# \*Dishy legs baby tights - Delicate



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## **ABBREVIATIONS:**

st[s]	= stitch(es)	<b>eyelet</b> = k2tog, yo, on the next round p the yo
k	= knit	<b>mid dec</b> = when 2 sts remain before the middle
р	= purl	k2tog, k2togtbl
patt	= pattern	
tbl	= through the back loop	
k2tog	= knit 2 sts together	
yo	= yarn over	
inc	= increase(s)	
dec	= decrease(s)	
cont	= continue	

### **LEGGINGS:**

On size 3 mm double pointed needles cast on 52 (52) 56 (60) 60 sts .

Work 24 [36] 20 [32] 26 rounds of rib, k2, p2, start and end the round with k1.

Now inc 1 st after the first st and before the last st by picking up the thread between two sts and k or p it tbl so it fits in with the rib pattern.

Work inc on every 6th round a total of 8 [8] 12 [12] 16 times and then on every 2nd round a total of 4 times, you now have 76 [76] 88 [92] 100 sts on the round.

The leg now measures approx. 21 [23] 27 [30] 34 cm.

Let the work rest, make another leg in the same way.

Now work across both legs and work 3 rounds across all 152 [152] 176 [184] 200 sts.

Now work short rows in the back to make room for at diaper while at the same time working dec on the front.

The round starts mid back.

Work 14 sts of rib, turn.

Slip 1 st, tighten the yarn, work 27 sts of rib, turn.

Slip 1 st, tighten the yarn, work a round, to avoid holes work the thread between the sts together with the next/previous st where the turn is, at the same time work dec on the front on every 2nd round.

K 1 round.

Now work short rows as before but inc the number of sts by 4 so you work 18 sts before turning and 36 sts before turning again.

Cont in this way by working short rows on every 2nd row, remember the dec on the front. Work short rows a total of 5 times and work 8 dec mid front.

Work even in rib patt until the leggings measure 22 [23] 24 [25] 26 cm mid front, work a row of eyelets in all the p "grooves".

Work 10 rounds of rib, cast off loosely.

Crochet a drawstring to pull through the eyelet row, work approx. 95 (95) 100 (105) 110 cm chain sts, turn and work a slip st in every chain st.

Weave in the ends and sew the little hole between the leqs, pull the drawstring through the eyelet row.

Rinse in lukewarm water, pull into shape and let it dry.

SIZES 62 [68] 74 [86] 92

#### MEASUREMENTS

Length approx.: 46 (50) 54 (58) 63 cm

#### YARN

**Delicate Fraya** 100% Merino Wool extra fine 50 g = 175 m

YARDAGE 150 (150) 150 (200) 200 g

#### GAUGE

32 sts and 38 rows to 10 x 10 cm in rib patt k2, p2 on size 3 mm needles [pull the rib a bit when measuring]

#### SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZE

UK size 11 (3 mm) double pointed needles, UK size 12/13 [ $2\frac{1}{2}$  mm] crochet hook

Please note: The needle sizes given above are only suggestions. The size of the needles you need depends on your personal gauge. If you knit firmly you might need a large needle size, if you knit loosely you might need a smaller needle size.

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