

Eyelet Lace

For 3 Months



To make Left Front: With right side of work facing, join wool to sts. on spare needle. K2tog. K34. Working on these 35 sts. continue to correspond to Right Front, being careful to have armhole shaping for opposite side.

RIGHT SLEEVE: Cast on 42 sts. Work 6 rows Stocking st. ending with purl row.

7th row: K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1. Beginning with purl row, work 8 rows Stocking st.

16th row: K1. P4. Inc. 1.st. in next st. purlways. Always increase purlways on purl rows. *P5. Inc. 1.st. in next st. Repeat from * to last 6 sts. P4. Inc. 1.st. in next st. K1.

17th row: K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to end of row.

18th row: K1. P4. Inc. 1.st. in next st. *P5. Inc. 1.st. in next st. Repeat from * to last 7 sts. P6. K1. (56 sts. on needle).

Work 3rd to 11th rows inclusive of Border Pattern. Proceed:—

1st row: Inc. 1.st. in 1st. st. Purl to last 2 sts. Inc. 1.st. in next st. K1.

2nd row: Knit.

3rd row: As 1st. row. (60 sts. on needle).

4th row: K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

Beginning with purl row, continue even in Stocking st. until sleeve measures 5½ ins. from cast-on edge, ending with purl row.

Dec. 1.st. each end of needle on next and every alternate row to 18 sts. on needle, ending with knit row.

Next row: K1. P9. Turn. K10. Break wool. Leave these 18 sts. on a safety pin.

LEFT SLEEVE: Work exactly as given for Right Sleeve to 18 sts. on needle, but end with purl row.

Next row: K10. Turn. P9. K1. Break wool. Leave these 18 sts. on a safety pin.

NECKBAND: With right side of work facing, join wool at Right Front edge. Knit the 8 sts. of Right Front, 18 sts. of Right Sleeve, 16 sts. of Back, 18 sts. of Left Sleeve, 8 sts. of Left Front. (68 sts. on needle). Proceed:—

1st row: K1. Purl to last st. K1.

2nd row: (eyelets for ribbon). K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1. Purl 1 row. Knit 1 row.

MATERIALS:

The jacket of this little set has been the knitter's favourite for many years and in response to so many requests, matching bonnet and booties are supplied herewith. Beehive Baby Wool Patonised is the wool to use for accurate knitting from these instructions and you will need:—3 (1 oz.) balls for the Set (3 pieces). If made separately, the Jacket requires 2 balls, Bonnet 1 ball, Booties 1 ball. Two No. 10 Queen Bee Knitting Needles or whichever needle size you require to produce the tension given below with Beehive Baby Wool. One No. 1 Steel Crochet Hook (American Gauge). 4 yds. Ribbon. There are two more similar Sets to be found in Beehive Books No. 65 and 78.

MEASUREMENTS: Jacket—To fit 18-inch Chest. Length at centre back 10 ins. Sleeve seam 5 ins. Bonnet—Width all round at face edge 11½ ins. Depth 6 ins.

Tension: 8 sts. and 10 rows = 1 inch with No. 10 needles in Stocking st.

Check tension—see page 29.

For Washing Instructions—see page 29.

BORDER PATTERN: 1st row: K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

2nd and alternate rows: K1. Purl to last st. K1.

3rd row: K5. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. K9. Repeat from * to last 7 sts. Wl.fwd. K2tog. K5.

5th row: K3. *K2tog. Wl.fwd. K1. Wl.fwd. Sl.1. K1. p.s.s.o. K6. Repeat from * to last 9 sts. K2tog. Wl.fwd. K1. Wl.fwd. Sl.1. K1. p.s.s.o. K4.

7th row: K2. *K2tog. Wl.fwd. K3. Wl.fwd. Sl.1. K1. p.s.s.o. K4. Repeat from * to last 10 sts. K2tog. Wl.fwd. K3. Wl.fwd. Sl.1. K1. p.s.s.o. K3.

9th row: K1. *K2tog. Wl.fwd. K5. Wl.fwd. Sl.1. K1. p.s.s.o. K2. Repeat from * to end of row.

11th row: *K2tog. Wl.fwd. K7. Wl.fwd. Sl.1. K1. p.s.s.o. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

13th row: Knit.

