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Baby Set for Little Boys or Little Girls
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Seed Stitch On an Even Number of Stitches:	Seed Stitch On an Odd Number of Stitches:
Row 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end of row. Row 2: *P1, k1; rep from * to end of row. Repeat Rows 1 and 2.	Row 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end of row. Work all rows alike.
Seed Stitch in the Round on an Even Number of Stitches: Round 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end of round. Round 2: *P1, k1; rep from * to end of round. Repeat Rounds 1 & 2.	**Seed Stitch in the Round on an Odd Number of Stitches:** Round 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to last st, k1. Round 2: *P1, k1; rep from * to last st, p1. Repeat Rounds 1 & 2.

YARN REQUIREMENTS FOR FULL SET:
Young Touch (50gm balls): 6 mos = 7, 12 mos =8, 18 mos = 9
South Pacific (100gm skeins): 6 mos = 3, 12 mos = 4, 18 mos = 5

SWEATER
Sizes: 6 mos (12 mos, 18 mos)
Finished measurements:
Chest: 20 (22, 24) inches
Length: 10 (11, 12) inches
Sleeve length: 7.5 (8.75, 10.25) inches

Materials: 3 (4, 5) 50gm balls Estelle Young Touch or 2 (2, 3) 100 gm skeins Estelle South Pacific
NEEDLES: 4mm needles OR SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE
Notions: stitch markers, 3 half inch buttons
Gauge: 22 sts and 32 rows in Stocking Stitch on 4mm needles = 4 inches/10cm

Back:
Cast on 57 (63, 69) sts. Work 5 rows in Seed St.
Next row (RS): K2 (1, 2) *k11 (13, 14), work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * twice more, k to end.
Following row (WS): P2 (1, 2) *p11 (13, 14), work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * twice more, p to end.
Work as established until piece meas 5.5 (6.25, 7)" from cast on edge.
Cast off 5 (5, 6) sts at beg next two rows. 47 (53, 57) sts rem.
Cont even in patt as established until piece meas 10 (11, 12)" from cast-on edge. Cast off.

Front:
Work as for back until armhole shaping is complete. Work another 2.75 (2.75, 3)" even in patt, ending with a WS row.
Divide for neck:
Next row (RS): K 16 (18, 20), cast off centre 9 (11, 14) sts, k to end.
Working only on sts on right side of neck, cont in pattern, dec 1 st at neck edge of every RS row until 13 (14 15) sts rem.
If necessary, work even until front meas same length as back. Cast off.
With WS facing, reattach yarn to left side of neck. Cont in patt, & dec 1 st at neck edge of every RS row until 13 (14 15) sts rem, ending with a WS row. If necessary, work even until front meas same length as back. Work 2 more rows on these 13 (14 15) sts in Seed St.
Buttonhole row (RS): Work 3 (3, 4) sts in patt, yo k2tog, work 3 (3, 4) sts in pattern, yo k2tog, work in patt to end.
Work 2 more rows in Seed St, cast off in patt.

Neckband: Sew right shoulder seam.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn & pick up 17 (19, 19) sts down buttonhole band & left front neck, 9 (11, 14) sts along front neck, 14 (16, 16) sts along left front neck, and 21 (25, 27) sts along back neck. 61 (71, 76) sts.

Work 2 rows Seed St.

Buttonhole row (WS): Work in patt to last 3 sts, yo k2tog, work last st in patt.

Work 2 more rows Seed St. Cast off in patt.

Sleeves:

Baste left shoulder seam, folding Seed St buttonband over back.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn & pick up 49 (53, 55) sts along full length of armhole edge – both the front and back.

Row 1 (WS): P10 (11, 11) *work 3 sts in Seed St as established, p10 (11, 12); rep from * once more, work 3 sts in Seed St as established, p to end.

Row 2 (RS): K10 (11, 11) *work 3 sts in Seed St as established, k10 (11, 12); rep from * once more, work 3 sts in Seed St as established, k to end.

Work 5 (5, 7) more rows in pattern.

Decrease row (RS): K1, ssk, cont in pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Work 7 (7, 9) rows even.

Cont as established, working a dec row every 8 (8, 10) rows 5 (7, 7) more times, to 35 (37, 39) sts.

Smallest size only: continuing in patt, work a dec row followed by 5 even rows, & work 1 more dec row. 31 sts.

Work even as necessary until sleeve meas 7 (8.25, 9.75)".

Work 5 rows Seed St. Cast off in patt.

Finishing:

Sew side & sleeve seams. Undoing basting on left shoulder. Sew buttons on back left shoulder & neckline to match buttonholes. Weave in all ends.

