



# NURTURING FIBRES

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## GNOME OAKIES



### MATERIALS

#### Needles

3mm / US 2.5 straight needles.

#### Yarn

Double knit wool remnants

You will need an acorn for each Gnome Oakie.

#### Gauge

Gauge is not important. Use a smaller needle than recommended for the yarn to create a sturdy fabric.

#### Size

Each Gnome Oakie stands about 5cm / 2" tall.

### ABBREVIATIONS

k: knit

p: purl

k2tog: knit two stitches together

### PATTERN

Cast on 15 stitches

Rows 1 – 5: knit.

Row 6: purl.

Row 7: k3, cast off 9 stitches, k3 (6 stitches).

Row 8: k3, turn knitting around and cast on 9 stitches, then turn knitting around again and k3 (15 stitches).

Rows 9 - 10: knit.

Row 11: \*k2tog, k3; repeat from \* to end (12 stitches).

Row 12: purl.

Row 13: \*k2tog, k2; repeat from \* to end (9 stitches).

Row 14: purl.

Row 15: \*k2tog, k1; repeat from \* to end (6 stitches).

Row 16: purl.

Row 17: \*k2tog; repeat from \* to end (3 stitches).

Thread yarn through the 3 remaining stitches and sew up the Oakie.

