



## Baby Uggs

3-6 months (6-12 months, 12 – 18 months)



These cute baby booties are a quick project to knit. They're knit in one piece, so there's hardly any seaming or ends to weave in and they stay on pretty well even without ribbons. The 3D construction does make them a little trickier than regular booties, but if you can get your head around it, you'll love the result!

### Materials

1 ball DK yarn

Pair US size 5 needles, tapestry needle

### Cuff

CO 16 and work an even number of rows of garter stitch (knit every row) for 5" (5.5", 6.5") Bind off, leaving last stitch on needle. Pick up stitches evenly along the side until you have 30 (34, 38) stitches on the needle.

Knit 6 (6, 8) rows. (Garter stitch)

Work a further 5 rows in stocking stitch, starting with a purl row (p row, k row, p row, k row, p row).



**Instep** - see diagram below for a visual

Knit 20 (22, 24) stitches. Turn. Purl 10 stitches. (See step 1 on the diagram below). Work 13 (13, 15) more rows stocking stitch (ending with k row) on these 10 stitches. (See step 2).

Pick up 7 (8, 9) stitches along side of instep. Knit across 10 (12, 14) stitches on needle. (See step 3).

Purl 17 (20, 23) stitches, m1, p 10, m1, pick up 7 (8, 9) stitches along other side of instep. Make sure you are picking the stitches up on the correct side of the bootie so that the seam created is on the wrong side/inside of the instep.

Purl 10 (12, 14). You should have 46 (52, 58) stitches. (See step 4).

K 1 row

P 1 row

K 1 row

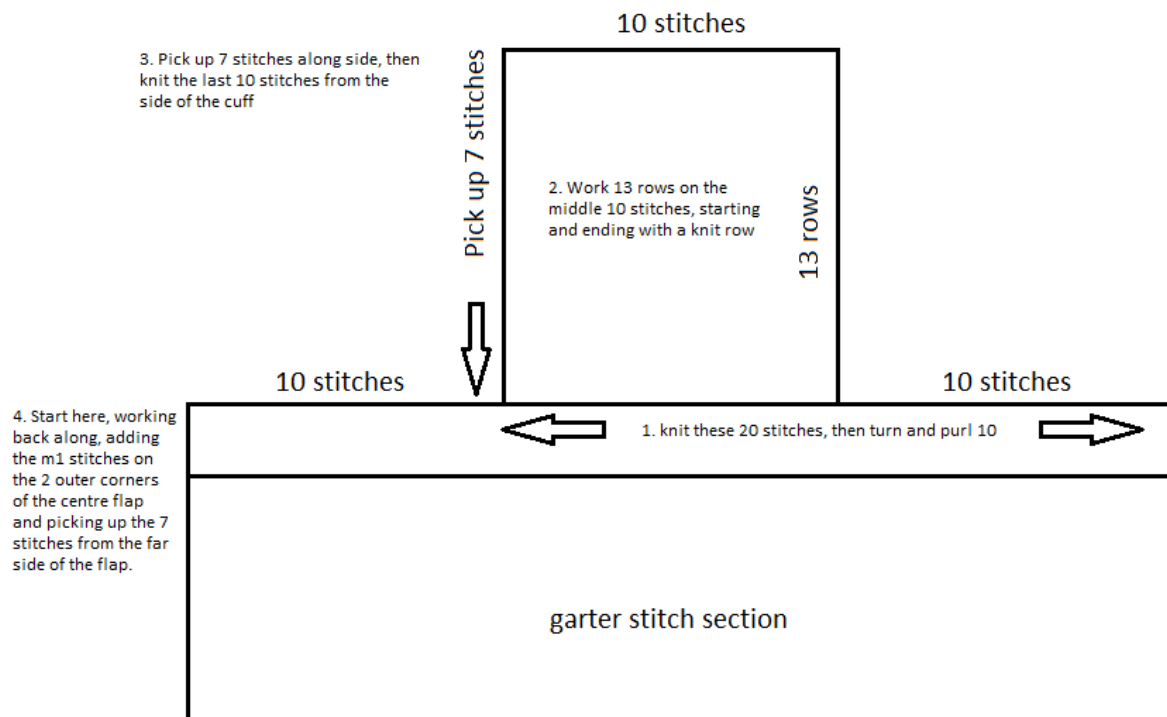
P 1 row

K3, ssk, knit to 5 stitches from end, k2tog, k3 (44, 50, 56 st)

P 1 row

K3, ssk, knit to 5 stitches from end, k2tog, k3 (42, 48, 54 st)

P 1 row





### **Sole**

(RS) k3, ssk, k12 (15, 18), k2tog, k4, ssk, k12 (15, 18), k2tog, k3 - (38, 44, 50 st)

K 1 row

(RS) k3, ssk, k10 (13, 16), k2tog, k4, ssk, k10 (13, 16), k2tog, k3 - (34, 40, 46 st)

K 1 row

(RS) k3, ssk, k8 (11, 14), k2tog, k4, ssk, k8 (11, 14), k2tog, k3 - (30, 36, 42 st)

K 1 row

For large size only:

(RS) k3, ssk, k12, k2tog, k4, ssk, k12, k2tog, k3 – (38 st)

K 1 row

### **Finishing**

Divide stitches over 2 needles. With right sides together, use kitchener stitch or 3 needle bind off to close up sole. Using tail from beginning of yarn, sew back seam, reversing seam at cuff to hide seam on the fold over cuff. Weave in any ends. Turn down cuff.

Sole measurement 3.5"/8.5cm for smallest size

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**Notes:** There is no need to w&t when turning mid row for the in step. They are not short rows.

I don't bother, but you may wish to put the first and last lot of 10 stitches onto stitch holders when working the instep. (After step 1 of instep)

Abbreviation m1 = make 1. See here for details: <http://www.knittinghelp.com/videos/increases>. I use the M1L video.

ssk = slip, slip, knit

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

If you prefer, you can finish the booties with the wrong sides together. This will put the seam on the outside of the baby ugg, but may make them more comfortable for babies.