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## Lamb Car Seat Strap Cover Knitting Pattern



### Materials:

- Yarn: Approximately 75 yards of bulky (5) weight yarn (60 yards of fuzzy white & 15 yards of dark grey)

(I used Beautiful by Purl Essence for the white and two strands of Paton's Classic Wool Worsted for grey)

- Knitting Needles: Size 6.0 mm (US10) Straight and Double Pointed Needles (or use the Magic Loop Method) OR whatever size is needed to achieve gauge

- 7/8 inch (or similar size) Velcro squares
- Hot Glue
- Filling or Yarn Scraps
- Yarn or Tapestry Needle

### Gauge:

7 sts and 11 rows = 2 inches (5 centimeters) in Stockinette Stitch

\*\*\*It is important to check your gauge!\*\*\*

### Abbreviations:

- K: Knit
- KFB: Knit Front and Back (increase)
- K2tog: Knit the next two stitches together
- P2tog: Purl the next two stitches together
- \*\*: Repeat the section in between the two stars as specified

## Strap Cover Pattern (Make 2)

Cast on 24 sts onto straight needles using white yarn

**Row 1:** Knit

**Row 2:** Purl

**Repeat Rows 1&2 until your piece measures approx. 5 inches (12.75cm) from the cast on edge.**

Cut yarn and secure and weave in all ends.

Use hot glue to attach two Velcro squares to one side of your cover with inside edge of square approx. 1.5 inches (3.75cm) from the cover's edge. Attach the coordinating squares in the same position on the other side of cover. See photos below.



Photo 1 – Velcro squares attached to cover



Photo 2 – Cover flipped to opposite side with coordinating squares.

## Lamb Pattern (Make 2)

Cast on 4 sts onto Double Pointed Needles using grey yarn

Join in the round and place stitch marker.

**Round 1:** KFB each stitch around (8 total sts)

**Round 2:** \*KFB1, K1\* Repeat around (12 total sts)

**Round 3:** \*KFB1, K2\* Repeat around (16 total sts)

**Rounds 4-6:** Knit

Drop grey yarn and pick up white yarn

**Round 5:** \*KFB1, K3\* Repeat around (20 total sts)

**Rounds 6-10:** Knit

**Round 11:** \*K2tog\* Repeat around (10 total sts)

Turn project inside out and secure and weave in all ends. Stuff the head using yarn scraps or filling to desired firmness. Then continue with Round 9.

**Round 9:** \*K2tog\* Repeat around (5 total sts)

Cut yarn leaving an approx. 12 inch (30.5cm) tail to use for attaching the head to strap cover later. Do not bind off. Using yarn needle, remove all sts from DPNs or magic loop, as if to purl. Pull tail through sts to cinch the back of head. Secure yarn.

## Ear Pattern (Make 2):

Cast on 4 sts onto Straight Needles using grey yarn (leave an approx. 12 inch (30.5cm) tail)

**Row 1:** Knit

**Row 2:** Purl

**Row 3:** K2tog, K2tog (2 total sts)

**Row 4: P2tog**

Cut yarn and secure ends. Use your starting yarn tail to secure the base of the ear (4 stitch side) into a folded position. Then use tail to attach the ear to the side of the lamb's head 1 round back from the start of white. Secure and weave in all ends.

Use your yarn or tapestry needle to secure the lamb's head to the top center of the strap cover when folded.

Use your yarn needle to embroider a nose and eyes onto lamb's face.

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