

# Furry Edged Bonnet, Bootees and Mittens 20-24" dolls/reborns and babies of 0-3m

## Materials

Approx 60g DK yarn, 50g ball of funky fur/eyelash yarn (DK ply)  
4mm needles (UK 8, US 6)  
3 ¼ mm needles (UK10, US3)  
1m wide ribbon for bonnet, 2m 7mm ribbon for bootees and mittens  
Any desired embellishments

## Abbreviations

Make cluster: K1, insert needle through centre of st 3 rows below next st (just put needle straight through work), wrap yarn round needle as if knitting normal st, and pull up a loop, keep on rh needle, K next st from lh needle, insert needle through the same hole again, yarn over needle again and pull up another loop as before, K next st from lh needle, then pull up one more loop from same hole as before. (so 3 extra sts formed from these pulled up loops)

K: knit

P: purl

G-st: garter stitch

St-st: Stocking stitch

Dec: decrease

Inc: increase by knitting into front and back of stitch

Yfwd: Yarn forward

K2 tog: knit next 2 stitches together

P2 tog: purl next 2 stitches together

Rs: right side

Ws: wrong side

Cont: continue

Sts: Stitches

## Tension (in st-st)

**Double knitting:** 22 stitches and 30 rows to 10 cm. (4 inches) on a 4 mm (US 6) needle.

*The cluster stitch adds texture without lace to the pattern. If however you prefer plain work this set will work equally well in stocking stitch.*

**Use 4mm needles unless stated throughout.**

## Bonnet

Using larger needles and fur/eyelash yarn cast on 59sts and work 8 rows in g-st. Break yarn and join in DK. Work 2 rows in st-st. Cont in patt as below.

## Pattern

**Row 1:** (rs) P

**Row 2:** K

**Row 3:** P1, \*make cluster (see abbreviations), P3; rep from \* to last 4sts, make cluster, P1

**Row 4:** K1, \*(P2tog) 3 times, K3; rep from \* to last 7sts, (P2tog) 3 times, K1

**Row 5:** P

**Row 6:** K

**Row 7:** P4, \*make cluster, P3; rep from \* to last st, P1

**Row 8:** K4, \*(P2tog) 3 times, K3; rep from \* to last st, K1

Work a further 12 rows in patt.

Work 2 rows in st-st. Join in fur/eyelash yarn and K 2 rows. Break fur/eyelash yarn and using DK cont in st-st for 2 rows.

**Next row:** \*K first st on needle together with corresponding st 6 rows below (1<sup>st</sup> K row foll patt), cont from \* to end.

K 1 row.

## Decrease

**Row 1:** K3, \*K2tog, K6; rep from \* to end

**Row 2 and foll alt rows:** K

**Row 3:** K3, \*K2tog, K5; rep from \* to end

**Row 5:** K3, \*K2tog, K4; rep from \* to end

**Row 7:** K3, \*K2tog, K3; rep from \* to end

**Row 9:** K3, \*K2tog, K2; rep from \* to end

**Row 11:** K3, \*K2tog, K1; rep from \* to end

**Row 12 (alt):** \*K2tog; rep from \* to last st, K1.

Break yarn, thread through sts, fasten off, and sew seam to fur picot.

## Neck edging

With right side facing and using 3¼ mm needles (UK10, US3) needles and DK pick up and K 24sts along neck edge from front edge to centre, and 24sts from centre to front edge. Work 5 rows in g-st. Cast off.

## Making up

Sew ribbon ties to front. Add any desired embellishments.

## Bootees

*These are oversized boots that will fit over socks etc. If you prefer a smaller boot use size 3 ¼ mm needles (UK10, US3 )*

Using fur/eyelash yarn cast on 31sts and K 4 rows. Break yarn. Change to DK and work 3 rows st-st. K 1 row.

**Next row:** \*K2tog, yfwd; rep from \* to last st, K1

K 1 row.

*Shape instep*

K21, turn

K11, turn

Work in patt as for bonnet for 12 rows. Break yarn.

Continuing from the 10sts on the rh needle, rejoin yarn and pick up and knit 8sts up rh side of instep, 11 from needle, pick up and K8 down side of instep and rem 10sts from needle. (47sts)

K 1 row. Work in patt as for bonnet for 8 rows. Cont in st-st for 2 rows. Join fur/eyelash yarn and K 2 rows. Break eyelash yarn. Cont in DK work 2 rows in st-st.

**Next row:** Pick up corresponding stitch 6 rows below (1<sup>st</sup> st-st row after pattern) and slip on to left hand needle. Work this and the 1<sup>st</sup> stitch already on the needle together. Continue to do this with

every stitch till all sts are worked and row is complete.

*Shape sole*

**Row 1:** K5, \*K2tog, K4; rep from \* to end (40sts)

**Row 2:** K2tog, K16, (K2tog) twice, K16, K2tog (36sts)

**Row 3:** K

**Row 4:** K2tog, K14, (K2tog) twice, K14, K2tog (32sts)

**Row 5:** K

Cast off.

Making up

Join sole and back seam. Thread ribbon through eyelets and tie in bow. Add any desired embellishments.

**Mittens**

Using fur/eyelash yarn cast on 29sts and K 4 rows. Break yarn and join in DK. K 2 rows.

**Next row:** \*K2tog, yfwd; rep from \* to last st, K1

K 1 row.

Cont in patt as for bonnet for 16 rows.

*Decrease*

**Row 1:** P2tog, P10, P2tog, P1, P2tog, P10, P2tog

**Row 2:** K

**Row 3:** P2tog, P4, make cluster, P1, P2tog, P1, P2tog, P2, make cluster, P3, P2tog

**Row 4:** K4, (P2tog) three times, K6, (P2tog) three times, K5

**Row 5:** P2tog, P6, P2tog, P1, P2tog, P6, P2tog

**Row 6:** K

**Row 7:** P2tog, P4, P2tog, P1, P2tog, P4, P2tog

**Row 8:** (K2tog) three times, K1, (K2tog) three times.

Pull yarn up through sts, fasten off and sew seam. Thread ribbon through eyelets and tie in bow. Add any desired embellishments.