

Daisy Sleep CapDesign by: Amanda Morse

Materials: appx 90-250yd dk weight yarn (I used Plymouth angora) and 20 or so yds of lace weight mohair (I used Rowan kidsilk haze), size 6 (4mm) dpn or size needed to obtain gauge), 4mm crochet hook for the crochet edge

Gauge: appx 5sts/inch Gauge is very important!

Sizes (appx finished head circumference): newborn (13ins), 0-3mths (14 ins), 3-6mths (15ins), 6-12mths (16.5ins)

Stitch Key

K - knit p - purl w - wrap sl - slip K2tog - knit 2 stitches together p2tog - purl 2 stitches together Yo- yarn over sc - single crochet dc - double crochet

NEWBORN

Cast on 66 stitches in your dk weight yarn. Join in the round.

Work 3/4in of stockinette stitch.

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up mohair yarn.

LACE PANEL

Round 1 - knit across

Round 2 - [p5 wrapping your yarn 3 times with each st, p1] repeat [to] across

Round 3 - [yarn back, sl purlwise into the first wrap of each of the next 5 sts, wrap your yarn around these 5 stitches twice back to front (picture tutorial at the end of pattern), p1] repeat [to] across

Round 4 - purl across

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up dk yarn.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 3ins from cast on edge.

DECREASES

Round 1 - [k2tog, k9] repeat [to] across (60st)

Round 2-6 - knit around

Round 7 - [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] across (54st)

Round 8-12 - knit around

Round 13 - [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] across (48st)

Round 14-18 - knit around

Round 19 - [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] across (42st)

Round 20-24 - knit around

Round 25 - [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] across (36st)

Round 26-30 - knit around

Round 31 -[k2tog, k4] repeat [to] across (30st)

Round 32-36 - knit around

Round 37 - [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] across (24st)

Round 38-42 - knit around

Round 43 - [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] across (18st)

Round 44-48 - knit around

Round 49 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] across (12st)

Knit for a further 4ins. Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches top stitches together tightly. Tie a knot in the top.

EDGE

0-3 MONTHS

Cast on 70 stitches in your dk weight yarn. Join in the round.

Work 3/4in of stockinette stitch.

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up mohair yarn.

LACE PANEL

Round 1 - knit across

Round 2 - [p6 wrapping your yarn 3 times with each st, p1] repeat [to] across

Round 3 - [yarn back, sl purlwise into the first wrap of each of the next 6 sts, wrap your yarn around these 6 stitches twice back to front (picture tutorial at the end of pattern), p1] repeat [to] across

Round 4 - purl across

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up dk yarn.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 3.5ins from cast on edge.

DECREASES

Round 1 - [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] across (63st)

Round 2-7 - knit around

Round 8 - [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] across (56st)

Round 9-14 - knit around

Round 15 - [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] across (49st)

Round 16-21 - knit around

Round 22 - [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] across (42st)

Round 23-28 - knit around

Round 29 -[k2tog, k4] repeat [to] across (35st)

Round 30-35 - knit around

Round 36 - [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] across (28st)

Round 37-42 - knit around

Round 43 - [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] across (21st)

Round 44-49 - knit around

Round 50 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] across (14st)

Knit for a further 4ins. Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches top stitches together tightly. Tie a knot in the top.

EDGE

3-6 MONTHS

Cast on 77 stitches in your dk weight yarn. Join in the round.

Work 3/4in of stockinette stitch.

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up mohair yarn.

LACE PANEL

Round 1 - knit across

Round 2 - [p6 wrapping your yarn 3 times with each st, p1] repeat [to] across

Round 3 - [yarn back, sl purlwise into the first wrap of each of the next 6 sts, wrap your yarn around these 6 stitches twice back to front (picture tutorial at the end of pattern), p1] repeat [to] across

Round 4 - purl across

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up dk yarn.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 4ins from cast on edge.

DECREASES

Round 1 - [k2tog, k9] repeat [to] across (70st)

Round 2-6 - knit around

Round 7 - [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] across (63st)

Round 8-12 - knit around

Round 13 - [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] across (56st)

Round 14-18 - knit around

Round 19 - [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] across (49st)

Round 20-24 - knit around

Round 25 - [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] across (42st)

Round 26-30 - knit around

Round 31 -[k2tog, k4] repeat [to] across (35st)

Round 32-36 - knit around

Round 37 - [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] across (28st)

Round 38-42- knit around

Round 43 - [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] across (21st)

Round 44-48 - knit around

Round 49 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] across (14st)

Knit for a further 4ins. Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches top stitches together tightly. Tie a knot in the top.

EDGE

6-12 MONTHS

Cast on 84 stitches in your dk weight yarn. Join in the round.

Work 1in of stockinette stitch.

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up mohair yarn.

LACE PANEL

Round 1 - knit across

Round 2 - [p5 wrapping your yarn 3 times with each st, p1] repeat [to] across

Round 3 - [yarn back, sl purlwise into the first wrap of each of the next 5 sts, wrap your yarn around these 5 stitches twice back to front (picture tutorial at the end of pattern), p1] repeat [to] across

Round 4 - purl across

Cut yarn (leaving enough to weave in ends) and pick up dk yarn.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 4.5ins from cast on edge.

DECREASES

Round 1 - [k2tog, k19] repeat [to] across (80sts)

Round 2-7 - knit around

Round 8 - [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] across (63st)

Round 9-14 - knit around

Round 15 - [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] across (56st)

Round 16-21 - knit around

Round 22 - [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] across (49st)

Round 23-28 - knit around

Round 29 - [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] across (42st)

Round 30-35 - knit around

Round 36 -[k2tog, k4] repeat [to] across (35st)

Round 37-42 - knit around

Round 43 - [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] across (28st)

Round 44-49 - knit around

Round 50 - [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] across (21st)

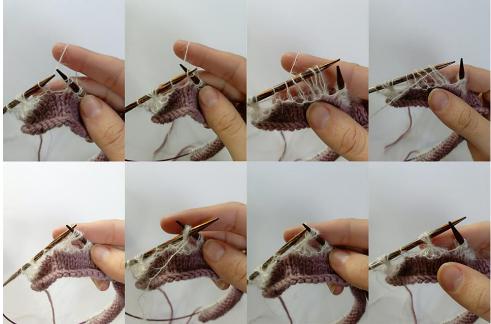
Round 51-56 - knit around

Round 57 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] across (14st)

Knit for a further 4ins. Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches top stitches together tightly. Tie a knot in the top.

EDGE

ROUND 3 TUTORIAL LEFT HANDED



RIGHT HANDED



NOTE: THIS TUTORIAL SHOWS THE 5 STICH DAISY STITCH. SOME SIZES US A 6 STITCH DAISY STITCH. BE SURE YOU ARE USING THE RIGHT NUMBER OF STITCHES FOR YOUR SIZE.

Place your yarn to the back. Slip the first wrap only from the 5 3wrapped stitches from Round 2 purlwise (making a long stitch). Now wrap your yarn around the post of those long stitches twice, back to front. You will need to move your stitches from holding needle to working needle as you do this. Or you could cheat and place these 5 long stitched on a safety pin, stitch marker or cable needle and wrap around them. Your daisy is now formed. Bring your yarn to the front to purl your next stitch.

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