

# Ruffle Shorts Pattern by: Amanda Morse

Materials: 1 skein of Paton Lace (size 2), and size 9 (5.5mm) needles, size e (3.5mm) crochet hook (or 2 yards of lace edging of choice)

Gauge: 3.5sts/ins (gauge is very important)

(knitting abbreviations) K – knit yo – yarn over ssk – slip slip knit (slip sts purlwise) psso – pass slipped stitch over (crochet abbreviations) sl – slip st dc – double chain

P – purl k2tog – knit 2 together sl – slip st knitwise

ch – chain sc – single chain

Waist Circumference: nb (13ins). 0-3mths (14ins), 3-6mth (15ins), 6-12mths (16ins), toddler (17ins)

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# Newborn

Cast on 44sts. Join in the round. Place marker at beginning of round. Work in a k1p1 ribbing (k1p1 around on each round) for 6 rounds Work in stockinette st for 3 rounds.

Ridge Round: p13, k19, p12

knit 3 rounds

Work (1 ridge round, 3 rounds knit) until you have a totally of 5 ridge rounds.

Work a short round as follows – knit 12, yo, turn your work, purl 23, yo, turn your work, knit to first yo, knit yo and next st together, knit to 1st before next yo, ssk using your yo as the second knit sts in the ssk, work to the end of the round.

Knit 1 round

Work a short round.

Continue working in stockinette st until work measures appx 5ins from cast on edge.

## Gusset

Round 1: [place marker m1 k1 m1 place marker (the stitches between these markers are

your gusset stitches) k21] repeat once more (48sts) the

Round 2: knit around

Cut yarn leaving appx 8-10ins. Slip the last 21sts you worked onto a st holder or scrap piece of yarn. Kitchener st the gusset stitches from the front and back together.(tutorial at the end of pattern)

#### Legs

Round 1 – knit 21sts, pick up 1st on the gusset (22sts)

Work in k1p1 for 6rounds.

Bind off using your favorite stretchy bind off.

Pick up the 21sts on your stitch holder and repeat from round 1 of legs.

#### Ruffles

You can simply sew a piece of lace on each set of ridges or crochet as follows: Row 1: [ch1 (sc, ch2, dc2)] all in the first st of the ridge row. Work in every other ridge st.

Repeat on the next ridge row.

## 0-3MTHS

Cast on 48sts. Join in the round. Place marker at beginning of round. Work in a k1p1 ribbing (k1p1 around on each round) for 6 rounds Work in stockinette st for 4 rounds.

Ridge Round: p14, k21, p13

knit 3 rounds

Work (1 ridge round, 3 rounds knit) until you have a totally of 5 ridge rounds.

Work a short round as follows – knit 13, yo, turn your work, purl 25, yo, turn your work, knit to first yo, knit yo and next st together, knit to 1st before next yo, ssk using your yo as the second knit sts in the ssk, work to the end of the round.

Knit 1 round

Work a short round.

Continue working in stockinette st until work measures appx 5.5ins from cast on edge.

### Gusset

Round 1: [place marker m1 k1 m1 place marker (the stitches between these markers are

your gusset stitches) k23] repeat once more (52sts) the

Round 2: knit around

Cut yarn leaving appx 8-10ins. Slip the last 23sts you worked onto a st holder or scrap piece of yarn. Kitchener st the gusset stitches from the front and back together.(tutorial at the end of pattern)

#### Legs

Round 1 – knit 23sts, pick up 1st on the gusset (24sts)

Work in k1p1 for 6rounds.

Bind off using your favorite stretchy bind off.

Pick up the 23sts on your stitch holder and repeat from round 1 of legs. **Ruffles** 

You can simply sew a piece of lace on each set of ridges or crochet as follows:

Row 1: [ch1 (sc, ch2, dc2)] all in the first st of the ridge row. Work in every other ridge st.

Repeat on the next ridge row.

## 3-6MTHS

Cast on 52sts. Join in the round. Place marker at beginning of round. Work in a k1p1 ribbing (k1p1 around on each round) for 7 rounds Work in stockinette st for 4 rounds.

Ridge Round: p15, k23, p14

knit 3 rounds

Work (1 ridge round, 3 rounds knit) until you have a totally of 5 ridge rounds.

Work a short round as follows – knit 14, yo, turn your work, purl 27, yo, turn your work, knit to first yo, knit yo and next st together, knit to 1st before next yo, ssk using your yo as the second knit sts in the ssk, work to the end of the round.

Knit 1 round

Work a short round.

Continue working in stockinette st until work measures appx 6ins from cast on edge.

