

Row 19:	(WS) Knit all stitches
Work rows 16 and 17	1 (1 , 2 , 2 , 3 , 3) more times
Cast off	using a stretchy cast off
Sleeves	
Starting under the arm	Pick up 1 (1 , 1 , 2 , 2 , 2) stitch. Slip all the stitches back onto a circular needle. Pick up 1 (1 , 1 , 2 , 2 , 2) stitch. PM. (Total sts 24 (29 , 33 , 40 , 44 , 48))
Use the Magic Loop technique	
Row 20:	knit in the round
For short sleeves	0
Work row 20 for	1 (1 , 2 , 2 , 3 , 3) more rows in the round only
For long sleeves	0
Work row 20 for	15 (18 , 21 , 25 , 30 , 35) rows in the round (or until the required length)
Row 21:	purl in the round
Work rows 20 and 21	2 (3 , 3 , 4 , 4 , 5) more times
Cast off	using a stretchy cast off
Repeat for second sleeve	

Finishing Weave in your end, sew the buttons on, block and enjoy!

Sizing

Measurements (approx)	premature	newborn	0-3 months	3-6 months	9-12 months	1-2 years
Chest (cm)	32.0	37.1	42.3	47.4	52.5	57.6
Chest (inches)	12.6	14.6	16.6	18.6	20.7	22.7
sleeve round (cm)	10.2	12.5	14.4	16.7	18.6	20.4
sleeve round (inches)	4.0	4.9	5.7	6.6	7.3	8.0
neck to underarm (cm)	8.2	10.4	11.8	14.0	15.4	17.6
neck to underarm (inches)	3.2	4.1	4.7	5.5	6.1	6.9
neck to cuff (cm)	16.1	20.1	22.6	26.9	30.1	34.8
neck to cuff (inches)	6.4	7.9	8.9	10.6	11.9	13.7
neck to hem (cm)	16.8	20.4	24.7	28.3	32.6	36.2
neck to hem (inches)	6.6	8.0	9.7	11.1	12.8	14.3

References

Stretchy Cast On - See Wikihow - <https://www.wikihow.com/Do-the-Long-Tail-Cast-On>

Stretchy Cast Off - See Craftsy - <https://www.craftsy.com/knitting/article/super-stretchy-bind-off/>

Magic Loop - See My Blueprint - <https://www.myblueprint.com/article/the-knitting-method-thats-totally-magic>



Chip's 'Easy As' No Sew Baby Jacket

I love knitting – but hate sewing it up at the end. So this little jacket is perfect for me. Apart from sewing in ends and buttons, there are no seams to join.

Knit it in Ripping Yarns hand dyed 90% Alpaca/10% Wool Double Knitting yarn for a truly unique jacket for your baby or toddler.



To make Jacket

What you need

- double knitting wool – Premature (Newborn, 0-3 months, 3-6 months, 9-12 months, 1-2 years) – 50g (100g, 100g, 150g, 150g, 200g)
- 6 buttons
- 1 pair 4mm round knitting needles
- 1 wool / tapestry needle (for finishing)
- 4 stitch markers (optional, but recommended - a suitably sized safety pin works well)
- 1 tape measure (for measuring as you knit)

Tension

22 stitches in stocking stitch = 10 cm (4”) on 4.5mm diameter needles.

Abbreviations

K	Knit
P	Pearl
M1	Make 1 stitch. Do this by picking up the horizontal yarn on the row below onto the left hand needle, then knit it.
Kfb	Make 1 stitch. Do this by knitting into the front of the loop of the next stitch, then without dropping the stitch off the needle, knitting into the back of the loop.
Sts	Stitches
YO	Yarn over. With yarn to the back, bring the yarn forward over the right hand needle to make an extra stitch. (in this pattern, this will be followed by a K2 tog to make a buttonhole)
K2 tog	Knit 2 stitches together. With yarn to the back, place the needle through the next 2 stitches at the same time from the bottom and knit.
PM	Place marker. Place a stitch marker onto the right hand needle.
SM	Slip marker. Slip the stitch marker from the left hand to the right hand needle.
RM	Remove marker.
WS	Wrong side
RS	Right side

