



LM6294



EASY

## knitting

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### What you will need:

**RED HEART® Amigurumi:**  
1 ball 9392 Hamburger

**Susan Bates® Knitting**  
**Needles:** 3.25 mm [US 3]

Stuffing, yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** 20 sts = about 4" [10 cm] in Stockinette stitch (knit on right side, purl on wrong side). **EXACT GAUGE IS NOT CRITICAL TO THIS PROJECT.** Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

### BUY YARN



**RED HEART® Amigurumi, Art E885** available in 3.5 oz (100 g) 239 yds (219m) cakes



# Yummy Knit Hamburgers

A silly way to show your love for a good hamburger! Make two and give one to someone you love sharing burgers with.

**Burger measures about 3¾" [9.5 cm] diameter at top.**

### Notes

1. Before beginning, separate the different color sections of the yarn as follows: Pop the center color out by pushing gently on the center of the ball so that it comes out intact. Find the point where the color changes and cut the yarn. Repeat this process for the remaining yarn colors by carefully pushing the rings of color out of the larger ring and cutting. Wind each color into a separate ball to prevent tangling. You may find that one color appears both in the center, and on the outside of the ball, wind together or separately. In the pattern instructions, the beige color is referred to as **A**, the red as **B**, the green as **C**, and the brown as **D**.
2. Burger is made in one piece and worked back and forth in rows. Side edges of piece are sewn together using matching yarn and stuffed to complete burger.
3. Yarn color is changed for each section: Bun, tomato, lettuce, patty, and bun.
4. A lettuce ruffle is worked separately and sewn to lettuce section of burger.

### Special Stitch

**kfb (knit into front and back)** = Knit next stitch but do not remove from needle, knit into back loop of same stitch and remove from needle - 1 st increased.

## HAMBURGER

With **A**, cast on 8 sts.

### Bun

**Row 1 (right side):** [Kfb] 8 times—16 sts.

**Row 2:** Purl.

**Row 3:** [K1, kfb] 8 times—24 sts.

**Row 4:** Purl.

**Row 5:** [K2, kfb] 8 times—32 sts.

**Row 6:** Purl.

**Row 7:** [K3, kfb] 8 times—40 sts.

**Row 8:** Purl.

**Row 9:** [K4, kfb] 8 times—48 sts.

**Row 10:** Purl.

**Row 11:** Knit.

**Row 12 (wrong side):** Knit.

### Tomato

Change to **B**.

**Row 13:** Knit.

**Row 14:** Purl.

### Lettuce

Change to **C**.

**Row 15:** Knit.

**Row 16:** Purl.

### Patty

Change to **D**.

**Rows 17–20:** Knit.

### Bun

Change to **A**.

**Rows 21 and 22:** Knit.

**Row 23:** Purl.

**Row 24:** [K4, k2tog] 8 times—40 sts.

**Row 25:** Purl.

**Row 26:** [K3, k2tog] 8 times—32 sts.

**Row 27:** Purl.

**Row 28:** [K2, k2tog] 8 times—24 sts.

**Row 29:** Purl.

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**Row 30:** [K1, k2tog] 8 times—16 sts.

**Row 31:** Purl.

**Row 32:** [K2tog] 8 times—8 sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. Thread tail through stitches of last row and pull to gather. With wrong side facing out, sew burger seam, matching yarn colors as you go and leaving a small opening to turn burger right side out. Turn burger right side out, stuff piece and sew small opening closed.

### LETTUCE RUFFLE

With **C**, cast on 48 sts.

**Row 1:** Knit.

**Row 2:** Kfb each st across—96 sts.

Bind off loosely as if to knit, leaving a long tail for sewing.

### FINISHING

Pin cast-on edge of lettuce ruffle evenly around lettuce section of burger, gathering to shape ruffle. Using yarn tail, sew ruffle in place. Every 1" [2.5 cm] or so around ruffle, sew a few sts around the outside of the ruffle and into the lettuce section of the burger to shape the lettuce "leaves".

Weave in and trim any remaining ends.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**A, B, C, and D** = Color A, Color B, Color C, and Color D; **k** = knit; **k2tog** = knit next 2 sts together; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

