



Free Knit & Crochet Pattern
Lion Brand® Jiffy®
Funky Frog Hat And Mittens
Pattern Number: FunkyFrog



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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate + (Level 4)

SIZE: Child (Multiple Sizes)

6-12 months (12-24 months, 2-3 years)

Finished measurements

From "cheek to cheek" around the hat: 14 (14 1/2, 15) in. (36 [37, 38] cm)

Mitten circumference: 5 1/2 (6, 6 1/2) in. (13.75 [15, 16.25] cm)

Mitten length: 5 1/2 (6 1/2, 7) in. (14 [16.5, 18] cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Apr 29, 2014. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 450-132 Lion Brand Jiffy Yarn: Apple Green
2 Balls (A)
- 450-100 Lion Brand Jiffy Yarn: White
1 Ball (B)
- 450-103 Lion Brand Jiffy Yarn: Blossom
1 Ball (C)
- 450-153 Lion Brand Jiffy Yarn: Black
1 Ball (D)
- Boye Aluminum Straight Needle 10 inches - Size 3 (for hat) **Jiffy® (Article #450). 100% Acrylic; package size: **Solids (except 151 Dusty Grey): 3 oz./85g; 135 yd/123m balls***
- Boye Aluminum Circular Knitting Needles 16 inches Size 3 (for hat) ***Multi (plus 151 Dusty Grey): 2.5 oz./70g; 115 yd/103m balls***
- Brittany Birchwood Double Pointed Needles - Size 3 (for mittens)
- Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials
US 0 (2mm) double-pointed needles (for mittens)
US C-2 (2.75mm) crochet hook (for hat and mittens)
Small amount of toy stuffing



GAUGE:

16 sts and 25 rows. 4in./10cm square in stockinette stitch worked with US 3 (3.25mm) needles.

19 sts and 28 rows. 4in./10cm square in k1, p1 rib worked with US 3 (3.25mm) needles.

When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

Making a Gauge Swatch

STITCH EXPLANATION:

M1R: Knit the first stitch on the left needle (now the stitch will be placed on the right needle), pick up the second stitch below the first stitch on the right needle, place it on the left needle and knit into it.

M1L: Pick up second stitch below the first stitch on the left needle, place it onto the left needle and then knit into it; knit the first stitch on the left needle



HAT

Using a pair of US 3 (3.25mm) needles and A, cast on 57 (61, 65) sts.

Rows 1-6 (6, 6): K1, p1 rib.

Rows 7- 30 (30, 32): Work in stockinette stitch, starting with a k row.

Row 31 (31, 33): K18 (19, 21), k2tog, k17 (19, 19), k2tog, turn. 55 (59, 63) sts.

Row 32 (32, 34): Sl, p17 (19, 19), p2tog, turn. 54 (58, 62) sts.

Row 33 (33, 35): Sl, k17 (19, 19), k2tog, turn. 53 (57, 61) sts.

Rep. rows 32 (32, 34) and 33 (33, 35) to row 54 (56, 62). 32 (34, 34) sts.

Row 55 (57, 63): Sl, *p1, k1* rep. from * to * 8 (9, 9) times, p1, k2tog, turn. 31 (33, 33) sts.

Row 56 (58, 64): Sl, *k1, p1* rep. from * to * 8 (9, 9) times, k1, p2tog, turn. 30 (32, 32) sts.

Rep. rows 55 (57, 63) and 56 (58, 64) to row 66 (68, 74). 20 (22, 22) sts.

Neckruff

Switch to US 3 (3.25mm) circular needles. Place a marker at the beginning of the round.

Round 67 (69, 75): Sl, *p1, k1* rep. from * to * 8 (9, 9) times, p1, k2tog, pick up 13 (12, 12) sts on

one side of the hat, cast on 7 (7, 7) sts, join to work in the round, being careful not to twist, pick up 13 (12, 12) sts on the other side of the hat. 52 (52, 52) sts.

Rounds 68-77 (70-81, 76-89): K1, p1 rib.

Round 78 (82, 90): K2 (3, 3), yo, k2, yo, k11 (11, 11), yo, k2, yo, k11 (11, 11), yo, k2, yo, k11 (11, 11), yo, k2, yo, k9 (8, 8). 60 (60, 60) sts.

Round 79 (83, 91): K3 (4, 4), yo, k2, yo, k13 (13, 13), yo, k2, yo, k13 (13, 13), yo, k2, yo, k13 (13, 13), yo, k2, yo, k10 (9, 9). 68 (68, 68) sts.

Round 80 (84, 92): K4 (5, 5), yo, k2, yo, k15 (15, 15), yo, k2, yo, k15 (15, 15), yo, k2, yo, k15 (15, 15), yo, k2, yo, k11 (10, 10). 76 (76, 76) sts.

Round 81 (85, 93): K5 (6, 6), yo, k2, yo, k17 (17, 17), yo, k2, yo, k17 (17, 17), yo, k2, yo, k17 (17, 17), yo, k2, yo, k12 (11, 11). 84 (84, 84) sts.

Round 82 (86, 94): K6 (7, 7), yo, k2, yo, k19 (19, 19), yo, k2, yo, k19 (19, 19), yo, k2, yo, k19 (19, 19), yo, k2, yo, k13 (12, 12). 92 (92, 92) sts.

