

*My angry cat.*

# Labby

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Knitting pattern by **Cheryx**

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## Needles

- Two pair of 3mm (US 3) straight knitting needles

## Materials

- Toy filling (less than 50g)
- Tapestry needle
- Pins
- Cable needle (or holder needle)
- 2 beads - for the eyes ( 12mm)

## Yarns

*Less than 25g in each colour:*

- Patons Canadiana



White 34 (**Yarn A**)

- Jeans - Yarn Art



Gray 46 (**Yarn B**)



Blue 68 (**Yarn C**)



Yellow 84 (**Yarn D**)



## Notes

- **Finished size:** The finished Cat is 25cm tall
- **Gauge:** 20 sts and 26 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stockinette stitch . Don't worry too much about tension for this pattern.
- **Work flat:** All pieces are knitted flat (back and forth) on a pair of straight knitting needles.
- **Casting on:** Unless otherwise specified, I prefer to use the long tail cast on for all pieces.
- **Sewing seams:** Use mattress stitch and Whipstitching to sew the seams.
- **Safety:** If you are making these toys to give to a child, please consider your choice of toy eyes carefully, and ensure you have no loose parts (loose threads, buttons, etc) which can be potential

## Abbreviations

<b>K</b>	Knit	<b>st(s)</b>	Stitch(es)
<b>P</b>	Purl	<b>rep</b>	Repeat
<b>K2tog</b>	<i>Decrease:</i> Knit two stitches together	<b>Stocking Stitch (St st)</b>	Knit all stitches on right side rows, purl all stitches on wrong side rows
<b>Kfb</b>	<i>Increase:</i> Knit into the front and back of the next stitch	<b>(..sts)</b>	The number in round brackets at the end of the instruction indicates the number of stitches after working the row.
<b>SSK</b>	<i>Decrease:</i> Slip a stitch (as if to knit it) to the right-hand needle, slip a second stitch in the same way, slip both stitches together back to the left-hand needle and knit together through the back loops.	<b>[...]</b>	Repeat the sequence between the square brackets by the number indicated.
<b>Yo</b>	<i>yarn over</i> , wrap yarn around the right-hand needle from back to front before knitting the next stitch		

## Knitting patterns

### EYELIDS (make 2 the same):

#### Cast on 3 sts in white (yarn A)

<b>Row 1:</b> P3	(3 sts)
<b>Row 2:</b> KFB, K1, KFB	(5 sts)
<b>Row 3:</b> P5	(5 sts)
<b>Row 4:</b> KFB, K3, KFB	(7 sts)
<b>Row 5:</b> Cast off 1 stitch, P5	(6 sts)

**Row 6:** Cast off 1 stitch and then transfer the stitch which just cast off, from right needle to the left needle. (fig.1 - fig.2)

Then we'll have 5 stitches on the left needle to knit later.

Knit the second eyelid in the same way. (fig.3)

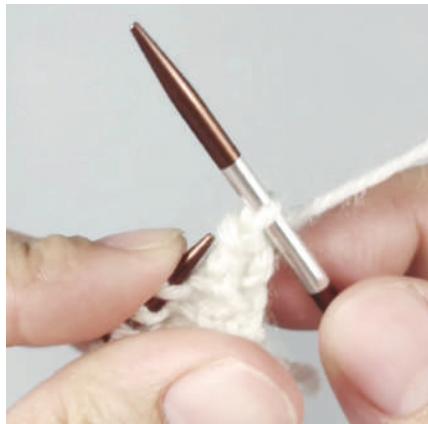


fig.1



fig.2



fig.3

Then put the eyelids to one side for moment. We will continue knitting it later (*in Row 23 of "Head and Body"*). If you don't have enough knitting needles, you can transfer 5 stitches onto a cable needle or holder needle.

