Little Butterfly

This pattern is knitted with double knit wool and on 3 mm or 11 needles however you can use larger needles if you wish - it will just come out bigger!



Abbreviations: k - knit. p - purl. st - stitch. tog-together. st - Stocking Stitch (k1row, p1row). Knit into the front and the back of the stitch

Wings – Make 2

With white or yellow, cast on 30 sts Starting with a purl row, st-st 15 rows Cast off

Sew down the row ends so the wings are double thickness. Allow the cast on and cast off edges to curl. The centres will be gathered at the end.

Antennae – Make 1

With dark yellow, cast on 20 sts Starting with a purl row, st-st 3 rows

Cast off

Allow the piece to curl upon itself and secure with stitches if needed

Body – Make 1

With dark yellow, cast on 26 sts Starting with a purl row, st-st 3 rows Cast off

Allow the piece to curl upon itself and secure with stitches if needed

Gather the wings in the centre and place the antennae at the top. Wrap the body piece round the wings and antennae and secure with stitches.