Round 83 (87, 95): K7 (8, 8), yo, k2, yo, k21 (21, 21), yo, k2, yo, k21 (21, 21), yo, k2, yo, k21 (21, 21), yo, k2, yo, k14 (13, 13). 100 (100, 100) sts.

Round (88, 96) (two larger sizes only): K (9, 9), yo, k2, yo, k (23, 23), yo, k2, yo, k (23, 23), yo, k2, yo, k (23, 23), yo, k2, yo, k (14, 14). (108, 108) sts.

Round (89, 97) (two larger sizes only): K (10, 10), yo, k2, yo, k (25, 25), yo, k2, yo, k (25, 25), yo, k2, yo, k (25, 25), yo, k2, yo, k (15, 15). (116, 116) sts.

Round (98) (largest size only): K (11), yo, k2, yo, k (27), yo, k2, yo, k (27), yo, k2, yo, k (27), yo, k2, yo, k (16). (124) sts.

Round (99) (largest size only): K (12), yo, k2, yo, k (29), yo, k2, yo, k (29), yo, k2, yo, k (29), yo, k2, yo, k (17). (132) sts.

Rounds 84-89 (90-95, 100-105) (all sizes): K1, p1 rib.

Bind off. Weave in ends.

Eyes

Eye-socket (make 2)

Using a pair of US 3 (3.25mm) needles and A, cast on 25 sts, leaving an 8in./20cm tail for sewing the eye-sockets in place.

Rows 1-5: K1, p1 rib.

Cut tail long enough to weave in. Pull through all 25 stitches. Remove them from needle. Pull the tail tightly and secure. Make a strong knot. Sew the side seam.

Eyeballs (make 2)

This pattern is crocheted in spiral. Don't join at the end of a row but continue working.

With a US C-2 (2.75mm) crochet hook and B, ch4. Join with sl st to form ring.

Round 1: 7sc through ring.

Round 2: 2sc in each sc. 14 sc.

Round 3: 14sc.

Round 4: 14sc.

End with sl st in next st to join.

Fasten off, leaving a tail long enough for sewing.

Pupils (make 2)

With a US C-2 (2.75mm) crochet hook and D, ch4. Join with sl st to form ring.

Round 1: 7sc through ring.

End with sl st in next st to join.

Fasten off, leaving a tail long enough for sewing.

FINISHING

1 Sew pupil onto the eyeball.

2 With B embroider two small pupils (highlights) in satin stitch.

3 Tuck the loose yarn ends into the dome of the eyeball, and a tiny bit of stuffing if you want.

4 Sew eyeballs into the eye-sockets.

5 Sew eyes onto the hat.

6 With C embroider the smiling mouth using backstitch.

7 Weave in ends.

MITTENS (make 2)

Cuff

Using US 0 (2mm) double-pointed needles and A, cast on 22 (24, 26) sts and divide evenly among 3 needles. Join to work in the round, being careful not to twist. Place a marker at the beginning of the round.

Rounds 1-10 (1-12, 1-14): Work in k1, p1 rib.

Thumb gusset

Switch to US 3 (3.25mm) double-pointed needles to work rest of mitten.

Round 1: M1R, knit to end of round. 23 (25, 27) sts.

Round 2: Knit.

Round 3: M1R, k1, M1L, knit to end of round. 25 (27, 29) sts.

Round 4: Knit.

Round 5: M1R, k3, M1L, knit to end of round. 27 (29, 31) sts.

Round 6: Knit.

Round 7: M1R, k5, M1L, knit to end of round. 29 (31, 33) sts.

Round 8: Knit.

Round (9, 9) (two larger sizes only): M1R, k7, M1L, knit to end of round. (33, 35) sts.

Round 9 (10, 10): K1, place 7 (9, 9) thumb stitches on waste yarn. Rejoin to work hand stitches in the round, k21 (23, 25). 22 (24, 26) sts.

Rounds 10-22 (11-26, 11-28): Knit.

Closing up the top

Round 23 (27, 29): K2tog to end of round. 11 (12, 13) sts.

Round 24 (28, 30): Knit.

Round 25 (29, 31): K2tog to end of round. (If you get to the end of the round with only one stitch left, knit it.) 6 (6, 7) sts.

Cut a tail long enough to weave in. Pull it through all the stitches and remove them from the needles. Pull the tail tightly and secure. Weave in ends.

Thumb

Place 7 (9, 9) stitches from waste yarn onto US 3 (3.25mm) double-pointed needles. Rejoin yarn and pick up one extra stitch in the corner where the mitten meets the gusset. 8 (10, 10) sts.

Rounds 1-6 (1-6, 1-8): Knit.

Round 7 (7, 9): K2tog to end of round.

4 (5, 5) sts.

Finish as for mitten Closing up the top.

Eyeballs and Pupils (make 4 of each)

Make as for Eyeballs and Pupils on Hat.

FINISHING

1 Sew the eyes onto the mittens.

2 With C embroider the smiling mouth using backstitch.

3 Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>k = knit</u>	<u>k2tog = knit 2 together</u>
<u>p = purl</u>	<u>p2tog = purl 2 together</u>
<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>	<u>sc = single crochet</u>
<u>sl = slip</u>	<u>sl st = slip stitch</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	

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