Directions

Neck

Cast On	45 (50 , 53 , 58 , 61 , 64) sts using a stretchy cast on
Row 1	Knit to the end
Work row 1	2 (2 , 2 , 4 , 4 , 4) more times
Row 2:	(RS) (Buttonhole Row) Knit 2 (2 , 2 , 3 , 3 , 3) , YO, K2tog, knit to the end
Row 3:	(WS) (Setup Row) knit 4 (5 , 6 , 7 , 8 , 9) , Kfb , Knit 4 (4 , 4 , 4 , 4 , 4) , PM , knit 6 (7 , 7 , 8 , 8 , 8) , PM , knit 5 (5 , 5 , 5 , 5 , 5) , Kfb , knit 3 (4 , 5 , 6 , 7 , 8) , Kfb , knit 5 (5 , 5 , 5 , 5 , 5) , PM , knit 6 (7 , 7 , 8 , 8 , 8) , PM , Knit 4 (4 , 4 , 4 , 4 , 4) , Kfb , knit 4 (5 , 6 , 7 , 8 , 9) , (Total sts 49 (54 , 57 , 62 , 65 , 68))

To Underarm

Row 4:	(RS) (Knit to 1 stitch before the next marker, M1, K1, SM, K1, M1*) work * 4 times, knit to the end (8 stitches increased)
Row 5:	(WS) knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) , purl to the last 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) stitches, knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6)
Work rows 4 and 5	2 (3 , 4 , 5 , 6 , 7) more times
Row 6:	(RS) (Buttonhole Row) Knit 2 (2 , 2 , 3 , 3 , 3) , YO, K2tog, (Knit to 1 stitch before the next marker, M1, K1, Sm, K1, M1)* work * 4 times, knit to the end (8 stitches increased).
Row 7:	(WS) knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) , purl to the last 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) stitches, knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6)
Work rows 4 and 5	3 (4 , 5 , 6 , 7 , 8) more times
Work rows 6 and 7	1 more time. (Total sts 113 (134 , 153 , 174 , 193 , 212)) (Total raglan increases 8 (10 , 12 , 14 , 16 , 18))

Row 8	Knit to the end
Row 9	(WS) knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) , purl to the last 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) stitches, knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6)
Work rows 8 and 9	0 (1 , 1 , 2 , 2 , 3) more times
Divide for the Body	
Row 10:	knit 18 (21 , 24 , 27 , 30 , 33) stitches (to the first marker) , RM , Slip the next 22 (27 , 31 , 36 , 40 , 44) stitches (up to the next marker) on to a stitch holder , RM , knit 33 (38 , 43 , 48 , 53 , 58) stitches (to the next marker) , RM , Slip the next 22 (27 , 31 , 36 , 40 , 44) stitches (up to the next marker) on to a stitch holder , RM , knit 18 (21 , 24 , 27 , 30 , 33) stitches (to the last marker) , RM , Row 11: (WS) knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) , purl to the last 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) stitches, knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) (Total sts on body 69 (80 , 91 , 102 , 113 , 124))

Knit Body

Row 12:	(RS) Knit all stitches
Row 13:	(WS) knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) , purl to the last 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) stitches, knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6)
Work rows 12 and 13	0 (0 , 1 , 1 , 2 , 2) more times
Row 14:	(RS) (Buttonhole Row) Knit 2 (2 , 2 , 3 , 3 , 3) , YO, K2tog, knit to the end
Row 15:	(WS) knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) , purl to the last 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6) stitches, knit 4 (4 , 5 , 5 , 6 , 6)
Work rows 12 and 13	3 (4 , 5 , 6 , 7 , 8) more times
Work rows 14 and 15	1 more time

(If you want to increase the body length by one button holes worth then repeat this section)

Work rows 12 and 13	1 (2 , 3 , 4 , 5 , 6) more times
Hem	
Row 16:	(RS) Knit all stitches
Row 17:	(WS) Knit all stitches
Work rows 16 and 17	1 more time
Row 18:	(RS) (Buttonhole Row) Knit 2 (2 , 2 , 3 , 3 , 3) , YO, K2tog, knit to the end