

## **BLUEBERRY FIELDS SUMMER JUMPER**



**MATERIALS:** 2 (3, 4) balls Ty Dy (sample shown in Oceana)

One 24 “ size 6 needle and a G crochet hook for finishing

**SIZE: 12-18 months (2T, 4T) GAUGE:** 18 sts = 4” Dress is worked in the round until armholes

### **DIRECTIONS**

Loosely cast on 164 (180, 196) sts, place marker, and join, careful not to twist.

Garner stitch border by working rounds 1, 3, 5 in knit and rounds 2, 4, 6 in purl.

Continue in stockinette st (knit every round) until piece measures 9 (10, 12½)”, ending at the marker. Work a decrease round: k2tog around: 82 (90, 98) sts.

### **BODICE:**

Work in garter st for 1 inch (knit 1 row, purl 1 row – forms garter st when working in the round), then work in st st (knit in the round) for 1 (1½, 1½)” more. Divide for armholes: Place 41 (45, 49) sts on holder for front to be worked later.

### **BACK:**

Row 1: Bind off 3 sts, knit across back sts. (Begins armhole)

Row 2: Bind off 3 sts, purl across row. Work back and forth in st st until back measures 4 (4½, 5½)” from armhole bind-off, ending with a WS row. Next row (RS), begin neck shaping: Work across 8 (10, 11) sts. Attach another ball of yarn and bind off 19 (19, 21) center sts and work across remaining 8 (10, 11) sts. Working each shoulder separately, purl across next row. On next row (RS), bind off 1 st at each neck edge. Work shoulders in st st until each shoulder measures 4½ (5, 6)” from armhole bind-off. Bind off sts, OR place on holders for 3-needle bind off later.

### **FRONT:**

Work same as back, but begin neck shaping when piece measures 3 (3½, 4½)”. Bind off shoulders when front bodice measures same as back bodice, OR place on holders for 3-needle bind off.

**FINISHING:** Sew shoulder seams, or use 3-needle bind off, with right sides facing, for a seamless finish. With size G crochet hook, beg at underarm, work 1 row of single crochet around armhole, followed by crab for another row. Repeat for other armhole and around neck.