, ending with a 2<sup>nd</sup> row.

Change to 3 ¾ mm (US 5) needles. Work a further 5cm/2in, ending with a

2<sup>nd</sup> row, inc 6 sts evenly across last row. 44(48:48:52) sts. Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Beg with a k row, work in st st, inc one st at each end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> every foll 4<sup>th</sup> row

until there are 58(64:68:74) sts. Cont straight until sleeve measures 23(25:28:31) cm/9(10:11:12 ¾) in from cast on edge, ending with a p row. Cast off.

## **Front bands and Collar**

Join shoulder seams. With 3 ¾ mm (US 5) needles and right side facing, pick up and k71(82:93:101) sts up right front to shoulder seam, 20(22:24:28) sts from back neck, 71(82:93:101) sts down left front. 162(186:210:230) sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row** P2, \* k2, p2; rep from \* to end. This row sets the rib.

**Next 2 rows** Rib to last 65(75:86:94) sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Rib to last 59(69:79:87) sts turn.

**Next 2 rows** Rib to last 53(63:72:80) sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Rib to last 47(57:65:73) sts, turn.

**Next row** Rib to end.

Rib 3 more rows.

**Buttonhole row** Rib 4, [work 2 tog, yf, rib 14(16:14:16)] 2(2:3:3) times, work 2 tig, yf, rib to end.

Rib 13(15:17:19) more rows.

### ***Divide for collar shaping***

**Next row** Rib 59(68:77:84), turn, Rib 3 rows. Rep the buttonhole row. Rib 5 more rows.

Cast off in rib.

With 3 ¼ mm (US 5) needles and right side facing, rejoin yarn To rem sts, rib 44(50:56:62) sts, turn.

Rib 9 rows.

Cast off in rib. With 3 ¼ mm (US 5) needles and right side facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, rib to end.

Rib 9 rows. Cast off in rib.

### **Make Up**

With centre of sleeves to shoulder seam, sew on sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew on buttons.

### **Hat**

#### **To make**

With 4mm (US 6) needles cast on 82(90) sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> rib row** K2, \* p2, k2; rep from \* to end.

**2<sup>nd</sup> rib row** P2, \* k2, p2; rep from \* to end. Rep the last two rows until hat measures

16(18)cm/6 ¾(7) in from cast on edge, ending with a 2<sup>nd</sup> rib row.

#### **Shape top**

**1<sup>st</sup> row** k2, \* p2 tog, k2; rep from \* to end. **2<sup>nd</sup> row** P2, \* k1, p2; rep from \* to end.

**3<sup>rd</sup> row** K2, \* p1, k2; rep from \* to end. **4<sup>th</sup> row** P2, \* k1, p2; rep from \* to end.

**5<sup>th</sup> row** K2 tog, \* p1, k2 tog; rep from \* to end, 41(45) sts. **6<sup>th</sup> row** P1, \* k1, p1; rep from \* to end.

**7<sup>th</sup> row** K1, \* p3 tog, k1; rep from \* to end. 21(23) sts.

**8<sup>th</sup> row** P1, \* p2 tog; rep from \* to end. Break off yarn, thread end through rem sts, pull up and secure.

Join seam. Make a small pom-pom and sew to crown.

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