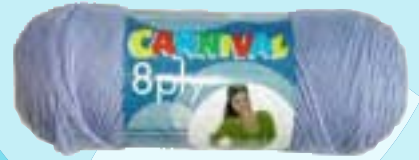
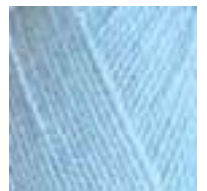


# CARNIVAL 8ply



illustrated in  
colour 077



Garter Stitch Set  
in Carnival 8ply

## MEASUREMENTS

	0	3	6 mths	
Jacket				
To Fit Chest:	35	40	45	cm
Actual Measurement:				
	47	52	57	cm
Length:	22	25	28	cm
Sleeve Length:	11	13	16	cm
Hat				
To Fit Head (approx):				
	35	40	45	cm
Bootees				
To Fit Foot Length (approx):				
	7	8	9.5	cm
Leggings				
Outside Leg Length (approx):				
	28	33	38	cm

## MATERIALS

**Panda Carnival 8ply** (100g balls)

Jacket	2	2	2
Hat	1	1	1
Bootees	1	1	1
Leggings	1	2	2

One **pair** each of 3.25mm and 4.00mm knitting needles and one **set of double-pointed** 4.00mm knitting needles or THE REQUIRED SIZE TO GIVE CORRECT TENSION; 3 buttons; cardboard or pompon maker for pompons; wool needle for sewing seams.

## TENSION

These garments have been designed at a tension of 21 sts and 44 rows to 10cm over garter st, using 4.00mm needles.

## Garter stitch Jacket with dropped shoulders & matching Hat, Bootees & Leggings

Jacket



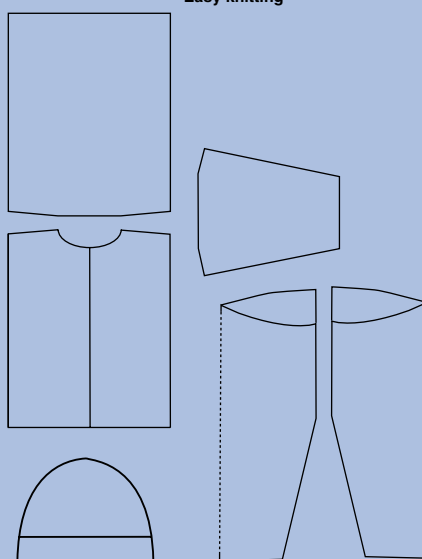
Hat



Bootees



Leggings



## ABBREVIATIONS

**alt** = alternate; **approx** = approximately; **beg** = begin/ning; **cm** = centimetres; **cont** = continue; **dec** = decrease, decreasing; **fol** = follows, following; **inc** = increase, increasing; **K** = knit; **'M1'** = make 1 - pick up loop which lies before next st, place on left hand needle and knit into back of loop; **0** = (zero) – no sts, times or rows; **P** = purl; **patt** = pattern; **purl fabric (wrong side of stocking st)** = purl right side rows and knit wrong side rows; **rem** = remain/ing; **rep** = repeat; **st/s** = stitch/es; **stocking st** = knit right side rows, purl wrong side rows; **tog** = together.

**NOTE:** When counting rows in garter st every ridge counts as 2 rows.

## JACKET

### BACK

Using a **pair** of 4.00mm needles, cast on **51** (57-61) sts.

**1st Row** (wrong side): Knit.

Cont in garter st (every row knit) until work measures **22** (25-28) cm from beg, working last row on wrong side.

### Shape Shoulders:

Cast off **6** (7-7) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then **6** (7-8) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast off rem **15** (15-17) sts.

### LEFT FRONT

Using a **pair** of 4.00mm needles, cast on **27** (31-33) sts.

Work as given for Back until there are 17 rows less than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, working last row on right side.

### Shape Neck:

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row ... **24** (28-30) sts.

\*\* Dec one st at neck edge in next and foll alt rows until **20** (22-22) sts rem, **Sizes 0 and 3 Months only** - then in foll 4th row/s until **18** (21) sts rem.

**All Sizes** - Knit 1 row. \*\*

### Shape Shoulder:

Cast off **6** (7-7) sts at beg of next and foll alt row.

Knit 1 row. Cast off rem **6** (7-8) sts.

## RIGHT FRONT

Using a **pair** of 4.00mm needles, cast on **27** (31-33) sts. Work as given for Back until there are 18 rows less than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, working last row on wrong side.

