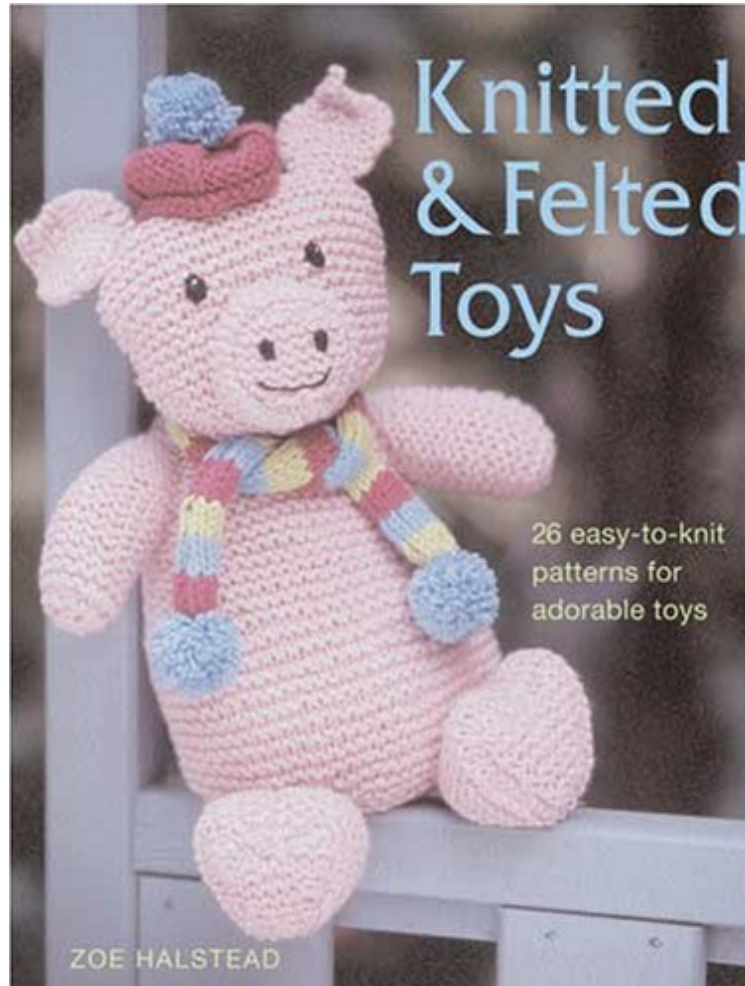


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13 of 13 people found the following review helpful. Cute projects, thin on instructionsBy amberfyreI am an experienced knitter who has knit numerous toys over the years. After skimming through this book and falling in love with several of the patterns, I decided to purchase the book and try my hand at them.Pros:-- Patterns are very cute, and, with the exception of a few spots, fairly well written-- The stitches used aren't overly complex. Most patterns only call for k, p, skpo (slip one, knit one, pass the slipped stitch over the knit one), k2tog, p2tog, and m1.-- There's a range of skill level here from very basic, beginner patterns like tiny mice to more experienced ones that require color work. All

of them are clearly labeled as such. Cons:-- Non-standard knitting jargon in some spots. In the cowboy and pirate pattern for instance it tells you to 'knit up' or 'knit down' rather than pick up stitches in the boot/feet portion as you would expect in a sock or slipper pattern.-- The yarn used is difficult to come by in the US. The yarn brand used in the book are: Sirdar/Hayfield, Rowan, and King Cole. I had to special order the flesh tone from a shop in the UK. The rest I had to find substitutes for here in the States.-- Assembly and finishing instructions are very vague. Most are one or two sentences that essentially tell you to seam the body part in question. There were several oddly shaped pieces I had to puzzle out on my own. There is also no instructions on how to add hair to your dolls nor embroider the faces onto each one either. Again, I was left to puzzle things out on my own. Despite the vague assembly instructions, I was able to work on the fly and figure things out. I would, however, caution inexperienced knitters or those that haven't done their fair share of knitted toys who purchase this book to do so knowing there will be spots where you'll need to either figure things out on your own or ask for help. Having said that though, I do like the patterns in the book and do intend on knitting my way through them all despite the rough spots. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Lots of good stuff
By Nancy Moss I just got the book but I think I will like making the toys Have started on one toy and the directions seem good. Look forward to making a bunch of toys. I make them to give away to kids in need.
Hospitals, foster care etc. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Especially the adorable pirate!
By becky0480 I have made several patterns out of this book and they all turn out really cute. Especially the adorable pirate!

Knitting remains a hip hobby - with new yarns boasting bold colors, fun and fuzzy textures and contemporary designs. Knitters looking for great gift ideas will discover a beautiful collection of cuddly options in the 26 adorable knitted items featured in *Knitted and Felted Toys*. Appealing to babies, toddlers, and older children as well, the loveable knitted companions featured in this book include Leo Lion, Ellie Flowers, Poppy Pig, Ziggy Zebra, and other characters such as a fairy, cowboy and handyman. In addition to easy-to-follow instructions each design includes a skill indicator and a photo of the finished toy. Plus, you will discover a section with complete felting instructions