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Cherub DK

Tutu Topper Set

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Skill Level:
Intermediate

Size:
3 (6, 9, 12, 18, 24) months
Chest: 19” (21.5, 23, 26, 28, 30)”

Materials:
Cascade Yarns® Cherub DK
55% Nylon / 45% Acrylic
50 g (1.75 oz) / 180 yds (165 m)
4 (4, 4, 4, 5, 5) skeins of color #32 (Cotton Candy)
US 4 (3.5 mm)/24" circular and DPN knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge.
2 Stitch holders
Stitch Markers
2 - ¾” Buttons
Yarn needle

Gauge:
24 sts x 30 rows = 4" (10 cm) in
Stockinette st

Abbreviations:

BO	= Bind Off
CO	= Cast On
K	= Knit
K2tog	= Knit 2 sts together
P	= Purl
P2tog	= Purl 2 sts together
PM	= Place Marker
Rnd(s)	= Round(s)
SSK	= Slip 1 st, slip 1 st, knit the 2 slipped sts together
St(s)	= Stitch(es)
Tbl	= Through the Back Loop
YO	= Yarn Over

Note: *The sweater is knit in 1 piece up to the armholes. At the armholes, you will work each front and the back separately, but simultaneously. You will need a separate ball of yarn for each section. Decreases at the beginning for the row should be worked as an SSK on RS rows, and P2tog on WS rows. Decreases at the end of the row will be worked as a K2tog on RS rows and a P2tog tbl on WS rows.*

Begin Sweater:
Body:
With circular needles, CO 51 (59, 63, 72, 78, 84), PM, CO 58 (64, 70, 78, 84, 90), PM, CO 51 (59, 63, 72, 78, 84).
K 4 rows.

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Work in Stockinette st starting with a RS row, AT THE SAME TIME, begin decreases on each end.
Decrease 1 st on each end every row 2 (8, 6, 9, 10, 5) times, then every other row 34 (33, 37, 40, 44, 52) times.
Work until body measures 5" (5.5, 6, 6.5, 7.5, 8.5)".

Note: *Not all decreases will be completed at this point.*

Armholes:
Work in pattern to 1st marker (continuing decreases), attach a new ball of yarn and work to next marker, attach another ball of yarn and work to end (continue decreases).

Work each section separately but simultaneously until 15 (18, 20, 23, 24, 27) shoulder sts remain on each front (the 2 ends) and the body measures 9.5" (10, 11, 12, 13.5, 15)" from CO edge.
Place the front shoulder sts on stitch holders.

Shape Neck and Join Shoulders:
Work 15 (18, 20, 23, 24, 27) sts, BO 28 (28, 30, 32, 36, 36), work 15 (18, 20, 23, 24, 27).
Transfer each set of front shoulder sts to DPNs.
Join the front and back shoulder sts with a 3-needle BO.

Sleeves (Make 2):
CO 51 (54, 60, 66, 72, 78) sts for the top of the sleeve.
Work in Stockinette st, decrease 1 st on each end every 3 rows 6 (3, 6, 11, 8, 8) times, then decrease 1 st on each end every 4 rows 6 (9, 8, 6, 11, 13) times. (27 (30, 32, 32, 34, 36) sts)
On the next WS row, K 5 rows. BO.

Finishing:
Sew the sleeves into the armholes, and sew the sleeve seams.
With the circular needle, beginning at right front, pick up 3 sts for every 4 rows along the right front, then 28 (28, 30, 32, 36, 36) along the back neck, then 3 sts for every 4 rows along the left front.
K 1 row.

Buttonholes:
Next Row: K2, YO, K2tog, K until 4 sts remain, K2tog, YO, K2.
K 2 rows. BO.
Sew on buttons opposite the button holes (on the left front, and on the right back).

Leg Warmers:

Note: *Decrease rnds begin at ½ the total length of the leg warmer. The ribbing at the top and bottom of the leg is 1" and the ribbing is included in the total length. The length is 7" for all sizes. Decreases are made every 5 rnds. The chart below shows the measurement of the circumference of the leg in inches, the number of sts you would have for that measurement, and the st pattern that you will follow to decrease 4 sts in a rnd. The pattern is worked top down. If both the thigh and calf measure the same, no decrease rnds are worked.*

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Inche	Sts	Decrease Rnds
8.5”	52	*[K11, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
8”	48	*[K10, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
7.25”	44	*[K9, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
6.5”	40	*[K8, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
6”	36	*[K7, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
5.25”	32	*[K6, K2tog]; repeat from *to end of rnd.
4.75”	28	K all sts to end of rnd.

Begin Pattern:
Measure the Thigh and Calf.
Thigh measures 4.75” (5.25, 6, 6.5, 7.25, 8, 8.5”) x calf measures 4.75” (5.25, 6, 6.5, 7.25, 8, 8.5”)
Using dpns, CO 28 (32, 36, 40, 44, 48, 52) sts (use the thigh measurement for number of CO sts). PM.
Being careful not to twist your sts, join in the rnd.

Ribbing (All Sizes):
Rnd 1: *[K2, P2]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
Work Rnd 1, 8 times.
Work in Stockinette st and start decreases when leg warmer measures 3.5” from CO edge.
Begin decrease rnds based on calf measurements.

Example of decreases for 8.5” thigh x 6.5” calf:
1st decrease rnd: *[K11, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (48 sts)
K 4 rnds.
2nd decrease rnd: *[K10, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (44 sts)
K 4 rnds.
3rd decrease rnd: *[K9, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (40 sts)

Work in Stockinette st until leg warmer measures 6”.

Example of decreases for 6.5” thigh x 5.25” calf:
1st decrease rnd: *[K8, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (36 sts)
K 4 rnds.
2nd decrease rnd: *[K7, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. (32 sts)
K 4 rnds.
3rd decrease rnd: *[K6, K2tog]; repeat from *to end of rnd. (28 sts)

Work in Stockinette st until leg warmer measures 6”.

Ribbing (All Sizes):
Rnd 1: *[K2, P2]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
Work Rnd 1, 8 times. BO in pattern.

Finishing:
Weave in all ends and block if necessary.

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