### Shape Neck:

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row ... **24** (28-30) sts.

Knit 1 row.

Work as given for Left Front from \*\* to \*\*.

Knit 1 row.

### Shape Shoulder:

Work as given for Left Front shoulder shaping.

## SLEEVES

Using a **pair** of 4.00mm needles, cast on **33** (35-37) sts.

**1st Row** (wrong side): Knit.

Cont in garter st, inc one st at each end of 5th and foll **10th** (8th-8th) rows until there are **41** (45-47) sts, **Sizes 3 and 6 Months only** - then in foll 10th row/s until there are (47-51) sts.

**All Sizes** - Cont (without further inc) until work measures **11** (13-16) cm from beg, working last row on wrong side.

### Shape Top:

Cast off **5** (6-7) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then **6** (7-6) sts at beg of foll 2 rows. Cast off rem **9** (9-11) sts.

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## NECKBAND

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing and using a **pair** of 3.25mm needles, knit up **47 (47-51)** sts evenly around neck edge.

Knit 1 row. Cast off **loosely**.

## LEFT FRONT BAND

**NOTE:** If making for Girl omit buttonholes.

With right side facing, using a **pair** of 3.25mm needles and beg at neck edge of Left Front, knit up **48 (50-56)** sts evenly along Left Front edge, incl side edge of neckband.

**Next Row:** K24 (22-24), \* K2tog, yfwd (to make a st), K8 (10-12), rep from \* once, K2tog, yfwd (to make a st), K2 ... 3 buttonholes.

Cast off **loosely**.

## RIGHT FRONT BAND

**NOTE:** If making for Boy omit buttonholes.

With right side facing, using a **pair** of 3.25mm needles and beg at lower edge of Right Front, knit up **48 (50-56)** sts evenly along Right Front edge, incl side edge of neckband.

**Next Row:** K2, \* yfwd (to make a st), K2tog, K8 (10-12), rep from \* once, yfwd (to make a st), K2tog, K24 (22-24) ... 3 buttonholes.

Cast off **loosely**.

## TO MAKE UP

Tie a marker **11 (12-13)** cm down from beg of shoulder shaping on side edges of Back and Fronts to indicate armholes. Placing centre of sleeves to shoulder seams, sew in sleeves evenly between markers. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew on buttons.



## HAT

Using **double-pointed** 4.00mm needles, cast on **64 (72-88)** sts.

**1st Round:** Purl.

**2nd Round:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rounds **11 (12-12)** times ... **24 (26-26)** rounds in all.

Purl 3 rounds (for hemline of band).

Rep first 2 rounds **19 (21-23)** times.

Purl 1 round.

**Shape Crown:**

**1st Round:** \* K2tog, K6 (7-9), rep from \* to end ... **56 (64-80)** sts.

**2nd and Foll Alt Rounds:** Purl.

**3rd Round:** \* K2tog, K5 (6-8), rep from \* to end ... **48 (56-72)** sts.

**5th Round:** \* K2tog, K4 (5-7), rep from \* to end ... **40 (48-64)** sts.

Cont dec in alt rounds in this manner, working one st less between dec until 16 sts rem.

**Next Round:** Purl.

**Next Round:** \* K2tog, rep from \* to end ... 8 sts.

Break off yarn, run end through rem sts and fasten off securely.

## TO MAKE UP

Fold band onto right side. Make 3 pompons in varying sizes (refer last page). Trim and attach to Hat as illustrated.

## BOOTEES

(make 2 - beg at ankle)

Using a **pair** of 4.00mm needles, cast on **22 (26-30)** sts.

Work **19 (21-23)** rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

**Shape for Instep (refer below):**

**Next Row:** K14 (16-18), turn, K6, turn.

Cont on centre 6 sts [leaving **8 (10-12)** sts unworked at each end] and work **10 (12-16)** rows garter st.

**Shape Sides and Toe:**

With right side facing, rejoin yarn to end of first group of **8 (10-12)** sts at right edge, knit up **6 (7-9)** sts evenly along first side of instep, knit across 6 sts from end of instep, knit up **6 (7-9)** sts evenly along the other side of instep, then knit across rem **8 (10-12)** sts ... **34 (40-48)** sts.

Knit **6 (8-10)** rows.

**Shape Sole:**

Work 6 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

**Next Row:** Purl, working each st tog with corresponding st of first stocking st row (to form a ridge for edge of sole).

