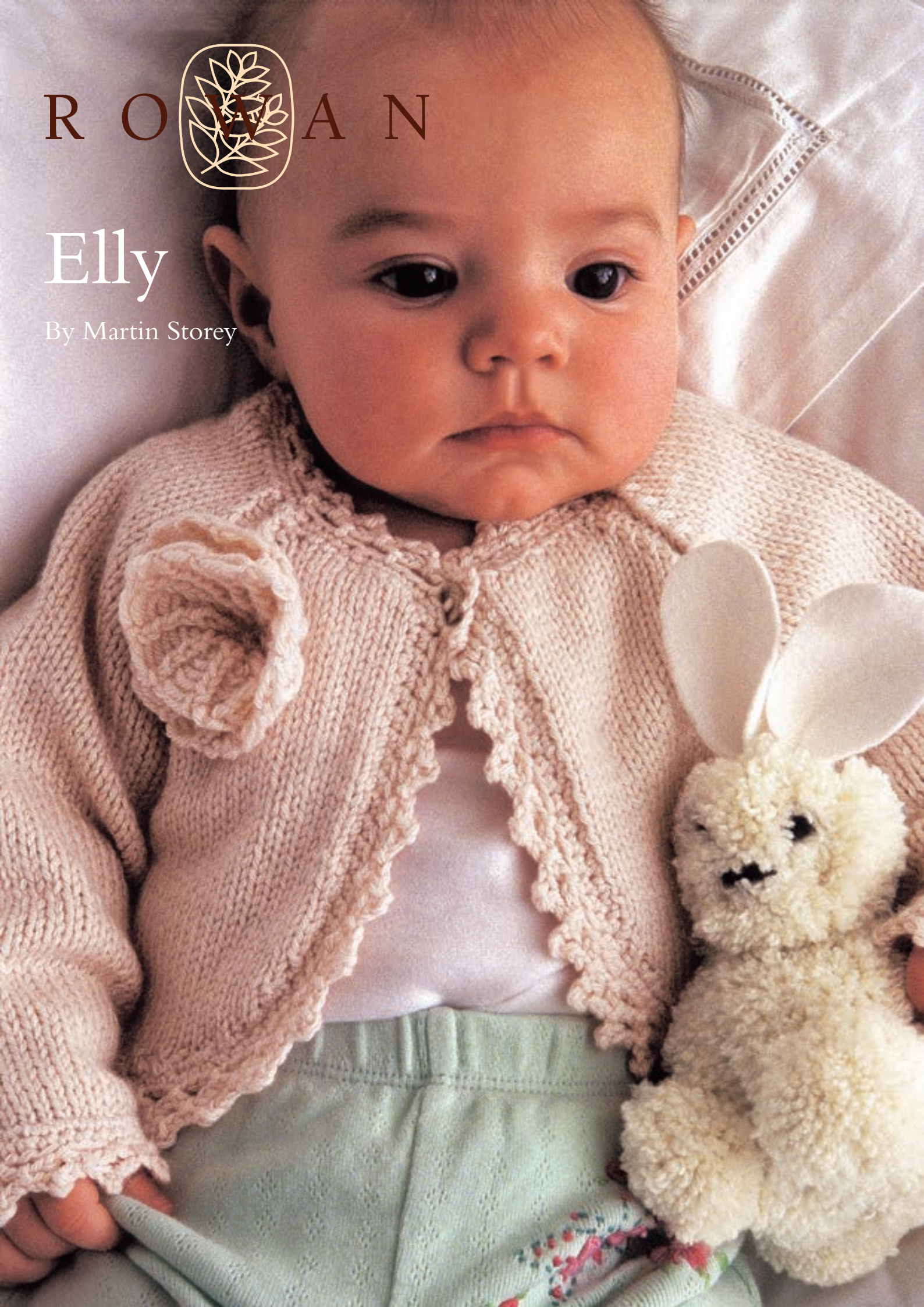


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YARN

	0-3	3-6	6-12	12-18	months
To fit chest	41	46	51	56	cm
	16	18	20	22	in

Baby Merino Silk DK

2 3 3 4 x 50gm
(photographed in Shell Pink 674)

NEEDLES

1 pair 4mm (no 8) (US 6) needles
3.50mm (no 9) (USA E4) crochet hook

BUTTONS

1 x small

TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm measured over stocking stitch using 4mm (US 6) needles.

CROCHET ABBREVIATIONS

ss = slip stitch; ch = chain; dc = double crochet; tr = treble;
sp(s) = space(s)

BACK

Using 4mm (US 6) needles cast on 45 [51: 57: 63] sts.
Beg with a K row, cont in st st, shaping side seams by inc 1 st at each end of 5th [9th: 9th: 13th] and foll 6th [8th: 8th: 12th] row.

49 [55: 61: 67] sts.

Cont straight until back meas 6 [8: 9: 13] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglan armholes

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.
45 [51: 57: 63] sts.

0-3 months only

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K to last 4 sts, K2tog tbl, P2.

Next row: K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Next row: P2, K to last 2 sts, P2.

Next row: K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Rep last 4 rows once more. 41 sts.

12-18 months only

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K to last 4 sts, K2tog tbl, P2.

Next row: K2, P2tog tbl, P to last 4 sts, P2tog, K2. 59 sts.

