



Knitting Pattern mini bunny:



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Supplies:

Yarn

Drops Design Kid silk (color first bunny: 54, color second bunny: 01

Drops design Baby merino (color first bunny: 23, color second bunny: 02

2 yarns are held together

Knitting needles (I used size 3 mm circular needles)

Darning needle and scissors

Note:

The bunny is knitted in the round. I use the magic loop method, but you can also use dpn's
Magic loop method is explained in several YouTube video tutorials, for example:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=plfc_i7zGdw

Beginner friendly pattern

Abbreviations:

K knit

P purl

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Rep repeat
K2tog knit 2 stitches together
St(s) stitch(es)
Kfb knit through front and back of a stitch to increase
Slst slipstitch
Ch chain

Pattern:

Head and body

R1: Cast on 6 sts,
divide the sts on your needles (6)

R2: Kfb 6x (12)

R3: (K3, Kfb) rep 3x (15)

R4: (k4, Kfb) rep 3x (18)

R5: (K5, Kfb) rep 3x (21)

R6: K21 (21)

R7: (K6, Kfb) rep 3x (24)

R8-10 (3 rows): K24 (24)

R11: (K2, K2tog) rep 6x (18)

R12: (K1, K2tog) rep 6x (12)

R13: K12 (12)

R14: (K1, Kfb) rep 6x (18)

R15: (K2, Kfb) rep 6x (24)

R16: (K7, Kfb) rep 3x (27)

R17-19 (3 rows): K27 (27)

R20: (K7, K2tog) rep 3x (24)

R21-23(3 rows): K24 (24)

R24: (K6, K2tog) rep 3x (21)

R25: K21 (21)

R26: (K5, K2tog) rep 3x (18)

R27: K18 (18)

R28: (K4, K2tog) rep 3x (15)

R29: (K3, K2tog) rep 3x (12)

R30: K12 (12)

Cut yarn (bit longer) taken your needle and weave the needle through the sts. Stuff head and body and pull to close. Sew end.

Ears (2x) don't stuff

R1: Cast on 6 sts, divide the sts on your needles (6)

R2: (K1, Kfb) rep 3x (9)

R3: K9 (9)

R4: (K2, Kfb) rep 3x (12)

R5-8 (4 rows): K12 (12)

R9: (k2, K2tog) rep 3x (9)

R10: K9 (9)

Cut yarn, weave yarn tail through sts and pull soft to close.



Arms (2x) don't stuff

R1: Cast on 6 sts, divide the sts on your needles (6)

R2-8 (7 rows): K6 (6)

Cut yarn, weave yarn tail through sts and pull soft to close.

Legs (2x) don't stuff

R1: Cast on 6 sts, divide the sts on your needles (6)

R2: (K1, Kfb) rep 3x (9)

R3-4 (2 rows): K9 (9)

Cut yarn, weave yarn tail through sts and pull soft to close.

Assembling:

Sew ears to the head. Sew arms and legs to the body. Embroider mouth and eyes.

Make a little dress/sweater.

Mini sweater dress

Knitted in the round

Cast on 24 sts

R1-2: k2, P2

R3-10: K24

Cast off sts

R11: attach yarn front of the dress and K6

R12: K6

Cast off sts

Repeat R11-13 for back of the dress.

Sew yarn ends.

You can make a collar if you like.

Use a crochet hook size 3 mm; attach yarn to neck part, (ch3, slst in next st) repeat () till end and fasten off.

I would love to see your mini bunny on Instagram/Facebook. When you tag me @essiebirdies #essiebirdiespattern I can share your creation in my stories on Instagram.

Happy knitting!

Love Esther



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