**Next Row:** Cast off **14 (17-21)** sts, knit until there are 6 sts on right-hand needle, cast off rem **14 (17-21)** sts. Break off yarn.

With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn to centre 6 sts.

Work **21 (25-29)** rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Cast off **loosely**.

## TO MAKE UP

Join back and ridge seam. Stitch sole in position evenly, around inside of ridge.



## LEGGINGS

### RIGHT LEG

(beg at waist)

Using a **pair** of 3.25mm needles and MC, cast on **57 (61-65)** sts.

**1st Row:** K2, \* P1, K1, rep from \* to last st, K1.

**2nd Row:** K1, \* P1, K1, rep from \* to end.

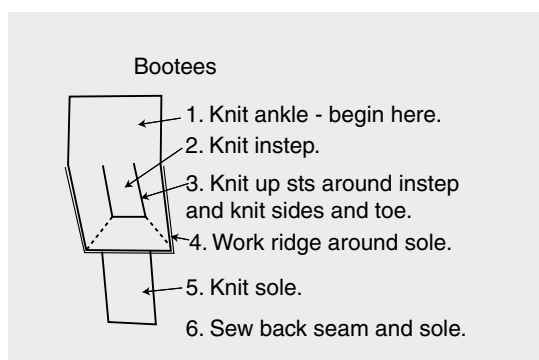
Rep last 2 rows twice, inc one st in centre of last row (6 rows rib in all) ... **58 (62-66)** sts.

Change to a **pair** of 4.00mm needles.

Work 4 rows stocking st.\*\*

**NOTE:** We recommend using 'Mattress St' to sew up your handknit (diagram on last page).

**NOTE:** Diagram for knitting up sts is on next page.





**NOTE:** When turning take yarn under needle and onto other side of work, slip next st onto right-hand needle, take yarn under and back to original position, slip st back onto left-hand needle, then turn and proceed as instructed. This avoids holes in work. See diagram below.

#### Shape Back:

\*\*\* **1st Row:** Work 8 sts, **turn**.

**2nd and foll Alt Rows:** Work to end.

**3rd row:** Work 12 sts, **turn**.

**5th Row:** Work 16 sts, **turn**.

Cont turning in this manner, working 4 extra sts in alt rows until the row 'Work **28 (28-32)**, **turn**,' has been worked.

Work 1 row.

Cont in stocking st, across all sts, until shorter edge measures **15 (16-18)** cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Tie a marker at each end of last row to mark back and front edge.

#### Shape Leg:

Working in stocking st, dec one st at each end of next and foll **4th (6th-6th)** row/s until **48 (58-56)** sts rem, then in foll **alt (4th-4th)** row/s until **46 (46-50)** sts rem.

Cont in stocking st until work measures **10 (14-17)** cm from marker, ending with a purl row and dec **8 (6-8)** sts evenly across last row ... **38 (40-42)** sts. Change to a **pair** of 3.25mm needles. Work 13 rows garter st. Cast off **loosely** (wrong side).

#### LEFT LEG

##### (beg at waist)

Work as given for Right Leg to \*\*.

Work 1 row.

Work as given for Right Leg from \*\*\* to end.

#### TO MAKE UP

Join back and front seams to markers. Join leg seams. Thread 2 rounds of elastic through alt rows of rib at waist.

## Turning

When instructed to **turn**, simply turn the knitting around by swapping the needles to the other hands ready to work back in the other direction (this will be considered to be the next row).

There are 2 uses for turning. The most common use is to divide the knitting to work the pieces separately (e.g. the front neck of a jumper).

Turning is also used to make one side of the work longer than the other (e.g. Shawl Collar). This usually comes with a note as follows:

**NOTE:** To avoid holes when turning, wrap yarn around next st as follows. Take yarn under needle and onto other side of work, slip next st onto right hand needle, take yarn under needle and back to original position, slip st back onto left hand needle, then turn and proceed as instructed.

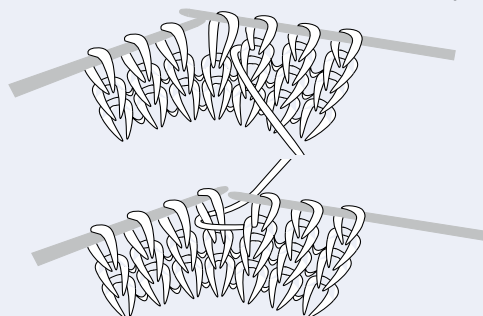
If the last stitch was knitted, take the yarn under the needle to the front of the work as for purling (if the last stitch was purled, take it to the back as for knitting).

