



**CY1269 Pure Wool Superwash DK**  
Merry Knitmouse

## Materials

### Pure Wool Superwash DK 50g (100% Wool)

Geranium 2185	1 x 50g
Light Grey 198	1 x 50g
Black 217	1 x 50g
Rose Pink	oddments

### Other

Small piece of yellow felt
Safety Stuffing
2 x black round safety eyes (or embroider using black yarn)

### Cygnets Glittery DK (or Cygnets DK in brackets) 100g (100% Acrylic)

White Ice 763 / White 208
Emerald 321 / Emerald 377 oddments

### Finished measurements

30cm—12 ins

### Needles required

Pair of 3.75mm straight needles

## Abbreviations

k	knit	Rep	repeat	s1	slip stitch	dec	decrease
p	purl	st	stitches	stst	stocking stitch	ins/cm	inches/centimetres
k2tog	knit 2 together	rs	right side				
patt	pattern	ws	wrong side				

## Pattern

### HEAD

Using 3.75m needles and red yarn cast on 10 sts

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** inc each st to end. (20 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K1, inc; rep from \* to end. (30 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K2, inc; rep from \* to end. (40 sts)

Work 15 rows in stst beg purl

**Next Row:** \*K2, k2tog; rep from \* to end. (30 sts)

Work 5 rows **stst** beg purl

**Next Row:** \*K1, k2tog; rep from \* to end. (20 sts)

Work 5 rows **stst** beg purl

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (10 sts)

Work 3 rows **stst** beg purl

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (5sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** K2tog, k1, k2tog.

Break yarn and thread through sts, draw up and fasten off.

### NOSE

Using 3.75m needles and black yarn cast on 6sts.

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** Inc in every stitch to end. (12sts)

Beg purl work 4 rows stst.

Break yarn, run yarn through sts on needle, draw up tight to form a tight ball. Fasten off. Add a bit of stuffing to pad out and sew side seam.

### EARS (make 2 each in pink and grey)

Using 3.75m needles and appropriate colour cast on 6 sts.

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** Inc in each st to end. (12 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K1, inc; rep from \* to end. (18 sts)

Beg purl work 9 rows stst.

**Next Row:** K2tog across row

**Next Row:** P2tog across row to lastst, P1.

Cast off.

### BODY

Using 3.75m needles and red yarn cast on 10 sts

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*inc each st to end. (20 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K1, inc; rep from \* to end. (30 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K2, inc; rep from \* to end. (40 sts)

Beg purl work 9 rows stst

**Next Row:** \*K3, inc; rep from \* to end. (50 sts)

Beg purl work 11 rows stst

**Next Row:** \*K3, K2tog; rep from \* to end. (40 sts)

Beg purl work 5 rows stst

### Shape top of Body

**Next Row:** \*K2, k2tog; rep from \* to end. (30 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K1, k2tog; rep from \* to end. (20 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (10 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** K2tog, k1, k2tog, break yarn and run through sts

on needle, draw up tight and fasten off.

### **ARMS (make 2 alike)**

Using 3.75 mm needles and **Geranium** cast on 6 sts.

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K1, inc; rep from \* to end. (9 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** Inc 1 st at each end of next row and following alt rows to 17sts

**Next Row:** Purl

Work until 20 rows from start in stst ending purl

**Next Row:** (k2tog) 4 times, k1, (k2tog) 4 times. (9 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl

### **Change to Light Grey**

**Next Row:** Knit

**Next Row:** Purl

**Next Row:** \*K2, inc; rep from \* to end. (12 sts)

Work 5 rows in stst beg purl.

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (6 sts)

**Next Row:** Purl.

**Next Row:** (K2tog) 3 times.

Break yarn, thread through sts and draw up tight, fasten off.

### **Cuff for Sleeve (Make 2 alike)**

Using 3.75mm needles and

**White Ice** (or White DK) cast on 18 sts, knit 2 rows and cast off.

### **COAT SKIRT**

Using **Geranium** and 3.75mm needles cast on 50 sts.

**Row 1:** Knit

**Row 2:** K3, purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Repeat last 2 rows 6 times more.

Break off Geranium and join in White Ice (or White).

Knit 5 rows and cast off.

### **HAT**

Using 3.75m needles and **White Ice** (or White DK) cast on 50 sts.

Work 8 rows in garter stitch.

Break white and join in

**Geranium.**

Work 4 rows in **stst**.

**Next Row:** \*k3,k2tog; rep from \* to end. (40 sts)

Beg purl work 5 rows stst.

**Next Row:** \*k2, k2tog; rep from \* to end. (30 sts)

Beg purl work 5 rows stst.

**Next Row:** \*K1,k2tog; rep from \* to end. (20 sts)

Beg purl work 3 rows stst.

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (10 sts)

Beg purl work 7 rows stst.

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (5sts)

Break yarn and thread through sts, pull yarn tight and fasten off.

### **LEGS/BOOTS (Make 2 alike)**

Using 3.75m needles and **Black** cast on 21 sts.

Work 4 rows in garter stitch.

Change to stst and work 12 rows stst.

### **Divide for foot**

K14, turn.

**Next Row:** P7, turn and work on these sts for instep.

Work 10 rows stst break yarn.

Rejoin yarn to sts left on right hand needle, pick up and knit 5sts up right side of instep, knit across 7 sts at toe, pick and knit 5 sts down left hand side of instep, finally knit across stitches remaining on left hand needle.

(31 sts)

**Next Row:** Knit

Knit 6 rows in garter stitch.

**Next Row:** K2tog across row to last st, K1.

**Next Row:** Knit

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (16 sts)

**Next Row:** Knit

**Next Row:** K2tog across row. (8 sts)

Cast off.

### **BELT**

Using **Black** and 3.75mm needles, cast on 5 sts.

Continue in garter stitch until piece measures 24cm and cast off.

### **FRONT BAND**

Using 3.75mM needles and **White Ice** (or White DK), cast on 5sts.

Work in garter stitch for 6cm, cast off.

### **To Make Up**

Sew seam on head, stuff and shape and if using safety eyes insert them before closing.

Always make sure the backs are firmly in place. Sew the nose onto the front of the head. Take a pair of ears, one pink and one grey. Sew together. Pleat the base and sew to the side of the head. Repeat with the other ear.

Thread some yarn through on each side of the nose for whiskers. Sew seam on hat.

Make a small pompom using the glittery white DK and attach to top of hat. Add a little stuffing to inside of hat to keep its shape, place on head and catch down all around the lower edge. Take the body and sew seam, stuff and shape before closing. Seam runs down centre back. Sew front band in place onto front of body.

Use picture as a guide. Place skirt around waist line of body, join at centre front and catch down along the top. Take belt and wrap around body over the top of the skirt. Sew in place with join at centre back. Cut a small buckle out of felt and either glue or sew in place. Sew seams on boots, stuff and shape. Leave top open. Sew the boots to the body in a sitting position. Sew sleeve seams, stuff and shape.

Join cuffs and sew in place on each arm. Sew an arm to either side of the body at shoulder level. Sew head to body.



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