

Tweetypie



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Materials: One skein of worsted weight cotton such as Sugar ‘n Cream or Peaches & Crème if you are using the bib for meals. If, on the other hand, you want to use it as a “drool” bib, I would recommend using a superwash wool. The cotton has a tendency to absorb the moisture, whereas the superwash wool will wick the moisture and keep baby nice and dry!

Sample was done in Sugar ‘n Cream Soft Violet.

Needles: Size 6

Gauge: 4.5 sts. per inch, not critical

Note: The edges of the bib are worked in seed stitch over the first and last five stitches and are referred to as “B5”. You might find it helpful to insert a marker after the first five stitches and before the last five stitches.

When you reach the I-cords on the bib, it is helpful, but not necessary, to drop down a needle size to make the cords slightly smaller.

Abbreviations:

k = knit

p = purl

sts. = stitches

dec. = decrease

dpn. = double pointed needle

B5 = seed stitch border

Cast on 12 sts.

Row 1: k1, p1, across row.

Row 2: Cast on 3 sts., k1, p1 across row. (15 sts.)

Row 3: Cast on 3 sts., p1, k1 across row (18 sts.)

Row 4: Cast on 3 sts., p1, k1, across row (21 sts.)

Row 5: Cast on 3 sts., k1, p1, across row (24 sts.)

Row 6: Cast on 3 sts., k1, p1, across row (27 sts.)

Row 7: Cast on 3 sts., p1, k1, across row (30 sts.)

Row 8: Cast on 2 sts., k1, p1, across row (32 sts.)

Row 9: Cast on 2 sts., p1, k1, across row (34 sts.)

Row 10: Cast on 2 sts., k1, p1, across row (36 sts.)

Row 11: Cast on 2 sts., p1, k1, across row (38 sts.)

Row 12: k1, p1 for 13 sts.; p12 sts.; p1, k1 for 13 sts.

Row 13: p1, k1 for 12 sts.; k14 sts.; p1, k1 for 12 sts.

Row 14: k1, p1 for 11 sts.; p16 sts.; p1, k1 for 11 sts.

Row 15: p1, k1 for 10 sts.; k11; p1; k6; p1, k1 for 10 sts.

Row 16: k1, p1 for 9 sts.; p6; k1, p1; k1; p11; p1, k1 for 9 sts.

Row 17: p1, k1 for 8 sts.; k13; p1; k8; p1, k1 for 8 sts.

Row 18: k1, p1 for 7 sts.; p16; k1, p7; p1, k1 for 7 sts.

Row 19: p1, k1 for 6 sts.; k7; p1; k1; p1; k16; p1, k1 for 6 sts.

Row 20: k1, p1 for 5 sts.; p18; k1; p9; p1, k1 for 5 sts.

(Note: From this point on, the first and last five stitches are the seed stitch border. (B5) It might be helpful to place a marker for these stitches.)

Row 21: B5; k21; p1; k6; B5.

Row 22: B5; p5; k1; p1; k1; p14; k1; p5; B5.

Row 23: B5; k4; p1; k1; p1; k14; p1; k6; B5.

Row 24: B5; p20; k1; p2; k1; p4; B5.

Row 25: B5; k4; p1; k3; p1; k19; B5.

Row 26: B5; p18; k1; p4; k1; p4; B5.

Row 27: B5; k4; p1; k4; p1; k18; B5.

Row 28: B5; p12; k4; p1; k1; p4; k1; p5; B5.

Row 29: B5; k5; p1; k5; p1; k4; p1; k8; p1; k2; B5.

Row 30: B5; p1; k1; p1; k1; p6; k1; p11; k1; p5; B5.

Row 31: B5; k5; p2; k11; p1; k6; p1; k2; B5.

Row 32: B5; p8; k1; p9; k3; p7; B5.

Row 33: B5; k10; p1; k9; p1; k7; B5.

Row 34: B5; p6; k1; p10; k3; p5; k1; p2; B5.

Row 35: B5; k1; p1; k1; p1; k3; p1; k3; p1; k9; p1; k6; B5.

Row 36: B5; p6; k1; p8; k1; p5; k1; p3; k1; p2; B5.

Row 37: B5; k6; p1; k6; p1; k7; p1; k6; B5.

Row 38: B5; p6; k1; p15; k1; p5; B5.

Row 39: B5; k5; p1; k15; p1; k6; B5.

Row 40: B5; p7; k1; p15; k1; p4; B5.

Row 41: B5; k4; p1; k14; p2; k4; p1; k2; B5.

Row 42: B5; p1; k1; p1; k1; p4; k1; p5; k1; p8; k1; p4; B5.

Row 43: B5; k3; p1; k8; p1; k1; p1; k5; p1; k4; p1; k2; B5.

Row 44: B5; p6; k1; p5; k1; p3; k1; p3; k5; p3; B5.

Row 45: B5; k8; p3; k1; p1; k3; p1; k4; p1; k6; B5.

Row 46: B5; p5; k1; p5; k1; p4; k1; p11; B5.

Row 47: B5; k11; p1; k4; p1; k2; p1; k3; p1; k4; B5.

Row 48: B5; p4; k2; p5; k1; p5; k1; p10; B5.

Row 49: B5; k10; p1; k4; p1; k1; p1; k3; p1; k6; B5.

Row 50: B5; p7; k3; p2; k1; p4; k1; p3; k1; p6; B5.

Row 51: B5; k5; p1; k1; p1; k2; p1; k3; p1; k13; B5.

Row 52: B5; p13; k2; p2; k1; p3; k1; p6; B5.

Row 53: B5; k10; p3; k15; B5.

Row 54: B5; p5; k1; p11; k1; p10; B5.

Row 55: B5; k21; p1; k1; p1; k4; B5.

Row 56: B5; p5; k1; p18; k1; p3; B5.

Row 57: B5; k2; p1; k1; p1; k23; B5.

Row 58: B5; p24; k1; p3; B5.

Row 59: B5; k8; k1, p1 for 12 sts.; k8; B5.

Row 60: B5; p7 sts.; k1, p1 for 14 sts.; p7 sts.; B5.

Row 61: (right side) p1, k1, for 6 sts.; k5 sts.; k1, p1 for 16 sts.; k5 sts; p1, k1, for 6 sts.

Row 62: k1, p1, for 7 sts.; p3 sts.; k1, p1, for 18 sts.; p3 sts.; p1, k1, for 7 sts.

Row 63: p1, k1, across row.

Row 64: k1, p1 across row.

Shoulder shaping:

Row 65: p1, k1, for 13 sts.; bind off next 12 sts. knitwise; work remaining 12 sts. in seed stitch as established. You should have 13 sts. on each side. Place first 13 stitches on a holder and work on remaining 13 sts. as follows:

Work one row even in established seed stitch.

(Right side) Dec. 1 st. at neck edge every other row 2 times. (11 sts.)

Work one row even.

Dec. 1 st. at shoulder edge every other row until 5 sts. remain.

Work one row even.

(Right side) Dec. 1 st. at neck edge and 1 st. at shoulder edge. 3 sts.

Work one row even.

Slip these 3 sts. to a dpn and work an I-cord for approximately 12 inches. Fasten off and run end down through middle of I-cord.

Join yarn to neck edge and work remaining side to correspond to other side.