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Cherub DK Bitsy Beanie and Boots

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Skill Level:

EASY

INTERMEDIATE

Size:

Newborn (6 months, 12 months)

Materials:

- Cascade Yarns® Cherub DK; 55% Nylon/ 45% Acrylic; 50 g (1.75 oz)/ 180 yds (165 m);
- 1 skein each of #64 (Marine Blue) and #79 (Chocolate)
- US F (3.75 mm) crochet hook or size to obtain gauge
- One stitch marker
- One 1” button
- Yarn needle

Gauge:

20 sts x 10 rows = 4” (10 cm)
Unblocked, in double crochet Pattern

Abbreviations:

ch	= chain stitch	dc	= double crochet
hdc	= half double crochet	lp(s)	= loop(s)
rnd(s)	= round(s)	sc	= single crochet
sk	= skip	sl st	= slip stitch
st(s)	= stitch(es)		

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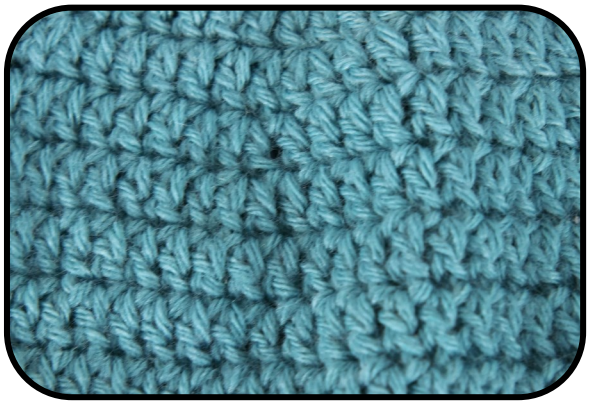

Special Stitches:

Reverse Single Crochet (reverse sc): Working left to right, draw up a lp in next st, draw new lp through both lps on hook.

Notes: First ch 3 counts as first double crochet throughout.

Boots are worked starting at the toe end, with extra fabric that is then folded toward the center once laced.

Hat:

Rnd 1: With Marine Blue, make a slip ring, ch 3, work 13 dc in ring; join with sl st in first dc and pull loose end of ring to close. 14 dc

Rnd 2: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, 2 dc in each st around; join. 28 dc

Rnd 3: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in next st, (2 dc in next st, dc in next st) around; join. 42 dc

Rnd 4: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 5 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 5 sts) around; join. 49 dc

Rnd 5: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 6 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 6 sts) around; join. 56 dc

Rnd 6: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 7 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 7 sts) around; join. 63 dc

Rnd 7: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 8 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 8 sts) around; join. 70 dc

Newborn Only
Rnds 8-10: Ch 3, dc in each st around; join.
At end of last rnd, fasten off.

6 (12) Months Only
Rnd 8: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 9 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 9 sts) around; join. 77 dc

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Rnd 9: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 10 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 10 sts) around; join. 84 dc

6 Months Only
Rnds 10-13: Ch 3, dc in each st around; join. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

12 Months Only
Rnd 10: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 11 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 11 sts) around; join. 91 dc

Rnds 11-14: Ch 3, dc in each st around; join. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

Band (all sizes)
Rnd 1: With Chocolate, join in any st. Ch 1, sc in each st around; do not join. Ch 1, turn.

Rnds 2-5: Sc in each st, ch 1, turn.

Button Loop

Turn to work across ends of chocolate rows.

Row 1: Ch 1, work 5 sc evenly across ends of rows; ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc in each st across; turn.

Row 3: Ch 7, sk next 3 sts, sl st in last st. Ch 1, turn.

Row 4: Work 7 sc over ch lp, sl st in base of ch lp and fasten off.

Join Chocolate in other base of button loop against hat ch 1, work reverse sc evenly around button loop and last rnd of hat band. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Boots (make 2)
Rnd 1: With Marine Blue, make a slip ring, ch 1, work 10 hdc in ring; join with sl st in first hdc. Pull loose end of ring to close.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, (2 hdc in next st, hdc in next st) around. 15 hdc

Rnd 3: Ch 1, (2 hdc in next st, hdc in next st) around, 2 hdc in last st; join. 24 hdc

Size Newborn Only
Rnds 4-6: Ch 1, hdc in each st around; join.

Row 1: Now working in rows, ch 1, hdc in each of next 18 sts, turn, leaving last 6 sts unworked.

Rows 2-5: Ch 1, hdc in each st across. At end of last row fasten off, leaving long sewing end.

Fold last row in half, sew seam up the back.

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Size 6 (12) Months Only
Rnd 4: Ch 1, hdc in each st around, working (2 hdc in same st) 4 times, evenly; join. 28 hdc

Size 6 Months Only
Row 1: Now working in rows, ch 1, hdc in each of next 22 sts, turn, leaving last 6 sts unworked.

Rows 2-7: Rep row 2 of size Newborn. Fasten off and sew like instructed.

Size 12 Months Only
Rnd 5: Rep Row 4. 32 hdc

Row 1: Now working in rows, ch 1, hdc in each of next 26 sts, turn, leaving last 6 sts unworked.

Rows 2-9: Rep row 2 of size Newborn. Fasten off and sew like instructed.

Cuff (All Sizes)
Rnd 1: Join Marine Blue in any st around opening, ch 1, hdc evenly around; join.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, hdc in each st around; join.

Rep Rnd 2 0 (1, 2) times.

Edging: Ch 1, work reverse sc around. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Finishing
Mark the center of the front/top opposite the seam.

With Chocolate, cut an 8” strand. Starting at the toe end, weave yarn ends through fabric on either side of center mark to create lace-ups, ending with last yarn ends through top of cuff approximately 1/2” on each side of the center mark.

When laced up, you can tighten boots and the center will fold down underneath like a shoe tongue. Laces allow for adjustable fit depending on how widely you lace them and how tightly you pull them once laced.

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