

Teddy Bear Cable Vest

Pattern for 13", 11" and 9" Teddy Bears

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Materials: Worsted weight yarn

Needles: Size 7 or size you need to meet the gauge

Notions: Cable needle,
Tapestry needle,
Crochet hook (optional)

Gauge: 4 sts = 1"

Cable Instructions for C2F: Slip 2 sts to a cable needle and bring it to the front of your work, knit the next 2 sts on the left needle, then knit the 2 sts on your cable needle.



Front and Back (make 2):

Cast on 25 (22 / 17) stitches.

Work in k1, p1 ribbing for 4 (3 / 2) rows.

Increase Row: K 11 (9 / 6) evenly increasing 2 sts, p 2, k 4, p 2, k 11 (9 / 6) evenly increasing 2 sts for a total of 30 (26 / 20) sts.

Wrong side row: P 11 (9 / 6), k 2, p 4, k 2, p 11 (9 / 6).

Right side row: K 11 (9 / 6), p 2, k 4, p 2, k 11 (9 / 6).

Repeat wrong side row.

Cable row: K 11 (9 / 6), C2F, k 11 (9 / 6).

Repeat wrong side row, right side row, wrong side row and then cable row for about 3.5" (3" / 2.5") ending with a wrong side row. It is better not to stop right after a cable row.

Neck Shaping:

K 9 (7 / 5) sts, BO 12 (12 / 10), k K 9 (7 / 5) sts.

On side with attached yarn work 3 more rows in stockinette, then put sts on a holder.

Attach yarn to other side and work 3 more rows, then put sts on a holder.

After working second piece, put public sides together and work a 3 needle bind-off for the shoulders. Sew sides together with mattress stitch or method of your choosing. Weave in yarn ends.

You can single crochet or work crab stitch around armholes and neck if desired.