## HEAD & BODY (make 1)

**Start on the top of the head.**

**Cast on 8 sts in white (yarn A), leaving a long tail for sewing.**

<b>Row 1:</b> K1, KFB x6, K1	(14 sts)		
<b>Row 2:</b> P14	(14 sts)	<b>Row 9:</b> K1, [K4, KFB] x6, K1	(38 sts)
<b>Row 3:</b> K1, [K1, KFB] x6, K1	(20 sts)	<b>Row 10:</b> P38	(38 sts)
<b>Row 4:</b> P20	(20 sts)	<b>Row 11:</b> K1, [K5, KFB] x6, K1	(44 sts)
<b>Row 5:</b> K1, [K2, KFB] x6, K1	(26 sts)	<b>Row 12:</b> P44	(44 sts)
<b>Row 6:</b> P26	(26 sts)	<b>Row 13:</b> K1, [K6, KFB] x6, K1	(50 sts)
<b>Row 7:</b> K1, [K3, KFB] x6, K1	(32 sts)	<b>Row 14 – Row 21:</b> Beginning with Purl	
<b>Row 8:</b> P32	(32 sts)	row, work 8 rows of stocking stitch(50 sts)	

**Row 22:** P18, cast off 5 sts (*there should be left 26 stitches on the left needle still to work*), P3, cast off 5 sts (*there should be left 17 stitches on the left needle still to work*), P17 (40 sts) (fig.4)



fig.4

**Row 23:** K18, continue knitting 5 sts of the first eyelid (fig.5-fig.7), K4, knit 5 sts of the second eyelid (fig.8-fig.9), K18 (50 sts)



fig.5



fig.6



fig.7



fig.8



fig.9

**Row 24 – Row 34:** Beginning with Purl row, work 11 rows of stocking stitch (50 sts)

**Row 35:** K1, [K10, K2tog] x4, K1 (46 sts)

**Row 36:** P46 (46 sts)

**Row 37:** K1, [K9, K2tog] x4, K1 (42 sts)

<b>Row 38 – Row 40:</b> St st	(42 sts)
<b>Row 41:</b> K1, [K9, KFB] x4, K1	(46 sts)
<b>Row 42 – Row 44:</b> St st	( 46 sts)
<b>Row 45:</b> K1, [K10, KFB] x4, K1	(50 sts)
<b>Row 46:</b> P50	(50 sts)
<b>Row 47:</b> K1, [K11, KFB] x4, K1	(54 sts)
<b>Row 48 – Row 54:</b> St st	(54 sts)
<b>Row 55:</b> K1, [K12, KFB] x4, K1	(58 sts)
<b>Row 56- Row 60:</b> St st	(58 sts)
<b>Row 61:</b> K1, [K13, KFB] x4, K1	(62 sts)
<b>Row 62- Row 74:</b> St st	(62 sts)
<b>Row 75:</b> K1, [K13, K2tog] x4, K1	(58 sts)
<b>Row 76:</b> P58	(58 sts)

**Row 77:** Cast off 4 stitches (*there should be left 53 stitches on the left needle still to work*), K8, SSK, K2tog, K9, cast off 6 stitches (*there should be left 25 stitches on the left needle still to work*), K8, SSK, K2tog, K9, cast off remaining stitches. (40sts)

Leaving a long tail for sewing and cut off the yarn. Thread this tail through the last stitch and pull up tightly.

## LEGS

We have 20 stitches to knit left leg and 20 stitches to knit right leg.(fig.10)

Transfer 20 sts of the left leg to a holder to knit later. We'll start knitting 20 stitches of the right leg first.

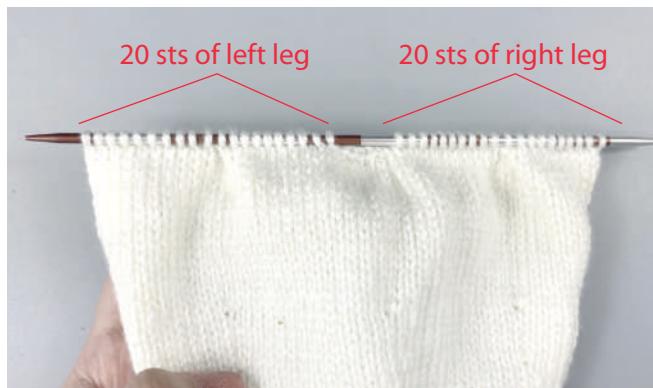


fig.10



fig.11

**Row 78:** K8, SSK, K2tog, K8 (18 sts)

**Row 79- Row 81:** St st (18 sts)

**Row 82:** K7, SSK, K2tog, K7 (16 sts)

**Row 83- Row 85:** St st (16 sts)

**Row 86:** K6, SSK, K2tog, K6 (14 sts)

**Row 87:** P14 (14 sts)

Cast off all stitches, leaving a long tail for sewing and cut yarn.

