



MATERIALS

Bernat® Softee® Baby™ (5 oz/140 g; 362 yds /331 m)

Sizes 2 4 6 8

Flannel (30044) **4 4 5 6 balls**

Size U.S. J/10 (6 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stitch markers. 6 buttons.

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ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly) **Rep** = Repeat **Beg** = Begin(ning) **Rem** = Remain(ing) Ch = Chain(s)**RS** = Right side **Cont** = Continue(ity) **Sc** = Single crochet **SI st** = Slip stitch **Dc** = Double crochet **Hdc2tog** = Yoh and draw up a Sp(s) = Space(s)loop in each of next 2 stitches. **St(s)** = Stitch(es) Yoh and draw through all loops **Tog** = Together **WS** = Wrong side on hook **Inc** = Increase(ing) **Yoh** = Yarn over hook **Pat** = Pattern

SIZES

To fit chest measurement

2 21" [51 cm] 4 23" [58.5 cm] 6 25" [66 cm] 6 26½" [71 cm]

Finished chest

2 25" [63.5 cm] 4 27" [68.5 cm] 6 29" [74 cm] 8 31" [78 cm]

GAUGE

11 sts and 9 rows = 4" [10 cm] in pat with 2 strands of yarn held tog.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.



BACK

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, ch **36** (**38-40-44**).

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn. **35** (37-39-43) sts.

2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). *1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc. *1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn. Rep last 2 rows for pat until work from beg measures 9 (10-11-12)" [23 (25.5-28-30.5) cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape armholes: Next row: (RS). SI st across first 3 sts. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sI st. Pat to last 2 sts. **Turn**. Leave rem 2 sts unworked.

Cont even in pat over rem **31** (**33**-**35**-**39**) sts until armhole measures **5** (**5**½-**6**-**6**½)" [**12.5** (**13**-**15**-**16.5**) cm], ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, ch **26 (**28-30-34**).

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn. **25** (27-29-33) sts.

Cont in pat as given for Back until work from beg measures 9 (10-11-12)" [23 (25.5-28-30.5) cm], ending on a WS row.**

Shape armhole: Next row: (RS). Pat to last 2 sts. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

Cont even in pat over rem 23 (25-27-31) sts until armhole measures 6 rows less than Back, ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

Shape neck: 1st row: (RS). Skip first **9** (11-12-15) sts. Join yarn with sl st to next st. Ch **2** (**does not** count as st). Hdc2tog over same st as last sl st and next st. Pat to end of row. Turn.

2nd row: Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn.

3rd row: Ch **2** (**does not** count as st). Hdc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows once more, then 2nd row once. **8** (8-9-10) sts. Fasten off.

Place markers for 6 buttons on Right Front in 3 rows (double breasted), spaced as follows:

Top row of 2 buttons positioned 2 rows down from neck edge – first button 1" [2.5 cm] from front edge; second button 4½" [11 cm] from front edge (3½" [9 cm] apart from each other).

Bottom row of 2 buttons positioned **18** (**18-20-22**) rows down from neck edge – first button 1" [2.5 cm] from front edge; second button 4½" [11 cm] from front edge (3½" [9 cm] apart from each other).

Center row of 2 buttons positioned evenly between top and bottom rows – first button 1" [2.5 cm] from front edge; second button 4½" [11 cm] from front edge (3½" [9 cm] apart from each other).

LEFT FRONT

Note: Work buttonhole row to correspond to markers on Right Front as follows:

Buttonhole row: (RS). (Pat to button marker. Ch 1. Skip next st) twice. Pat to end of row.

Work from ** to ** as given for Right Front.

Shape armhole: Next row: (RS). SI st across first 2 sts. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sI st. Pat to end of row. Turn.

Cont even in pat over rem 23 (25-27-31) sts until armhole measures 6 rows less than Back (working buttonhole row to correspond to markers on Right Front), ending on a WS row.

Shape neck: 1st row: (RS). Pat across **12** (**12-13-14**) sts. Hdc2tog (neck edge). **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

2nd row: Ch 2 (**does not** count as st). Hdc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn. **3rd row:** Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn.

4th row: As 2nd row. **5th row:** As 3rd row

6th row: As 2nd row. **8** (8-9-10) sts.

Fasten off.



SLEEVES

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, ch **22** (**24-26-28**).

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn. **21** (23-25-27) sts.

Cont in pat as given for Back for **3** (5-7-9) more rows.

Shape sides: 1st row: (Inc row). Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 sc in first dc. *1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc. Rep from * to last 2 sts. 1 dc in next sc. (1 sc. 1 dc) in last dc. Turn. 2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc. *1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). *1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 3 rows 3 times more. **29** (31-33-35) sts.

Cont even in pat until work from beg measures 10 (11½-13-14½)" [25.5 (29-33-37) cm], ending on a WS row. Place markers at each end of last row.

Work 2 rows even in pat. Fasten off.

POCKETS

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, ch 12 (12-14-14).

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn. **11** (**11-13-13**) sts.

Cont in pat as given for Back for **3** (3-3½-3½)" [**7.5** (**7.5**-9-9) cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape bottom: 1st row: (RS). Ch 2 (**does not** count as st). Hdc2tog. Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn. Rep last row once more. **7** (**7**-**9**-**9**) sts. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew Pockets in position (see photo). Sew shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves, placing rows above markers along unworked sts of Body to form square armholes. Sew side and sleeve seams, reversing seam for 2" [5 cm] sleeve cuff turnback.

HOOD

Place markers on neck edge 3½" [9 cm] in from front edge. With RS facing, join 2 strands of yarn held tog with sl st at Right Front neck marker. Ch 1. Work 47 (47-51-51) sc evenly around neck edge to opposite marker. Turn.

Next row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * end of row. Turn. Place marker on center back st.

Next row: (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 11 (11-12-12) times. (1 sc. 1 dc. 1 sc) all in next dc (center back st). (1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc) 11 (11-12-12) times. 1 dc in last sc. Turn. Work 3 rows even in pat.

Next row: (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 11 (11-12-12) times. 1 sc in next dc. (1 dc. 1 sc. 1 dc) all in next sc (center back st). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 12 (12-13-13) times. Turn. Work 3 rows even in pat.

Next row: (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 12 (12-13-13) times. (1 sc. 1 dc. 1 sc) all in next dc (center back st). (1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc) 12 (12-13-13) times. 1 dc in last sc. Turn. 53 (53-57-57) sts.

Cont even in pat until Hood measures 9½ (10-10-10½)" [24.5 (25.5-25.5-26.5) cm] from neck edge, ending on a WS row. Fasten off. Fold Hood in half and sew top Hood seam.

Pompom: Wind yarn around 4 fingers approx 100 times. Remove from fingers and tie tightly in center. Cut through each side of loops. Trim to a smooth round shape. Sew to end of Hood.