15th row: As 1st. row.

16th row: As 2nd row. These 16 rows complete border pattern.

THE JACKET

The jacket is worked in one piece to armholes.

Cast on 144 sts.

Before proceeding, please read "Important Information" on page 5.

1st row: Knit.

2nd row: Inc. 1.st. in 1st. st. Purl to last 2 sts. Inc. 1.st. in next st. K1. Repeat 1st. and 2nd rows twice more. (150 sts. on needle).

7th row: K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

8th row: K2tog. Purl to last 2 sts. K2tog.

9th row: Knit. Repeat 8th and 9th rows twice more.

14th row: K1. Purl to last st. K1. (144 sts. on needle). These 14 rows complete hem which is turned under on 7th row to make picot edge.

Work Border Pattern once.

Continue even in Stocking st. until work measures 6½ ins. from cast-on edge, ending with purl row.

To make Right Front: K34. K2tog. for armhole. Turn. Leave remaining sts. on spare needle.

Working on these 35 sts. dec. 1.st. at armhole edge every row to 21 sts. on needle, then every alternate row to 8 sts. on needle, ending with knit row. Break wool. Leave these 8 sts. on a safety pin.

To make Back: With right side of work facing, join wool to sts. on spare needle. K2tog. K68. K2tog. Leave remaining sts. on spare needle.

Working on these 70 sts. dec. 1.st. each end of needle every row to 42 sts. on needle, then every alternate row to 16 sts. on needle, ending with knit row. Break wool. Leave these 16 sts. on a safety pin.

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**5th row: Inc. 1.st. in 1st. st. Purl to last 2 sts. Inc. 1.st. in next st. K1.

6th row: Knit. Repeat 5th and 6th rows once, then 5th row once.

10th row: K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

11th row: K2tog. Purl to last 2 sts. K2tog.

12th row: Knit. Repeat 11th and 12th row once, then 11th row once. Cast off.**

HEM FOR RIGHT FRONT: With right side of work facing, join wool in 18th row from cast-on edge. Pick up and knit 62 sts. along Right Front edge, ending at 4th row of Neckband. Work from ** to ** as given for Neckband.

Beginning at 4th row of Neckband, work hem for Left Front to correspond.

TO MAKE UP: Sew sleeve seams and sew in sleeves. Sew shaped corners of hems together to form mitres. Fold hems under at eyelet row and sew in position. Press lightly. Thread ribbon through eyelets at neck.

THE BONNET

Beginning with brim, cast on 78 sts.

**Work 6 rows Stocking st. ending with purl row.

7th row: K1. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

Beginning with purl row, work 7 rows Stocking st. thus making hem.**

Work Border Pattern once. Work 6 rows Stocking st. then repeat 1st. row of Border Pattern. The brim is turned over on this last eyelet row.

Work 10 rows (K1. P1) ribbing.

With wrong side of work facing, K5. *Inc. 1.st. in next st. K5.

Repeat from * to last st. K1. (90 sts. on needle). Proceed:—

1st row: K8. Purl to last 8 sts. K8.

2nd row: Knit. Repeat these 2 rows until work measures 8½ ins. from cast-on edge, ending with purl row.

To shape crown: 1st row: *K8. K2tog. Repeat from * to end of row.

2nd and alternate rows: Knit.

3rd row: *K7. K2tog. Repeat from * to end of row.

5th row: *K6. K2tog. Repeat from * to end of row.

Continue decreasing in this manner that is, having 1.st. less between decreases every alternate row to 9 sts. on needle. Break wool. Thread end through remaining sts. Draw up and fasten securely.

TO MAKE UP: Fold hem under at 1st. eyelet row and sew in position. Sew up back seam for 8 ins. from base of crown. Press lightly. Make ribbon rosettes and sew to bonnet as illustrated.

THE BOOTEES

Cast on 84 sts.

Work from ** to ** as given for Bonnet.

Work Border Pattern once. Work 9 rows Stocking st. ending with knit row.

Next row: (eyelets for ribbon). K2tog. *w.r.n. P2tog. Repeat from * to end of row. (88 sts. on needle).

To make foot: K22. Turn. K1. P9. K1. Turn.