Slip the next stitch from the left needle to the right needle (this is the first stitch not being worked).

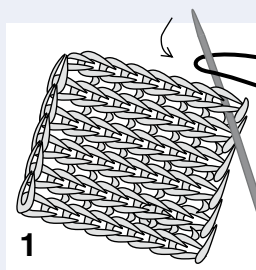
Take the yarn back to its original position.

Slip the stitch back onto the left needle.

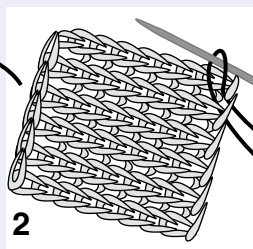
Turn the work and then work the next row as required.



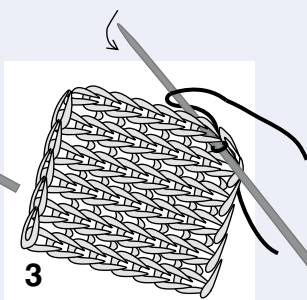
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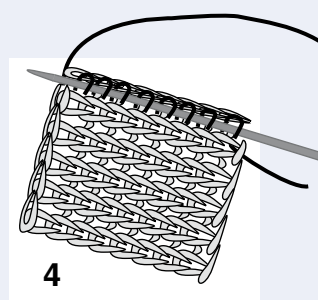
1  
Insert needle through fabric one whole stitch in from the edge, wrap yarn around needle (as for knitting) and draw through fabric.



2  
One stitch knitted up.



3  
Repeat step 1 as many times as required, spacing the number of stitches evenly along the piece of knitting.

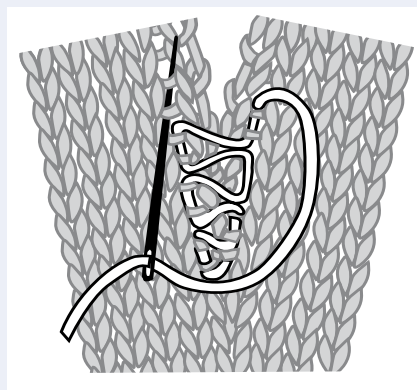


4  
All stitches knitted up ready to begin 1st row or round.

## Mattress Stitch

A 'Mattress Stitch' seam is almost invisible, so it is a good way to sew up your knitting. The seam is sewn from the right side so it is easy to see how to keep it straight and neat.

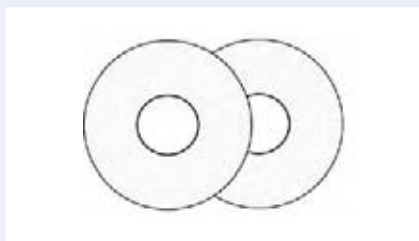
1. Put the two pieces next to each other, right side up and edges together.
2. Thread a wool needle with a long length of yarn.
3. Work one whole stitch (V shape) in from the edge and leave a long end before beginning to sew.
4. Put the needle between the edge stitch and the second stitch on the first row. Pass the needle under 2 rows (2 cross bars), then bring it back through to the front.
5. Repeat step 4 on the other piece.
6. Swap from side to side, always going into the hole that the last stitch on that side came out of. Always go under 2 rows - be careful not to miss any rows.
7. Keep the seam firm but do not pull the yarn too tightly.
8. When the seam is finished, sew in ends.



## Pompons

Pompon makers can be bought at yarn stores, or made by using cardboard and following the easy steps below.

1. Cut out two circles of cardboard for your project. Cut the hole in the centre of both circles.



4. Place the point of a pair of scissors between the two circles of cardboard and cut around the yarn, keeping the scissors between the circles all the time.



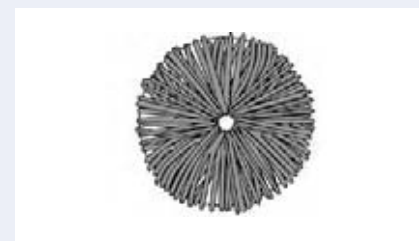
2. Put the two circles together and wind yarn round and round the cardboard.



5. Using a double strand of yarn, wrap it round between the two circles of cardboard, knot firmly and take away the cardboard.



3. Keep winding until the centre hole is completely filled up.



6. Trim the pompon.



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