

Sweet Baby Booties designed by Elisabeth Goodrich



These adorable little booties are so easy, being knit in one piece and seamed across the top. All the mommas who have received them absolutely love them, and mention that they stay on so well! They work up very quickly, so go ahead and make several pairs! These instructions make a newborn-3 month size.

Needles: Size 6

Yarn: I've made these in several different weights, from baby to bulky. The best, though, is a DK or other lightweight worsted.

Gauge: Not important ☺

Beginning at heel end:

Cast on 40 stitches. Knit in plain garter stitch until the piece measures 2" from the cast on edge. This can be anywhere from 14-20 rows(it doesn't matter how many rows, as long as it's 2")

On the next row, bind off 10 stitches, then knit to the end of the row. (you should have 30 stitches left)

On the next row, bind off 10 more stitches, and knit to the end of the row. (20 st.)



Knit in plain garter stitch until piece measures 3 1/2" from cast on edge. If you want bigger booties(6 month size) knit until it measures about 4". On next row, knit 2 together all the way across the row.(10 st.) Next row: knit across. Next row: knit 2 together across.(5st.) Bind off, leaving a 20" tail for seaming. This end of piece is the toe.

Fold piece in half, and using the tail you left at the toe, sew the bootie from the toe, across the foot, and up the leg. Sew down the back of the leg(cast on edge) from the top to the heel. Turn bootie right side out, and fold the top of the leg down to form a cuff. You can run a ribbon or crocheted chain right below the cuff for a tie, if you want. Now you're ready to make the second one!

I do give you permission to sell the booties you made from this pattern at craft fairs and such like, but please make sure the credit of the design goes to me. Thanks!