BLANKET

Sizes: One size

Finished measurements:

21 inches x 28 inches

Materials: 4 50gm balls Estelle Young Touch or 2 100 gm skeins Estelle South Pacific

Needles: 4.5mm needles SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE – a 16 inch/40 cm or 24 inch/60 cm circular is easiest

Notions: stitch markers

Gauge: 20 sts and 28 rows in Stocking Stitch on 4mm needles = 4 inches/10cm

Blanket:

Cast on 107 sts.

Rows 1-5: Work Seed St.

Row 6: *Work 3 sts in Seed St as established; k10; rep from * to last 3 sts, work 3 sts in Seed St as established.

Row 7: *Work 3 sts in Seed St as established, p10; rep from * to last 3 sts, work 3 sts in Seed St as established.

Repeat Rows 6 & 7 6 more times, for a total of 14 rows.

Rows 20-24: Work Seed St.

Row 25: *Work 3 st in Seed St as established, p10; rep from * to last 3 sts, work 3 sts in Seed St as established.

Row 26: *Work 3 st in Seed St as established, k10; rep from * to last 3 sts, work 3 sts in Seed St as established.

Repeat Rows 25 & 26 6 more times for a total of 14 rows.

Repeat the above 38 row pattern until piece measures approximately 27 inches/65 cm, or desired length. Work 5 more rows Seed St, and cast off loosely.

Finishing: Weave in all ends.

HAT

Sizes: newborn-6 mos (6-12 mos, 12-18 mos)

Finished measurements: Circumference: 14 (15, 16) inches.

Materials: 1 50gm ball Estelle Young Touch or 1 100 gm skein Estelle South Pacific

Needles: 4mm double-pointed needles SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE

Notions: stitch marker

Gauge: 22 sts and 32 rows in Stocking Stitch on 4mm needles = 4 inches/10cm

Hat:

Cast 75 (80, 85) sts onto a single needle. Distribute sts across three needles & join for working in the round, being careful not to twist. Place a marker to indicate the beg of the round. Work 5 rounds Seed St.

Body round: *K12 (13, 14), work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.

Repeat the Body round until hat measures 5 (5, 5.5)" from cast-on edge.

Top:
Round 1: *SSK, k8 (9, 10), k2tog, work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.
Round 2: *SSK, k6 (7, 8), k2tog, work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.
Round 3: *SSK, k4 (5, 6), k2tog, work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.
Round 4: *SSK, k2 (3, 4), k2tog, work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.
Round 4: *SSK, k0 (1, 2), k2tog, work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.
Round 5: *K2tog (S2kpsso, [ssk, k2tog]), work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.
Round 6, Largest size only: *K2tog, work 3 sts in Seed St as established; rep from * to end of round.
Final round: *K1, s2kpsso; rep from * to end of round. 10 sts.
Finishing: Cut yarn, leaving an 8 inch tail. Draw through rem sts and pull to close. Weave in all ends.

MITTENS
Sizes: newborn-3 mos (3-6 mos, 6-12 mos)
Finished measurements:
Palm Circumference: 5 (5.5, 6) inches
Length: 3.75 (4.25, 5) inches
Materials: 1 50gm ball Estelle Young Touch or 1 100 gm skein Estelle South Pacific – can use oddments left from hat or sweater
Needles: 4mm needles SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE, 4mm crochet hook
Notions: stitch markers
Gauge: 22 sts and 32 rows in St St on 4mm needles = 4 inches/10cm

Mitt:
Cast on 24 (26, 28) sts.
Work 2.25 (2.5, 2.75)" in k2 p2 ribbing.
Inc for hand: K next row, inc 2 (4, 6) sts evenly across. 26 (30, 34) sts.
Work 1.75 (2, 2.5)" even in St st.
Decrease top:
Row 1: *K1, ssk, k7 (9, 11), k2tog, k1; rep from * once more.
Row 2 and all foll even rows: Purl.
Row 3: *K1, ssk, k5 (7, 9), k2tog, k1; rep from * once more.
Row 5: *K1, ssk, k3 (5, 7), k2tog, k1; rep from * once more.
Row 7: *K1, ssk (sssk, sssk), k1 (1, 3), k2tog (k3tog, k3tog), k1; rep from * once more. 10 (10, 14) sts.
Largest size only: Row 9: *K1, ssk, k1 (1, 3), k2tog, k1; rep from * once more. 10 sts.
Finishing: Cut yarn, leaving an 8" tail. Draw through rem sts and pull to close. Sew seam, reversing seam on final inch of cuff so that it can be folded over. Weave in all ends. Crochet a 25 inch chain & sew one end to each mitt.