

## FUNKY STRIPES AND CHECKS SET (TO KNIT)

### **SIZES**

**Hat and Mitts:** To fit child 4-6 yrs or 8-10 yrs. **Scarf:** Measures approx 7 x 44 ins [18 x 112 cm].

## **MATERIALS**

**Patons**<sup>®</sup> **Decor** (100 g/3.5 oz)

**Sizes:** 4-6 (**8-10**)

**HAT** 

Main Color (MC) (1641 Periwinkle) 1 (1) ball Contrast A (1642 Rich Periwinkle) 1 (1) ball Contrast B (1714 Barn Red) 1 (1) ball Contrast C (1607 Pale Olive) 1 (1) ball MITTS

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**SCARF** 

Main Color (MC) (1642 Rich Periwinkle)
2 balls

Small quantities of Contrast A, B and C for fringe.

Sizes 4 mm (U.S. 5) and 4.5 mm (U.S. 7) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain tension.** Size 4 mm (U.S. G or 6) crochet hook for Hat and fringe for Scarf.

#### **TENSION**

**Hat and Scarf:** 20 sts and 26 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] with larger needles in stocking st.

**Mitts:** 21 sts and 28 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] with smaller needles in stocking st.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

The instructions are written for smaller size. If changes are necessary for larger size, the instructions will be written thus ( ).

#### **HAT**

Ear Flap (make 2): With MC and larger

needles, cast on 11 sts. **1st row:** (RS). Knit.

**2nd row:** Inc 1 st in first st purlways. Purl to last 2 sts. Inc 1 st in next st purlways. P1.

**3rd row:** Inc 1 st in first st. Knit to last 2 sts.

Inc 1 st in next st. K1. **4th row:** Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 4 times more. 23 sts. **Next row:** (RS). With C, knit.

With B, beg with a purl row, work 3 rows

stocking st.

With MC, beg with a knit row, work 2 rows stocking st

With A, beg with a knit row, work 2 rows stocking st.

With B, knit 1 row. With A, purl 1 row.

Break yarn of First Ear Flap. **Do not** break yarn of Second Ear Flap. Leave sts on a spare needle.

**Body of Hat: Joining row:** With A and larger needles, cast on 6 sts. Knit these sts and 23 sts of Second Ear Flap. **Turn.** Cast on 32 (**36**) sts. **Turn.** K23 of First Ear Flap. **Turn.** Cast on 6 sts. 90 (**94**) sts.

Beg with a purl row, work 3 rows stocking st. Proceed in stocking st Stripe Pat as follows:

With MC, work 2 rows.

With B, work 3 rows.

With C, work 1 row.

With MC, work 3 rows.

With A, work 1 row.

With MC, work 1 row.

With C, work 1 row.

With B, work 3 rows.

With MC, work 2 rows.

With A, work 2 rows.

With C, work 1 row.

With A, work 4 rows.

These 24 rows form Stripe Pat.

Cont even in Stripe Pat until work from joining row measures 4½ (**4?**) ins [11.5 (**12**) cm], ending with a purl row and dec 4 (**8**) sts evenly across last row. 86 sts.

**Shape top: Next row:** K2. Sl1. K1. psso. \*K15. K2tog. K2. Sl1. K1. psso. Rep from \* twice more. K15. K2tog. K2. 78 sts.

Next row: Purl.

**Next row:** K2. Sl1. K1. psso. \*K13. K2tog. K2. Sl1. K1. psso. Rep from \* twice more. K13. K2tog. K2. 70 sts.

Next row: Purl.

**Next row:** K2. Sl1. K1. psso. \*K11. K2tog. K2. Sl1. K1. psso. Rep from \* twice more. K11. K2tog. K2. 62 sts.

Next row: Purl.

Cont in this manner, dec 8 sts evenly across next and every alt row until there are 30 sts.

**Next row:** K2. Sl1. K1. psso. \*K1. K2tog. K2. Sl1. K1. psso. Rep from \* twice more. K1. K2tog. K2. 22 sts.

**Next row:** P2. \*P2tog. P2. Rep from \* to end of row. 17 sts.

Break yarn leaving a long end. Draw end through rem sts and fasten securely. Sew center back seam.

**Edging:** With RS of work facing, A and crochet hook, work 1 row of single crochet evenly around outer edge of Hat working into every 4 out of 5 sts to keep edge even. Join with slip stitch to first single crochet.

**Next row:** Working from **left** to right, instead of from **right** to left, as usual, work 1 reverse single crochet in each single crochet across. Join with slip stitch to first single crochet. Fasten off.

**Ties:** Make twisted cords by cutting 3 lengths of yarn 24 ins [61 cm] long. Taking all strands tog, hold one end and with someone holding other end, twist strands clockwise until they begin to curl. Fold the 2 ends tog and tie in a knot so they will not unravel. The strands will now twist themselves tog.