Knit the second leg in the same way. (fig.11-fig.12)



fig.12

## ARMS (make 2 the same)

**Cast on 16 sts in white. (yarn A)**

**Row 1:** K16 (16 sts)

**Row 2:** P16 (16 sts)

**Row 3- Row 20:** St st (16 sts)

**Row 21:** K2tog x8 (8 sts)

Leaving a long tail for sewing and cut off the yarn. Use the tapestry needle to thread this tail through the remaining 8 stitches and pull up tightly. (fig.13- fig.16)



fig.13



fig.14

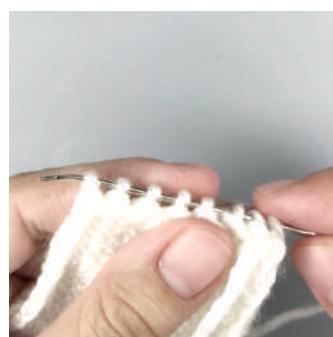


fig.15



fig.16

## EARs (make 4 the same)

**Cast on 10 sts in white.(yarn A)**

**Row 1:** P10 (10 sts)

<b>Row 2:</b> K10	(10 sts)
<b>Row 3:</b> P10	(10 sts)
<b>Row 4:</b> K1, SSK, K4, K2tog, K1	(8 sts)
<b>Row 5:</b> P8	(8 sts)
<b>Row 6:</b> K1, SSK, K2, K2tog, K1	(6 sts)
<b>Row 7:</b> P6	(6 sts)
<b>Row 8:</b> K1, SSK, K2tog, K1	(4 sts)
<b>Row 9:</b> P4	(4 sts)
<b>Row 10:</b> SSK, K2tog	(2 sts)

Leaving a long tail for sewing and cut off the yarn.

Use the tapestry needle to thread this tail through the remaining 2 stitches and pull up tightly. (fig.17)



fig.17

## EARFLAPS (make 2 the same):

### Cast on 3 sts in Gray (yarn B)

<b>Row 1:</b> P3	(3 sts)
<b>Row 2:</b> KFB, K1, KFB	(5 sts)
<b>Row 3:</b> P5	(5 sts)
<b>Row 4:</b> KFB, K3, KFB	(7 sts)
<b>Row 5:</b> P7	(7 sts)



fig.18

**Row 6:** KFB, K1, Cast off 3 stitches (**there should be left 1 stitch on the left needle still to work**), KFB (6 sts) (fig.18)

**Row 7:** P3, cast on 3 stitches onto the right needle, P3 (9 sts) (fig.19)

<b>Row 8:</b> KFB, K7, KFB	(11 sts)
<b>Row 9:</b> P11	(11 sts)



fig.19

**Row 10:** KFB, K4, KFB, K4, KFB (14 sts)

**Row 11:** P14 (14 sts)

**Row 12:** K14 (14 sts)

**Row 13:** P14 (14 sts)

**Row 14:** KFB, K12, KFB (16 sts)

**Row 15:** P16 (16 sts)

Cut off the yarn and knit the second earflap in the same way .(fig.20)

Put the earflaps to one side for moment.

We will continue knitting it soon.



fig.20

## HAT

**Row 1:** Cast on 5 sts in Gray (yarn B) , then K16 (16 sts of the first earflap) (fig.21), cast on 14 stitches onto the right needle, after that, K16 (16 sts of the second earflap), cast on 5 stitches onto the right needle (56 sts) (fig.22)



fig.21



fig.22

**Row 2:** K5, P16, K14, P16, K5 (56 sts)

**Row 3:** P5, KFB, K15, P14, K15, KFB, P5 (58 sts)

**Row 4:** P58 (58 sts)

**Row 5 – Row 10:** St st (58 sts)

**Row 11:** K1, [K6, K2tog] x7, K1 (51 sts)

<b>Row 12:</b> P51	(51 sts)	<b>Row 20:</b> P23	(23 sts)
<b>Row 13:</b> K1, [K5, K2tog] x7, K1	(44 sts)	<b>Row 21:</b> K1, [K1, K2tog] x7, K1	(16 sts)
<b>Row 14:</b> P44	(44 sts)	<b>Row 22:</b> P16	(16 sts)
<b>Row 15:</b> K1, [K4, K2tog] x7, K1	(37 sts)	<b>Row 23:</b> K2tog x8	(8 sts)
<b>Row 16:</b> P37	(37 sts)	Leaving a long tail for sewing and cut off the yarn. Use the tapestry needle to thread this tail through the remaining 8 stitches and pull up tightly. (fig.23)	
<b>Row 17:</b> K1, [K3, K2tog] x7, K1	(30 sts)		
<b>Row 18:</b> P30	(30 sts)		
<b>Row 19:</b> K1, [K2, K2tog] x7, K1	(23 sts)		



