

## $\square \square$ <br> PATONS ${ }^{\circledR}$ BEEHIVE BABY SPORT <br> BEEHIVE BOOTIES (TO KNIT)

## SIZES

To fit infant 3 (6-12) mos.

## MATERIALS

Patons ${ }^{\circledR}$ Beehive Baby Sport ( $100 \mathrm{~g} / 3.5 \mathrm{oz}$ )
1 ball of \#09420 (Precious Pink).
Size 3.75 mm (U.S. 5) knitting needles or size needed to obtain tension. 12 ins [ 30.5 cm ] of ribbon.

TENSION: 24 sts and 32 rows $=4$ ins [ 10 cm ] in stocking st.

## ABBREVIATIONS <br> www.patonsyarns.com/ glossary

## INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) the instructions will be written thus ().

Cast on 39 (43-47) sts.
1st row: (RS). K1. "P1. K1. Rep from * to end of row.
2nd row: P1. "K1. P1. Rep from " to end of row.
Rep last 2 rows for 2 ins [ 5 cm ], ending with a WS row.

Make instep: 1st row: (RS). K14 (15-16). P3 (4-5). K5. P3 (4-5). Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.
2nd row: K3 (4-5). P5. K3 (4-5). Turn. Leave rem sts unworked. 14 (15-16) sts.
3rd row: P3 (4-5). K5. P3 (4-5). 4th row: K3 (4-5). P5. K3 (4-5). Rep last 2 rows 3 (4-5) times more.
Break yarn. Leave these 11 (1315) sts on a needle.

Shape foot: Next row: With RS of work facing, pick up and knit 8 (10-12) sts along right side of instep. K4 (5-6). K2tog. K5 (67) from left-hand needle. Pick up and knit 8 (10-12) sts along left side of instep. Knit across rem 14 (15-16) sts. 54 (62-70) sts.
Knit 5 rows across all sts (garter st).
1st row: (RS). [K1. K2tog. K21 (25-29). K2tog. K1] twice. 50 (58-66) sts.

2nd and alt rows: Knit.
3rd row: [K1. K2tog. K19 (2327). K2tog. K1] twice. 46 (5462) sts.

5th row: [K1. K2tog. K17 (2125). K2tog. K1] twice. 42 (5058) sts.

7th row: [K1. K2tog. K15 (1923). K2tog. K1] twice. 38 (4654) sts.

9th row: [K1. K2tog. K13 (1721). K2tog. K1] twice. 34 (4250) sts.

11th row: [K1. K2tog. K11 (15-19). K2tog. K1] twice. 30 (38-46) sts.

Sizes 6 and 12 mos only: 13th row: $[\mathrm{K} 1 . \mathrm{K} 2$ tog. $\mathrm{K}(13-$ 17). K2tog. K1] twice. (34-42) sts.
15th row: [K1. K2tog. K(11-15).
K2tog. K1] twice. (30-38) sts.
All sizes: Next row: Knit. Cast off. Sew sole and back seam.

Cut ribbon in half. Tie in bow and sew to each bootie as shown in picture.