All sizes

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K to last 4 sts, K2tog tbl, P2.

Next row: K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Rep last 2 rows 10 [15: 17: 17] times more, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off rem 19 [19: 21: 23] sts.

LEFT FRONT

Using 4mm (US 6) needles cast on 12 [15: 18: 21] sts.

Beg with a K row, cont in st st as folls:

Work 1 row.

Inc 1 st at beg of next row and at same edge on foll 8 rows, then on 2 foll 3rd rows **and at same time** shaping side seam by inc 1 st at beg of 4th [8th: 8th: 12th] and foll 6th [-: -: -] row. 25 [27: 30: 33] sts.

Inc 1 st at side seam edge of - [next: next: 9th] row. 25 [28: 31: 34] sts.

Cont straight until left front matches back to beg of raglan

armhole shaping, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglan armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row.
23 [26: 29: 32] sts.

Work 1 row.

0-3 months only

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K to end.

Next row: P to last 2 sts, K2.

Next row: P2, K to end.

Next row: P to last 2 sts, K2.

Rep last 4 rows once more. 21 sts.

12-18 months only

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K to end.

Next row: P to last 4 sts, P2tog, K2. 30 sts.

All sizes

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K to end.

Next row: P to last 2 sts, K2.

Rep last 2 rows 6 [11: 13: 12] times more, then first of these 2 rows again, ending with **WS** facing for next row. 13 [13: 14: 16] sts.

Shape neck

Cast off 8 [8: 9: 9] sts at beg of next row.

5 [5: 5: 7] sts.

12-18 months only

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K1, K2tog. 5 sts.

Next row: P2tog, P1, K2. 4 sts.

Next row: P2, K2tog.

0-3, 3-6 and 6-12 months only

Next row (RS): P2, K3tog. 3 sts.

All sizes

Next row (WS): K2tog, K1.

Next row: P2tog and fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT

Using 4mm (US 6) needles cast on 12 [15: 18: 21] sts.

Beg with a K row, cont in st st as folls:

Work 1 row.

Inc 1 st at end of next row and at same edge on foll 8 rows, then on 2 foll 3rd rows **and at same time** shaping side seam by inc 1 st at end of 4th [8th: 8th: 12th] and foll 6th [-: -: -] row. 25 [27: 30: 33] sts.

Complete to match left front, reversing shapings.

SLEEVES

Using 4mm (US 6) needles cast on 31 [33: 35: 35] sts.

Beg with a K row, cont in st st, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 5th and every foll 4th row to 49 [47: 49: 47] sts, then on every foll - [6th: 6th: 6th] row until there are - [51: 55: 57] sts.

Cont straight until sleeve meas 15 [16: 19: 22] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglan

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.
45 [47: 51: 53] sts.

Next row (RS): P2, K2tog, K to last 4 sts,

K2tog tbl, P2.

Next row: K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Rep last 2 rows 12 [13: 15: 16] times more, ending with RS facing for next row. 19 sts.

Working all raglan decreases as set, cont as folls:

Left sleeve only

Dec 1 st at each end of next row, then cast off 4 sts at beg of foll row. 13 sts.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row, then cast off 6 sts at beg of foll row.

Right sleeve only

Cast off 5 sts at beg and dec 1 st at end of next row. 13 sts.

Work 1 row.

Cast off 6 sts at beg and dec 1 st at end of next row.

Work 1 row.

Both sleeves

Cast off rem 6 sts.

MAKING UP

Press as described on the information page.

See information page for finishing instructions.

Crochet edging

With RS facing and using 3.50mm (US E4) crochet hook, rejoin yarn at base of one side seam and work one round of dc evenly around entire hem, front opening and neck edges, ensuring edging lays flat and ending with ss to first dc.

Next round (RS): 1 ch (does NOT count as st), 1 dc into each dc to end, working extra dc or missing dc as required to ensure edging lays flat, ensuring there is a multiple of 3 sts at end of round and ending round with ss to first dc.

Next round: 1 ch (does NOT count as st), 1 dc into first dc, *4 ch, miss 2 dc, 1 dc into next dc, rep from * to last 2 dc, 2 ch, 1 tr into first dc.

Next round: 1 ch (does NOT count as st), 1 dc into ch sp partly formed by tr at end of previous round, *4 ch, ss to 3rd ch from hook, 2 ch, 1 dc into next ch sp, rep from * to end, replacing dc at end of last rep with ss to first dc.

Fasten off.

Work crochet edging around lower edge of sleeves in same way.

Corsage

Using 3 1/4mm (US 3) needles cast on 61 sts.

Row 1 (RS): K1 tbl, *P2, K1 tbl, rep from * to end.

Row 2: P1, *K1 tbl, K1, P1, rep from * to end.

Rows 3 to 6: As rows 1 and 2 twice.

Row 7: K1 tbl, *slip next st off left needle and unravel down to cast-on edge, P1, K1 tbl, rep from * to end. 41 sts.

Row 8: P1, *K1 tbl, P1, rep from * to end.

Row 9: Knit.

Row 10: (P2tog) 20 times, P1. 21 sts.

Cast off knitways, working K2tog across row at same time.

Roll up cast-off edge and secure in place. Using photograph as a guide, sew corsage to front. Sew on button, using loop of crochet edging as buttonhole.