#### **MITTS**

**Right Mitt:** \*\*With MC and smaller needles, cast on 36 (**40**) sts.

**1st row:** (RS). \*K2. P2. Rep from \* to end of row.



**2nd row:** \*K2. P2. Rep from \* to end of row. These 2 rows form (K2. P2) ribbing. Work a further 16 rows in (K2. P2) ribbing. Proceed in Stocking St Stripe Pat as given for Hat for 6 (**8**) rows.\*\*

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, shape thumb gusset as follows: **1st row:** K19 (**21**). Inc 1 st in each of next 2 sts. Knit to end of row.

2nd row: Purl.

**3rd row:** K19 (**21**). Inc 1 st in next st. K2. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of row.

4th row: Purl.

**5th row:** K19 (**21**). Inc 1 st in next st. K4. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of row.

6th row: Purl.

Cont in this manner, having 2 sts more between incs for thumb gusset every alt row until there are 46 (**50**) sts.

Next row: Purl.

**Make thumb: Next row:** K31 (**33**). **Turn.** Cast on 1 st. P12 (including cast on st). **Turn.** Cast on 1 st. Cont in Stripe Pat on these 13 sts for 2 (**2**?) ins [5 (**5.5**) cm], ending with a purl row.

**Next row:** K1. \*K2tog. Rep from \* to end of row. 7 sts. Break yarn leaving a long end. Draw end through rem sts and fasten securely. Sew thumb seam.

**Remainder of Mitt:** With RS of work facing, join appropriate yarn to last st on right hand needle. Pick up and knit 2 sts at base of thumb. Knit across sts on left hand needle.

**Next row:** Purl, working P2tog over picked up sts at base of thumb. 36 (**40**) sts.

Cont even in Stripe Pat until work after ribbing measures 4¾ (**5**?) ins [12 (**13**) cm], ending with a purl row.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, shape top as follows: **1st row:** K1. Sl1. K1. psso. K12 (**14**). K2tog. K2. Sl1. K1. psso. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1. **2nd row:** Purl.

**3rd row:** K1. Sl1. K1. psso. K10 (**12**). K2tog. K2. Sl1. K1. psso. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.

4th row: Purl.

**5th row:** K1. Sl1. K1. psso. K8 (**10**). K2tog. K2. Sl1. K1. psso. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.

6th row: Purl.

Cont in this manner, having 2 sts less between decs on next and every alt row until there are 20 sts. Cast off purlways.

**Left Mitt:** Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Right Mitten.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, shape thumb gusset as follows: **1st row:** K14 (**16**). Inc 1 st in each of next 2 sts. Knit to end of row.

2nd row: Purl.

**3rd row:** K14 (**16**). Inc 1 st in next st. K2. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of row.

4th row: Purl.

**5th row:** K14 (**16**). Inc 1 st in next st. K4. Inc 1 st in next st. Knit to end of row.

6th row: Purl.

Cont in this manner, having 2 sts more between incs for thumb gusset every alt row until there are 46 (**50**) sts.

Next row: Purl.

**Make thumb: Next row:** K26 (**28**). **Turn.** Cast on 1 st. P12 (including cast on st). **Turn.** Cast on 1 st. Cont in Stripe Pat on these 13 sts for 2 (**2?**) ins [5 (**5.5**) cm], ending with a purl row.

**Next row:** K1. \*K2tog. Rep from \* to end of row. 7 sts. Break yarn leaving a long end. Draw end through rem sts and fasten securely. Sew thumb seam.

Work remainder of Mitt as given for Right Mitt.

#### SCARE

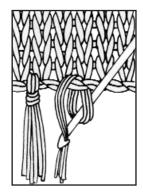
With larger needles and MC, cast on 33 sts. **1st row:** (RS). \*K3. P3. Rep from \* to last 3 sts. K3.

2nd row: \*P3. K3. Rep from \* to last 3 sts. P3. 3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows. 5th row: \*P3. K3. Rep from \* to last 3 sts. P3. 6th row: \*K3. P3. Rep from \* to last 3 sts. K3. 7th and 8th rows: As 5th and 6th rows. These 8 rows form Check Pat.

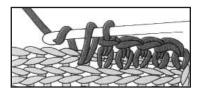
Cont in Check Pat until work from beg measures approx 44 ins [112 cm], ending on a 4th or 8th row of Check Pat. Cast off in pat.

**Fringe:** Cut 12 inch [30.5 cm] lengths of MC, A, B and C. Taking 3 strands tog and crochet hook, knot into fringe across ends of Scarf in Stripe Pat as shown. (See diagram below). Trim fringe evenly.

## **Fringe**



# **Single Crochet**



# Reverse Single Crochet





# **Twisted Cord**

