



MATERIALS

Bernat® Baby Blanket™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 220 yds/201 m)

Main Color (MC)

Blueberry Sprinkles (04870) **2 balls or 347 yds/317 m**

Bernat® Sheepy™ (8.8 oz/250 g; 149 yds/136 m)

Contrast A Vapor Gray (43010) **1 ball or 107 yds/98 m**

Size U.S. 11 (8 mm) circular knitting needle 36" [91.5 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 2 stitch markers. Small amount of black worsted weight yarn for embroidery. Yarn needle.



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx =

Approximately

Dec = Decrease(ing)

Inc = Increase(ing)

K = Knit

Kfb = Increase

1 stitch by knitting

into front and back of

next stitch

K2tog = Knit next

2 stitches together

PM = Place marker

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat

RS = Right side

SM = Slip marker

St(s) = Stitch(es)

WS = Wrong side

Yo = Yarn over

MEASUREMENT

Approx 37" [94 cm] square, excluding ears.

GAUGES

7 sts and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter st and Bernat Baby Blanket.

9 sts and 10 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking stitch and Bernat Sheepy.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Blanket is worked corner to corner.

With MC cast on 4 sts.

Inc section: 1st row: (WS). K2. yo. K2. 5 sts.

2nd row: K2. yo. Knit to end of row. 6 sts.

3rd to 91st rows: Rep 2nd row 89 times more, inc 1 st every row until there are 95 sts, ending on WS row.

Dec section: 1st row: K1. K2tog. yo. K2tog. Knit to end of row. 94 sts.

2nd to 36th rows: Rep 1st row 35 times more until 59 sts rem, ending on a WS row.

Proceed with Trunk as follows:

Notes:

- Inc number of sts worked over A sections to accommodate the difference in gauge between Bernat® Baby Blanket™ and Bernat® Sheepy™.

- Trunk is formed using Intarsia technique as follows: Wind small balls of the colors to be used, one for each separate area of color in the design. To change colors, wind the 2 colors around each other, where they meet on WS to avoid a hole.

Trunk: 1st row: (RS). With MC, K1. K2tog. yo. K2tog. K22. PM. With A, Kfb. K4. Kfb. PM. With MC, knit to end of row. 60 sts.

2nd row: With MC, K1. K2tog. yo. K2tog. Knit to marker. SM. With A, K8. SM. With MC, knit to end of row. 59 sts.

3rd to 14th rows: Rep 2nd row 12 times more until 47 sts rem, ending on a WS row. Break MC. Join A.

Proceed with Head as follows:

1st row: (RS). With A, K1. K2tog. (K2. Kfb) 5 times. K12. (Kfb. K2) 5 times. K2. 56 sts.

2nd row: K1. K2tog. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1. 54 sts.

3rd and 4th rows: K1. K2tog. Knit to end of row.

4th to 28th rows: Rep 2nd to 4th rows 8 times more until 20 sts rem, ending on a WS row.

29th to 34th rows: Cast off 2 sts. Knit to end of row. Cast off rem 8 sts.

Ears: 1st row: (RS). PM 11" [28 cm] up from bottom edge of Head. With A, pick up and knit 25 sts evenly between bottom edge of Head and marker.

2nd row: Knit.

3rd to 6th rows: Cast on 1 st. Knit to end of row. 29 sts at end of 6th row.

7th to 12 rows: Knit.

13th to 18th rows: Cast off 1 st. Knit to end of row. 23 sts at end of 18th row.

19th to 24th rows: Cast off 2 sts. Knit to end of row. 11 sts at end of 24th row.

25th and 26th rows: Cast off 3 sts. Knit to end of row. Cast off rem 5 sts.

FINISHING

With black worsted weight yarn, embroider eyes and eyelashes using chain stitch as shown in photo.

CHAIN STITCH

