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# Difficulty: Intermediate

### Materials:

- ◆ 1 skein Bernat Softee Baby, [100% Acrylic; 455 yds/416m per 120 g skein]
- ◆ F (3.75mm) hook
- ♦ 4 1/2" buttons
- ♦ Yarn needle

Size: Fits 0-3 months, chest circumference approx. 17"

Gauge: 22 sts x 18 rows = 4" in patt

## Abbreviations:

ch = chain ch-sp = chain space inc = increase by working 2 sts in next st sc = single crochet sk = skip, do not work in st = stitch



#### **Directions**

Row 1: Ch 44. Sc in the 2nd ch from hook and each st across. (43 sc) Ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. (43 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Row 3: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1st st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains; sc in last st. Ch 1, turn.

Row 4: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 1, turn.

Rows 5-22: Repeat rows 3 and 4 alternately for

patt. Work should measure approximately 4 3/4" at this point.

Row 23: Ch 27 for a total of 28 ch. Sc in 2nd ch from hook. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st. (70 sts)

Row 24: Ch 28; sc in 2nd ch from hook. Sc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st. (97 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Row 25: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 1, turn.

Row 26: Sc in 1st st; sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st, ch 1, turn.

Rows 27-39: Repeat rows 25 and 26 alternately for patt.

Row 40: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 16 times for a total of 34 sts. Ch 1, turn. Row 41: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 1, turn.

Row 42: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 20.

Row 43: Sc in 2nd ch from hook. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across for a total of 53 sts. Ch 1, turn.

Row 44: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st, ch 1, turn.

Row 45: Sc in 1st st, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] acros. Ch 1, turn.

Rows 46-56: Repeat rows 44 and 45 alternately for patt.

Row 57: Sc in 1st st, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 13 times for a total of 27 sts. Ch 1, turn.

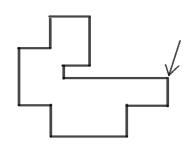
Row 58: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in next st, ch 1, turn.

Rows 59-78: Repeat rows 57 and 58 alternately for patt.

Row 79: Sc in each st across; finish off.

Front Panel: Join at

end of incomplete sleeve (Row 39) with a sl st; ch 1. Turn.



Row 1: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 16 times for a total of 34 sts. Ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 1, turn.

Row 3: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 20.

Row 4: Sc in 2nd ch from hook. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across for a total of 53 sts. Ch 1, turn.

Row 5: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st, ch 1, turn.

Row 6: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 1, turn.

Rows 5-17: Repeat rows 44 and 45 alternately for patt.

Row 18: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next chsp] 13 times for a total of 27 sts. Ch 1, turn.

Row 19: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in next st, ch 1, turn.

Rows 20-24: Repeat rows 18 and 19 alternately for patt.

Row 25: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 8 times. Sc in next st, ch 2, sk 2

sts. Sc in next 3 sts, ch 2, sk 2 sts. Sc in next st, ch 1, turn.

Row 26: Sc in 1st st, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across. Ch 1, turn.

Row 27: Sc in 1st st, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st, ch 1, turn.

Rows 28-30: Repeat rows 26 and 27 alternately for patt.

Row 31: Repeat row 25.

Rows 32-39: Repeat rows 26 and 27 alternately for patt.

Row 40: Sc in each st across; finish off.

#### Collar:

Row 1: To begin, ch 58; sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across. (57 sc) Ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] 6 time for at total of 13 sts. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] 13 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across. (59 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Row 3: Sc in 1st st, [sc in next st, ch 1, sk 1 st] 6 times. Sc in next st, sc inc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 14 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st. (61 sts) Ch 1, turn. Row 4: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 6 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] 15 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across. (63 sts) Ch 1, turn. Row 5: Sc in 1st st, [sc in next st, ch 1, sk 1 st] 6 times. Sc in next st, sc inc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 16 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc, sc in ch-sp. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across until 1 st remains. Sc in last st. (65 sts) Ch 1, turn. Row 6: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 6 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1

Row 6: Sc in 1st st. [Ch 1,sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 6 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc in next st. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] 17 times. Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc inc. [Ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across. (67 sts) Finish off.

## Assembly:

- 1. With right sides together, whipstitch sleeve and side seams. Weave ends, turn work right side out.
- 2. Sew collar to sweater as pictured so that seam lays flat. Row 1 of the collar should be the side that touches the sweater; be careful to align center section of collar with the back of the neck.
- 3. Sew buttons to sweater as pictured, being careful that they align properly with the buttonholes.