

FREE

# funny bunny pullover



### SUPPLIES & TOOLS:

- Bernat® Satin™ (3.5 oz; 200 yds)
- Sizes U.S. 7 & U.S. 8 circular knitting needles 24"
- Set of 4 size U.S. 7 & U.S. 8 double-pointed knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- 2 stitch holders

### DIRECTIONS:

#### SIZES

To fit chest measurement

6 mos	17"
12 mos	18"
18 mos	19"
24 mos	21"

Finished chest

6 mos	20-1/2"
12 mos	21"
18 mos	22"
24 mos	23"

Sizes	6	12	18	24	mos
Main Color (MC)					
Sapphire or Aqua	2	2	2	3	balls
Contrast A Sandstone	1	1	1	1	ball

### GAUGE

18 sts and 24 rows = 4" with larger needles in stocking st.

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus ( ). When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. For ease in working, circle all numbers pertaining to your size.

### YOKE

Note: Pullover is worked in one piece from top down. Yoke is worked in rows with opening on right front. Body below underarms and sleeves are knit in rnds.

With A and smaller circular needle, cast on 41 (49-49-57) sts. Do not join.

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Working back and forth in rows across needle, proceed as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> row: (RS). K1. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row.  
2<sup>nd</sup> row: P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row.  
Rep last 2 rows (K1. P1) ribbing once more. Break A.

With MC and larger circular needle, proceed as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> row: (RS). K1. \*M1. K14 (16-16-18). M1. K1. PM on last st. M1. K4 (6-6-8).  
M1. K1.\* PM on last st. Rep from \* to \*once more. 49 (57-57-65). 49 sts.  
2<sup>nd</sup> row: Purl.  
3<sup>rd</sup> row: K1. M1. Knit to marked st. M1. K1 (marked st). M1. Rep from \* twice more. Knit to last marked st. M1. K1.  
Rep 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> rows 12 (12-13-13) times more. 153 (161-169-177) sts.

Work 1 (1-3-3) row(s) even in stocking st.

Divide for Body and Sleeves: 1<sup>st</sup> row: (RS). K44 (46-48-50) for Front. Slip next 32 (34-36-38) sts onto st holder for Left Sleeve. Cast on 2 sts. K44 (46-48-50) for Back. Slip next 32 (34-36-38) sts onto st holder for Right Sleeve. K1. Cast on 1 st. 92 (96-100-104) sts for Body.

Join in rnd, placing marker between cast on sts for beg of rnd. Knit in rnds until work from dividing rnd measures 6½ (7½-8-8½)". Break MC.

With A and smaller circular needle, knit 1 rnd.

Next rnd: \*K1. P1. Rep from \* around.

Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing 5 times more. Cast off in ribbing.

## SLEEVES

With MC and set of larger double pointed-needles, K32 (34-36-38) from st holder. Pick up and knit 2 underarm sts. Join, placing marker between picked up sts for beg of rnd. 34 (36-38-40) sts for Sleeve.

Knit in rnds, dec 1 st at beg and end of every following 9<sup>th</sup> (10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>) rnd 4 times. 26 (28-30-32) sts.

Knit even in rnds until Sleeve from dividing rnd measures 7 (7½-8-9)". Break MC.

With A and smaller double-pointed needles, knit 1 rnd. Work 4 rnds in (K1. P1) ribbing as given for Body. Cast off in ribbing.

Buttonhole band: With RS facing, A and circular needle, pick up and knit 22 (24-26-28) sts down right front opening beg at neck edge.

Next row: (WS). \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row.

Sizes 6 and 18 mos only:

Next row: (Buttonhole row). Rib 4 (5) sts. \*yo. K2tog. Rib 4 (5) sts. Rep from \* twice more. (3 buttonholes).

Sizes 12 and 24 mos only:

Next row: (Buttonhole row). Rib 4 (5) sts. \*yo. K2tog. Rib 5 (6) sts. Rep from \* once more. yo. K2tog. Rib 4 (5). (3 buttonholes).

All sizes: Next row: (WS). \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row.

Cast off in ribbing (RS).

## BUTTONBAND

With RS facing, A and circular needle, pick up and knit 22 (24-26-28) sts up right sleeve opening. Work as given for Buttonhole band, omitting references to buttonholes.

## FINISHING

Sew buttons to correspond to buttonholes. Centering chart at Front of Sweater approx 2¾" up from bottom ribbing, duplicate stitch bunny face using A.

Pom-pom Tail: Wind A around 3 fingers approx 60 times. Remove from fingers and tie tightly in center. Cut through each side of loops. Trim to a smooth round shape. Sew pom-pom to Back of sweater as shown in picture.

## ABBREVIATIONS:

Beg = Beginning

Cont = Continue(ity)

Dec = Decrease(ing)

K = Knit

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

M1 = Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop

P = Purl

Pat = Pattern

PM = Place marker

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

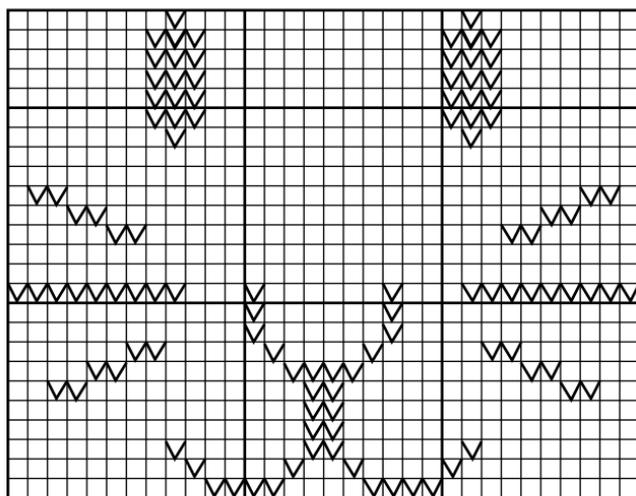
RS = Right side

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side

Yo = Yarn over



☑ = 1 duplicate stitch

**Skill Level:** Some Experience Necessary

**Crafting Time:** Varies

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