

# BABY CROWN WITH BOBBLES



Intermediate Knitting



MEASUREMENTS	months	0-6	9-12
To Fit Head	cm	40	50
<b>SHEPHERD COLOUR 4 ME 8 PLY 50g balls</b>			
Quantity (4962 Pink)		1	1

Use only the yarn specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results. Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

## NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 4.00mm (UK 8) knitting needles and two 3.75mm (UK 9) **double-pointed** knitting needles or size needed to give correct tension.
- hat elastic.
- wool needle for sewing seam.

## TENSION

21 sts and 44 rows to 10cm over garter st, using 4.00mm needles. Check your tension carefully.

If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

With correct yarn and tension, your crown will look like our photograph.



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## ABBREVIATIONS

**beg** = beginning; **K** = knit; **inc** = increase; **P** = purl; **patt** = pattern; **rem** = remaining; **rep** = repeat; **sl** = slip; **st/s** = stitch/es; **stocking st** = knit right side rows, purl wrong side rows; **tog** = together; **yfwd** = yarn forward – bring yarn under needle then over into knitting position again, making a stitch.

## SPECIAL ABBREVIATION

**MB** = make bobble – (K1, yfwd, K1, yfwd, K1) all into next st, **turn**, P5, **turn**, K2tog, K1, K2tog, **turn**, P3, **turn**, K3tog, completing bobble. Push bobble to right side if necessary.

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## CROWN

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 2 sts.

### Points –

**\*\* 1st row** (wrong side) – Knit.

**2nd row** – Inc in first st, K1 ... 3 sts.

**3rd row** – Inc in first st, knit to end.

Rep last row until there are 10 sts.

**10th row** – Inc in first st, K3, **MB**, K5.

Knit 2 rows.

Leave sts on needle and break off yarn.

Onto same needle, cast on 2 sts and rep from **\*\* 5** (6) times, without breaking off yarn at the end of last Point.

### Join Points –

Inc in first st, knit across all Points, inc in last st ... **68** (79) sts.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark beg of seam.

Knit 3 rows.

Work 4 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Cast off very loosely purlways.

### i-Cord Edging –

Using two 3.75mm **double-pointed** needles, cast on 3 sts.

**\*\*\* 1st row** – K2, sl 1 purlways, yfwd, with right side of work facing and beg at coloured thread, knit up a st on the first point ... 5 sts.

Lift the slipped st over 2 sts (the yfwd and picked up st) and off the needle; lift the yfwd over the picked up st ... 3 sts rem. **Do not turn**, slide sts to other end of needle. **\*\*\***

Rep from **\*\*\*** to **\*\*\*** along top of crown, noting to work 3 times into crown points.

Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

**DO NOT PRESS.** Using a flat seam, join ends of rows and i-cord edging to form a circle, allowing band to roll to the right side. Thread hat elastic through the back of the band stitches and draw up to fit.



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