fig.23

## SHORT WAISTCOAT (make 1)

**Cast on 50 sts in Gray (yarn B)**

**Row 1:** P50 (50 sts)

**Row 2:** P2, K8, yo, K1, yo, K3, yo, K1, yo, K20, yo, K1, yo, K3, yo, K1, yo, K8, P2 (58 sts)

**Row 3:** P58 (58 sts)

**Row 4:** P2, K9, yo, K1, yo, K5, yo, K1, yo, K22, yo, K1, yo, K5, yo, K1, yo, K9, P2 (66 sts)

**Row 5:** P66 (66 sts)

**Row 6:** P2, K9, Cast off 11 stitches (*there should be left 43 stitches on the left needle still to work*), K9, K2tog, K10, Cast off 11 stitches (*there should be left 10 stitches on the left needle still to work*), K8, P2 (43 sts) (fig.24)

**Row 7:** P11, cast on 8 stitches onto the right needle (fig.25), P21, cast on 8 stitches onto the right needle , P11 (59 sts) (fig.26)



fig.24



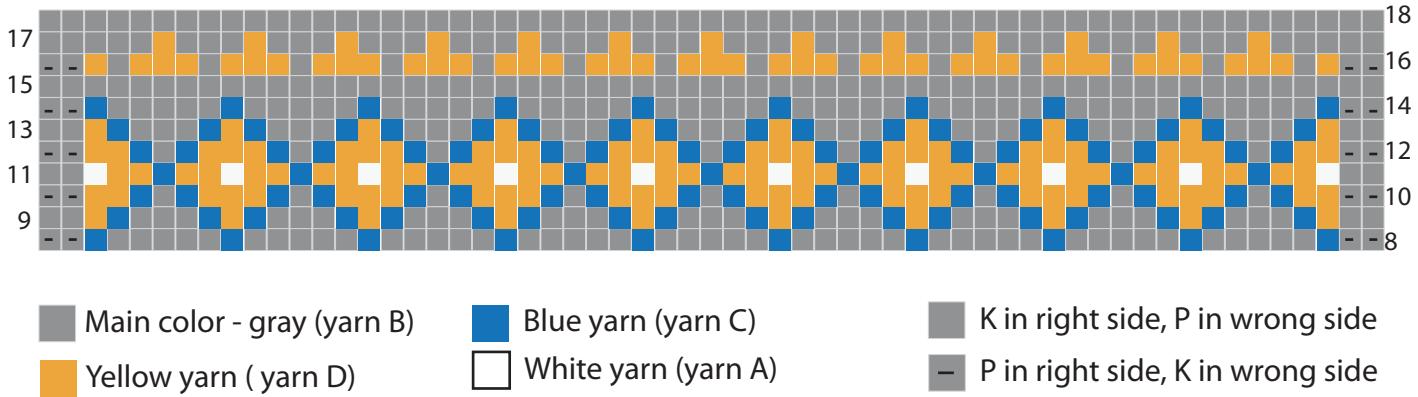
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fig.26

## KNITTING COLORWORK

\* You can choose other color



**Row 8:** P2, [K1, K5] x9, K1, P2 (59 sts)

**Row 9:** P2, [P1, P1, P3, P1] x9, P1, P2 (59 sts)

**Row 10:** P2, [K2, K1, K1, K1, K1] x9, K1, P2 (59 sts)

**Row 11:** P2, [P1 (in white), P2, P1, P2] x9, P1 (in white), P2 (59 sts)

Cut off the white yarn.

**Row 12:** P2, [K2, K1, K1, K1, K1] x9, K1, P2 (59 sts)

**Row 13:** P2, [P1, P1, P3, P1] x9, P1, P2 (59 sts)

**Row 14:** P2, [K1, K5] x9, K1, P2 (59 sts)

Cut off the blue yarn.