## Gusset

Round 1: [place marker m1 k1 m1 place marker (the stitches between these markers are

your gusset stitches) k25] repeat once more (56sts) the

Round 2: knit around

Cut yarn leaving appx 8-10ins. Slip the last 25sts you worked onto a st holder or scrap piece of yarn. Kitchener st the gusset stitches from the front and back together.(tutorial at the end of pattern)

#### Legs

Round 1 – knit 25sts, pick up 1st on the gusset (26sts)

Work in k1p1 for 7rounds.

Bind off using your favorite stretchy bind off.

Pick up the 25sts on your stitch holder and repeat from round 1 of legs. **Ruffles** 

You can simply sew a piece of lace on each set of ridges or crochet as follows:

Row 1: [ch1 (sc, ch2, dc2)] all in the first st of the ridge row. Work in every other ridge st.

Repeat on the next ridge row.

## 6-12MTHS

Cast on 56sts. Join in the round. Place marker at beginning of round. Work in a k1p1 ribbing (k1p1 around on each round) for 7 rounds Work in stockinette st for 5 rounds.

Ridge Round: p16, k25, p15

knit 3 rounds

Work (1 ridge round, 3 rounds knit) until you have a totally of 6 ridge rounds.

Work a short round as follows – knit 15, yo, turn your work, purl 29, yo, turn your work, knit to first yo, knit yo and next st together, knit to 1st before next yo, ssk using your yo as the second knit sts in the ssk, work to the end of the round.

Knit 1 round

Work a short round.

Continue working in stockinette st until work measures appx 6.5ins from cast on edge.

### Gusset

Round 1: [place marker m1 k1 m1 place marker (the stitches between these markers are

your gusset stitches) k27] repeat once more (60sts) the

Round 2: knit around

Cut yarn leaving appx 8-10ins. Slip the last 27sts you worked onto a st holder or scrap piece of yarn. Kitchener st the gusset stitches from the front and back together.(tutorial at the end of pattern)

#### Legs

Round 1 – knit 27sts, pick up 1st on the gusset (28sts)

Work in k1p1 for 7rounds.

Bind off using your favorite stretchy bind off.

Pick up the 27sts on your stitch holder and repeat from round 1 of legs. **Ruffles** 

You can simply sew a piece of lace on each set of ridges or crochet as follows:

Row 1: [ch1 (sc, ch2, dc2)] all in the first st of the ridge row. Work in every other ridge st.

Repeat on the next ridge row.

# TODDLER

Cast on 60sts. Join in the round. Place marker at beginning of round. Work in a k1p1 ribbing (k1p1 around on each round) for 8 rounds Work in stockinette st for 5 rounds.

Ridge Round: p17, k27, p16

knit 3 rounds

Work (1 ridge round, 3 rounds knit) until you have a totally of 6 ridge rounds.

Work a short round as follows – knit 16, yo, turn your work, purl 31, yo, turn your work, knit to first yo, knit yo and next st together, knit to 1st before next yo, ssk using your yo as the second knit sts in the ssk, work to the end of the round.

Knit 1 round

Work a short round.

Continue working in stockinette st until work measures appx 7ins from cast on edge.

## Gusset

Round 1: [place marker m1 k1 m1 place marker (the stitches between these markers are

your gusset stitches) k29] repeat once more (64sts) the

Round 2: knit around

Cut yarn leaving appx 8-10ins. Slip the last 29sts you worked onto a st holder or scrap piece of yarn. Kitchener st the gusset stitches from the front and back together.(tutorial at the end of pattern)

## Legs

Round 1 – knit 29sts, pick up 1st on the gusset (30sts)

Work in k1p1 for 8rounds.

Bind off using your favorite stretchy bind off.

Pick up the 29sts on your stitch holder and repeat from round 1 of legs. **Ruffles** 

You can simply sew a piece of lace on each set of ridges or crochet as follows:

Row 1: [ch1 (sc, ch2, dc2)] all in the first st of the ridge row. Work in every other ridge st.

Repeat on the next ridge row.

**Kitchener Stitch -** Hold the two pieces of knitting parallel to one another with the wrong sides facing. Thread the working yarn with a yarn needle. \*Insert the yarn needle knitwise into the first stitch on the front knitting needle. Draw through the stitch and slip the stitch off of the front needle. Insert the yarn needle purlwise into the next stitch on the front knitting needle. Draw through the stitch. Leave the stitch on the needle. Insert the yarn needle purlwise into the needle. Insert the stitch on the stitch and slip the stitch off of the first stitch off of the first stitch on the back knitting needle. Draw through the stitch on the needle. Insert the yarn needle purlwise into the first stitch on the back knitting needle. Draw through the stitch and slip the stitch off of the back needle. Insert the yarn needle knitwise into the next stitch on the back knitting needle. Draw through the stitch. Leave the stitch on the needle. Repeat these steps beginning at the \* until all of your stitches have been grafted together.



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