Working on centre 11 sts. work 21 rows Stocking st. for toe flap, ending with knit row.

Next row: With right side of work facing, pick up and knit 14 sts. along side of toe flap. Knit remaining 11 sts.

Next row: K86. Pick up and knit 14 sts. along other side of toe flap. Knit remaining 11 sts. (61 sts. on needle).

Work 14 rows Garter st. (plain knitting every row). Cast off.

To make sole: Cast on 10 sts. Knit 1 row.

Continue in Garter st. inc. 1.st. each end of needle on next and following alternate row. (14 sts. on needle).

Knit 30 rows even. Dec. 1.st. each end of needle on next and following alternate row. (10 sts. on needle). Cast off.

TO MAKE UP: Fold hem under at 1st. eyelet row and sew in position. Sew back seam. Place points of sole to toe and heel of foot and join with s.c. through both parts to make the ridge effect, then work 1.s.c. in each s.c. of joining round. Fasten off. Press lightly. Thread ribbon through eyelets at ankle.

POPCORN BORDERS (Continued from page 11)

Using wool attached to Left Front, proceed:—

1st row: K2. *K2tog. K1. Repeat from * to last 2 sts. K2. (64 sts. on needle).

2nd row: (buttonhole). K1. (K2tog. Wl.fwd. for buttonhole). Knit to end of row.

3rd row: Knit. Cast off.

TO MAKE UP: Sew side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew button to correspond to buttonhole. Crochet 1 row s.c. firmly along each front edge to prevent edge from sagging. Press lightly.

THE BONNET

Beginning at face edge, cast on 74 sts.

Work 9 rows (K1. P1) ribbing.

10th row: K1. Purl to last st. K1. Sts. for crown will be picked up along this row, later.

To make brim: 1st row: K1. Purl to last st. K1.

2nd row: (wrong side facing). K1. *P1. (K1. P1. K1) in next st. P1. (K1. P1. K1) in next st. P8tog. (K1. P1. K1) in next st. Repeat from * to last st. K1. (110 sts. on needle).

Beginning with 2nd pattern row, work 1½ ins. even in pattern, ending with purl row. Cast off loosely.

To make crown: Fold the Popcorn brim over the ribbed band, having right sides of work facing each other. Pick up and knit 1.st. in each st. of the 10th row. (?4 sts. on needle).

Work 3 rows (K1. P1) ribbing.

Next row: K4. *Inc. 1.st. in next st. K3. Repeat from * to last 2 sts. K2. (91 sts. on needle).

Beginning with purl row, continue even in Stocking st. until work measures 5 ins. from cast-on edge, ending with purl row.

To shape crown: 1st row: *K8. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

2nd and alternate rows: Knit.

3rd row: *K7. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

5th row: *K6. K2tog. Repeat from * to last st. K1.

Continue decreasing 9 sts. across row in this manner that is, having 1.st. less between decreases every alternate row to 10 sts. on needle. Break wool. Thread end through remaining sts. Draw up and fasten securely. Sew back seam for 8 ins. from base of crown. Press lightly. Make ribbon rosettes and sew to bonnet as illustrated.

THE BOOTEES

Cast on 42 sts.

Work 3 ins. even in pattern, ending with 2nd pattern row.

Next row: (eyelets for ribbon). K2. *Wl.fwd. K2tog. Repeat from * to end of row.

To make foot: K15. P12. K1. Turn.

Next row: K1. *P8tog. (K1. P1. K1) in next st.* Repeat from * to * twice more. K1. Turn.

Working on centre 14 sts. and beginning with 2nd pattern row, work 19 rows even in pattern, for toe flap, ending with 4th pattern row.

Next row: With right side of work facing, pick up and knit 10 sts. along side of toe flap. Knit remaining 14 sts.

Next row: K25. (P8tog. K1)3 times. K1. Pick up and knit 10 sts. along other side of toe flap. Knit remaining 14 sts. (56 sts. on needle).

Knit 12 rows Garter st. (plain knitting every row).

Next row: K1. K2tog. Knit to 4 centre sts. (K2tog.)twice. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.

Next row: Knit. Repeat last 2 rows twice. Cast off. Sew back and sole seam. Thread ribbon through eyelets at ankle.