**Row 15:** P59 (59 sts)

**Row 16:** P2, K1, [K1, K3] x13, K1, K1, P2 (59 sts)

**Row 17:** P5, [P1, P3] x13, P2 (59 sts)

Cut off the yellow yarn.

### Row 18: K59 (59 sts)

### Row 19 ( wrong side) : Cast Off

Leaving a long tail for sewing and cut off the yarn. (fig.27)



fig.27

## MAKING UP

### EYES

In wrong side, We'll sew the seams of eyelids to the head. Thread the needle with the tail of eyelid, then attach the eyelid to the head by oversewing (whip stitching), sewing around the eyelid (fig.28-fig.30)

If you use the toy eyes with thread end and washer buckle (plastic washers) (fig.31), you'll attach the eyes first before you sew head and body.

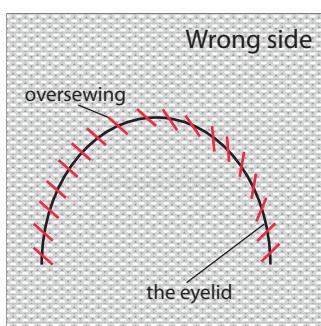


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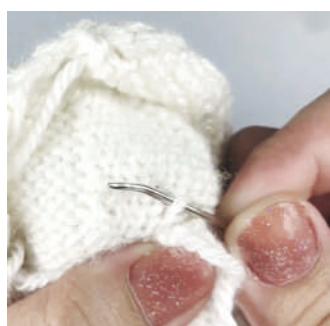


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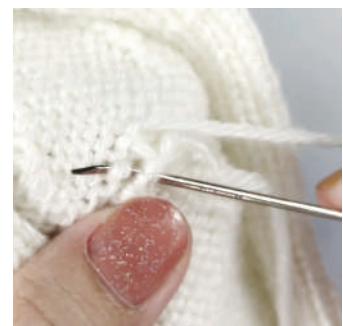


fig.30



fig.31

Insert the toy eyes into A and B (fig.32- fig.33) and secure it in place with the eye backs. If you don't use the toy eyes with thread end and washer buckle, you can attach toy eyes after sew body and legs.

After attaching the toy eyes then we adjust the part above eyes, cover a half of them. (fig.34 - fig.36)



fig.32



fig.33



fig.34

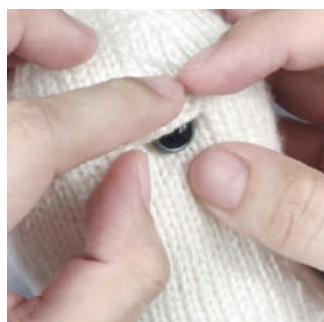


fig.35



fig.36

## HEAD & BODY

Thread a tapestry needle with a long tail on the top of the head and with the right side of work facing you pick up the loops from the cast on edge.(8 sts) (I've used red to illustrate). (fig.37- fig.39)



fig.37

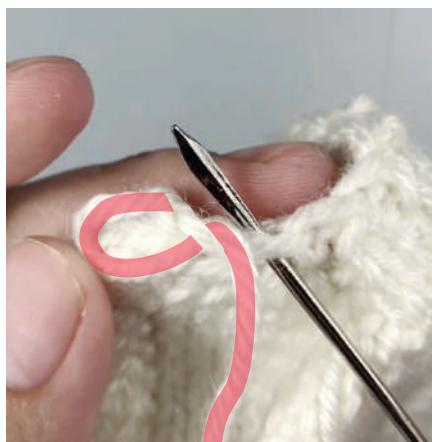


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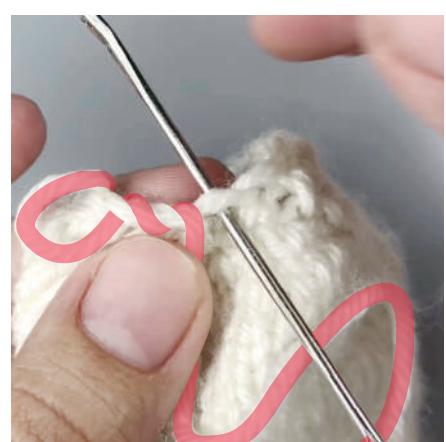


fig.39

Pull up tightly to gather the cast on edge and start on the top of the head , sew the side edges together. Adding stuffing as you sew, stuff them so they are fairly firm but not straining the seams. Once you are happy with the shape continue sewing the back of the body right up to the cast off edge (fig.40-fig.41)



fig.40



fig.41

## LEGS

Sew from A to B, C to D (fig.42)

Thread the needle with the tail end from one leg and join the inner side seam of the leg using mattress stitch (I've used red to illustrate) (fig.43-fig.45). Sewing the second leg in the same way.

