

FROGGY

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Pattern #55654



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Approximately 11.5" tall including legs, 12.5" around the middle $\,$

YARN

Knit Picks Shine Worsted (60% Pima Cotton, 40% Modal; 75 yards/50g): Peapod 25359, 2 balls.

NEEDLES

US 4 (3.5mm) DPNs, or size to obtain gauge

NOTIONS

Yarn Needle Locking Stitch Markers Stitch Holder Stuffing Scrap of black yarn or embroidery thread

GAUGE

23 sts and 31 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch worked in the round, blocked.



Froggy

Notes: The frog body and head are worked in one piece from the bottom up. The arms, legs and eyes are worked separately and then sewn on. All pieces are worked in the round.

Stockinette stitch

(worked in the round over any number of sts)

All Rounds: Knit

I-Cord

*Knit a row. Slide row to other end of needle without turning work. Pull yarn firmly and repeat from *, creating a tube.

DIRECTIONS

Frog Body

CO 9 sts evenly across three DPNs. Place marker and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts.

Rnd 1 and all odd numbered rnds: K to end.

Rnd 2: KFB to end. 18 sts.

Rnd 4: (K1, KFB) to end. 27 sts

Rnd 6: (K2, KFB) to end. 36 sts.

Rnd 8: (K3, KFB) to end. 45 sts.

Rnd 10: (K4, KFB) to end. 54 sts.

Place a removable marker at end of last round, knit until piece measures 3" from marker. Using yarn needle and CO tail, sew up the bottom of the body, remove marker. Weave in end.



Neck Shaping:

Rnd 1: (K4, K2tog) to end. 45 sts.

Rnds 2, 4, 6, 8: K to end.

Rnd 3: (K3, K2tog) to end. 36 sts.

Rnd 5: (K2, K2tog) to end. 27 sts.

Rnd 7: (K1, K2tog) to end. 18 sts.

Rnd 9: (K1, KFB) to end. 27 sts.

Rnd 10: (K2, KFB) to end. 36 sts.

Rnd 11: Repeat rnd 2.

Rnd 12: (K3, KFB) to end. 45 sts.

Place a removable marker at last st of last round, knit until piece measures 2" from marker. Remove marker.

Decrease Rounds:

Rnd 1: (K3, K2tog) to end. 36 sts.

Rnd 2: K to end.

Rnd 3: (K2, K2tog) to end. 27 sts.

Rnd 4: Repeat rnd 2. Stuff body and head.

Rnd 5: (K1, K2tog) to end. 18 sts.

Rnd 6: Repeat rnd 2.

Rnd 7: K2tog to end. 9 sts.

Add final stuffing. Cut yarn. Using yarn needle, pull tail through remaining sts. Weave in end.

Arms (Make Two)

CO 9 sts evenly across three DPNs. Place marker and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts.

Knit until piece measures 3" from CO edge.

BO 3 sts, K1, place last 4 sts on holder. 2 sts on needle, 4 sts on holder.



Fingers:

First Finger:

Work 3 rows of I-Cord.

Next Row: KFB twice, cut yarn leaving a 30" tail. Using yarn needle, pull yarn through the 4 sts on the needle. Place yarn needle down through the middle of the I-Cord just worked so that the tail comes out to the right of the held sts. Pull yarn through making sure not to pull too tightly.

Second Finger:

Using the tail, K2 held sts, leave remaining 2 sts on holder. Work 3 rows of I-Cord.

Next Row: KFB twice. Using yarn needle, pull yarn through the 4 sts on the needle. Place yarn needle down through the middle of the I-Cord just worked so that it comes out to the right of the held sts. Pull yarn through making sure not to pull too tightly.

Third Finger:

Using the tail, K last 2 held sts.

Work 3 rows of I-Cord.

Next Row: KFB twice. Using yarn needle, pull yarn through remaining sts. Place yarn needle down through the middle of the I-Cord just worked. Pull yarn through making sure not to pull too tightly.

Use tail to sew the bottoms of the fingers to the BO edge. Weave in end.

Legs (Make Two)

CO 12 sts evenly across three DPNs. Place marker and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts.

Knit until piece measures 4" from CO edge.

BO 6 sts, K1, place last 4 sts on holder. 2 sts on needle, 4 sts on holder.

Toes:

Work as for Fingers.

Eyes (Make Two)

CO 15 sts evenly across three DPNs. Place marker and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts.

Knit 5 rnds.

Next Rnd: (SSK, K1, K2tog) three times. 9 sts.

Cut yarn and pull through remaining sts.

Finishing

Lightly stuff the arms and legs and sew them securely to the body. Sew the eyes to the top of the head, adding a small amount of stuffing before finishing. Using black yarn, embroider eyes and mouth. Weave in all ends.



About the Designer

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Abbrev	iations	СО	cast on	PU	pick up		dec
7 (55) 6 (16) 6		cont	continue	P, p	purl	skp	sl, k, psso: 1 st dec
"	inches	dec	decrease(es)	p2tog	purl 2 sts together	sl	slip
()	rep inst bet ()'s as many	DPN(s)	double pointed needle(s)	pat	pattern	sl st	slip stitch(es)
	times as noted afterward	EOR	every other row	pm	place marker	sm	slip marker
*	rep inst foll single * as	inc	increase	рор	popcorn	ssk	sl, sl, k these 2 sts tog
	directed	inst	instructions	pr	previous row	sssk	sl, sl, sl, k these 3 sts tog
* *	rep inst bet * *'s as many	K, k	knit	prev	previous	St st	stockinette stitch
	times as noted after	K1-b	knit 1 st tbl	psso	pass slipped stitch over	st(s)	stitch(es)
[]	rep inst bet []'s as many	k2tog	knit two sts together	pwise	purlwise	tbl	through back loop
	times as noted after	KFB	knit into the front and	R	row	tfl	through front loop
alt	alternate		back of stitch	rem	remain(ing)	tog	together
approx	approximately	kwise	knitwise	rep	repeat	w&t	wrap & turn (see specific
beg	begin/beginning	LH	left hand	Rev st st	reverse stockinette stitch		instructions in pattern)
bet	between	M1	make one stitch	RH	right hand	WE	work even
во	bind off	M1L	make a left-leaning st	rnd(s)	round(s)	WS	wrong side
СС	contrast color	M1R	make a right-leaning st	RS	right side	wyib	with yarn in back
cm	centimeter(s)	MC	main color	sk	skip	wyif	with yarn in front
cn	cable needle	mm	millimeter(s)	sk2p	sl 1, k2tog, pass slipped	yd(s)	yard(s)
					stitch over k2tog: 2 sts	уо	yarn over