

Sleepy Dog



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Finished size: 18cm

Tools

- [3.5 mm Bamboo Knitting Needles Takumi Single Pointed \(23 cm\) \(Art No. 3707\)](#)



- [Gold Eye Chenille Needle \(No. 18\) \(Art No. 234/18\)](#)



- [Patchwork Scissors\(Mini\) \(493/CW\)](#)



Materials

- [A] 25g sandy brown DK
- [B] 10g brown DK
- [C] A small amount of dark brown DK
- Toy stuffing

Yarn used

- Deramores Studio DK in
[A] Latte 70060
[B] Gingerbread 70022
[C] Amethyst 70047

- DK (8-ply) weight, 100b per 250m
100%Anti-Piling Acrylic

Tension

24 sts and 32 rows for a 10 x 10 cm tension square (not essential).

Practical tips

- Leave long ends at the beginning and end for sewing.
- Sew seam with RS facing, using mattress stitch.



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Abbreviations

RS: right side

WS: wrong side

St st: stocking stitch

St(s): stitch(es)

K: knit

P: purl

Kfb: k one through the front then through the back (same stitch)

K2tog: knit two together

P2tog: purl two together

Knitting instructions

Head (started from front and finished at the back of head)

With yarn A, cast on 10 sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Row 2: [Kfb] 10 times. 20 sts

Row 3 and every WS row: Purl.

Row 4: [K1, kfb] 10 times. 30 sts

Row 6: [K2, kfb] 10 times. 40 sts

Rows 7-21: Starting with a p row, work 15 rows in St st.

Row 22: [K2, k2tog] 10 times. 30 sts

Row 24: [K1, k2tog] 10 times. 20 sts

Row 26: [K2tog] 10 times. 10 sts

Break yarn, thread through sts, pull tightly and fasten off.

Muzzle

With yarn A, cast on 40 sts.

Rows 1-11: Starting with a p (WS) row, work 11 rows in St st.

Row 12: [K2, k2tog] 10 times. 30 sts

Row 13: Purl.

Row 14: [K1, k2tog] 10 times. 20 sts

Row 15: Purl.

Row 16: [K2tog] 10 times. 10 sts

Break yarn, thread through sts, pull tightly and fasten off.

Body

With yarn A, cast on 10 sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Row 2: [Kfb] 10 times. 20 sts

Row 3 and every WS row: Purl.

Row 4: [K1, kfb] 10 times. 30 sts

Row 6: [K2, kfb] 10 times. 40 sts

Row 8: [K3, kfb] 10 times. 50 sts

Rows 9-25: Starting with a p row, work 17 rows in St st.

Row 26: [K3, k2tog] 10 times. 40 sts

Rows 27-31: Starting with a p row, work 5 rows in St st.

Row 32: [K2, k2tog] 10 times. 30 sts

Rows 33-43: Starting with a p row, work 11 rows in St st.

KRow 44: [k1, k2tog] 10 times. 20 sts

Cast off.



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Ears: make two

With yarn B, cast on 12 sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Row 2: [K1, kfb] 6 times. 18 sts

Row 3: Purl.

Row 4: [K2, kfb] 6 times. 24 sts

Rows 5-11: Starting with a p row, work 7 rows in St st.

Row 12: [K2, k2tog] 6 times. 18 sts

Rows 13-15: Starting with a p row, work 3 rows in St st.

Row 16: [K1, k2tog] 6 times. 12 sts

Row 17: Purl.

Cast off.

Front legs: make two

With yarn A, cast on 10 sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Row 2: [Kfb] 10 times. 20 sts

Rows 3-9: Starting with a p row, work 7 rows in St st.

Row 10: K6, [k2tog] 4 times, k6. 16 sts

Row 11: Purl.

Row 12: K6, [k2tog] twice, k6. 14 sts

Rows 13-17: Starting with a p row, work 5 rows in St st.

Cast off.

Back legs: make two

With yarn A, cast on 11 sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Row 2: [Kfb] 11 times. 22 sts

Rows 3-9: Starting with a p row, work 7 rows in St st.

Row 10: K7, [k2tog] 4 times, k7. 18 sts

Row 11: Purl.

Row 12: K7, [k2tog] twice, k7. 16 sts

Rows 13-17: Starting with a p row, work 5 rows in St st.

Cast off.

Tail

With yarn B, cast on 14 sts.

Rows 1-5: Starting with a p (WS) row, work 5 rows in St st.

Row 6: K2tog, k to last 2 sts, k2tog. 12 sts

Row 7: P2tog, p to last 2 sts, p2tog. 10 sts

Rows 8-9: Repeat rows 6-7. 6 sts

Row 10: K2tog, k2, k2tog. 4 sts

Row 11: [P2tog] twice. 2 sts

Break yarn, thread through sts, pull tightly and fasten off.

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Nose

With yarn B, cast on 6 sts.

Row 1(WS): Purl.

Row 2: [Kfb] 6 times. 12 sts

Row 3: Purl.

Row 4: [K2tog] 6 times. 6 sts

Break yarn, thread through sts, pull tightly and fasten off.

To make up

With cast-on yarn end of body, work a gathering thread along cast-on edge and draw tightly. Sew seam to neck and stuff. Keep neck end open. Seam each leg and stuff. Attach cast-off edge of front leg to the neck opening of the body. Attach back legs. Seam, stuff tail and attach it to body. With fastened-off yarn end of head, sew seam half way. With cast-on yarn end, work a gathering thread along cast-on edge and draw tightly. Sew up head a little further, stuff, and close seam. With fastened-off yarn end, sew muzzle seam to cast-off edge. Insert stuffing to muzzle and sew muzzle to the front of head. Seam each ear without stuffing and attach ears to head. Seam and stuff nose. Attach nose to muzzle. With yarn D, embroider eyes and mouth. Add French knots to the muzzle. Sew head to body.