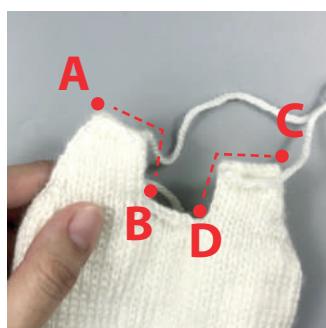


fig.42



fig.43



fig.44



fig.45

Next it's time to stuff the legs. It's easiest to do this by breaking off two equally sized lumps of stuffing so that you get the legs both the same size.

Make sure that you are satisfied with the stuffing then sew the short seam between the legs with mattress stitch (fig.46). Using the longest tail of one leg to sew (I've used red yarn to illustrate) (fig.47-fig.48). Once that seam is closed securely, tie off all ends from the legs and thread all other tail ends through into the body .(fig.49)



fig.46



fig.47



fig.48



fig.49

## EMBROIDER NOSE & MOUTH

Thread a tapestry needle with black yarn or embroidery floss to embroider the nose and mouth. (fig.50- fig.59)

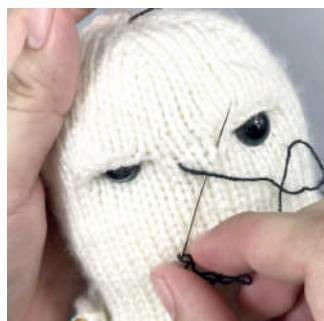


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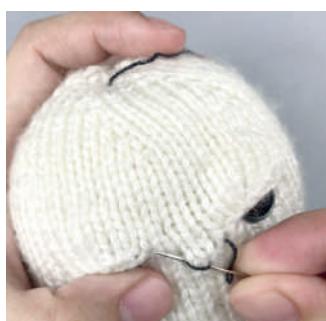


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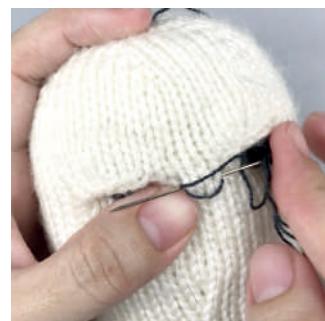


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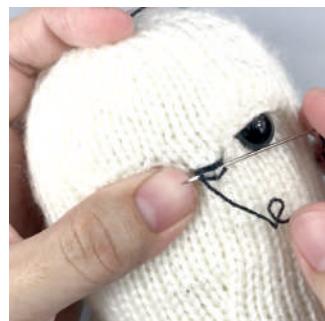


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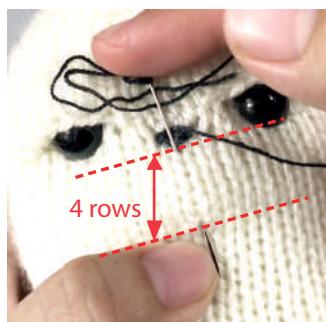


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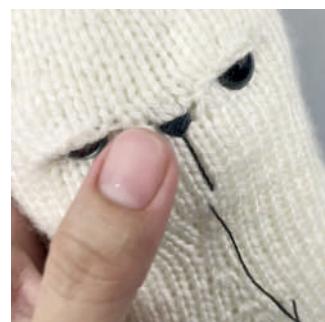


fig.56



fig.57



fig.58



fig.59

## ARMS

Thread the tail of arm through the remaining stitches on the needle, pull up tightly and begin to sew the side edges of the arm using mattress stitch.

Halfway along the seam stop and lightly stuff the arm, leaving the top of arm un-stuffed so it stays floppy. Continue sewing to the cast on edge, knot 2 tail ends of yarn together.

Do the same with another arm.

## JOIN THE ARMS WITH THE BODY

Using sewing pins to mark the places that you want to join the arms. (fig.60-fig.61)



fig.60

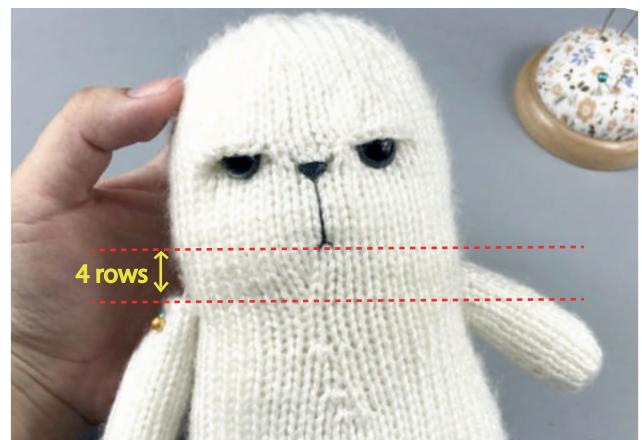


fig.61

To attach the first arm, using the cast-on tail to sew it in place ( joining both the upper and the lower side). Once it is attached knot all tail ends and thread inside the body.

Repeat with the second arm.

## HAT

Wear the hat for the cat and now we'll make up our Labby.

## TIE

Cut 30" (76 cm) strands each of colors gray, blue, and yellow ( two yarns of each color)(fig.62) Bringing ends to meet, then separate the yarn into three sections, grouping color together, and braid to desired length, bringing ends to meet again (fig.63). Secure and trim ends evenly.

Pull the ends of ties through the hole of each earflaps (fig.64- fig.65) .



fig.62



fig.63



fig.64



fig.65

Thread the needle with the cast-on tail of earflaps (fig.66) , then attach the bottom of each earflaps with ties (fig.67) , then knot 2 cast-on tail of earflaps together and thread tail ends through into the body to hide.



fig.66



fig.67

## POM-POM

Wind blue yarn and yellow yarn (yarns C and D) around 2 fingers approx 30 times and cut yarns (fig.68 - fig.69). Use a blue yarn to tie tightly in centre and remove from fingers. (fig.70-fig.71) Cut through each side of loops (fig.72 - fig.73). Trim to a smooth round shape.

Sew pom-pom to the top of hat. (fig.74-fig.75)



fig.68



fig.69

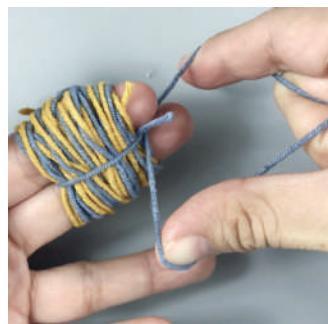


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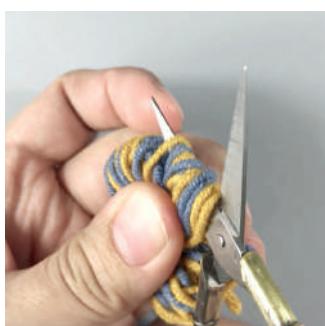


fig.72



fig.73



fig.74



fig.75

## EARS

Thread the needle with the cast-off tail of ear. Touch the two faces of wrong sides of the ears together then join them by oversewing (whip stitching) using the cast-off tail sewing around the side edges. (fig.76-fig.78)

Make another ear the same.



fig. 76



fig. 77



fig. 78

## JOIN THE EARS WITH THE HAT

Using sewing pins to mark the places that you want to join the ears. (fig.79)

Thread a tapestry needle with the longest end, then using mattress stitch to sew the round to join the ear into the hat. (fig.80)

You should sew through hat and head to secure.



fig. 79



fig. 80

## SHORT WAISTCOAT

Embroider few stitches to make up the short waistcoat (fig.81- fig.83).

Wear the waistcoat for the cat. Thread the needle with the tail of waistcoat , then attaching it to the body, thread all tail ends through into the body to hide. (fig.84- fig.85)



fig. 81



fig. 82



fig. 83



fig. 84



fig. 85

## FINISH

You can make up your cat by using the blusher to add some color to the cheeks. (fig. 86)



fig. 86

*Welcome Labby to your family!  
Please take good care of your new little cat ❤️*



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