PATTERN COLLECTION

Accessories

Classic Cap
Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

DIFFICULTY
Easy

SIZES
Baby (Toddler, Child/Teen, Adult Small/Medium, Adult Large)
Shown in Adult Small/Medium size.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
Brim Circumference: 15¼ (17¼, 18¾, 20, 22¾)"
Stretches to approx. 17¼ (19¼, 20¾, 22, 24¾)"
Height (with brim unfolded): 6¾ (7¾, 8¾, 9½, 10)"

MATERIALS
[Universal Yarn](#) *Posh Alpaca* (45% wool, 25% super fine alpaca, 30% acrylic; 100g/98 yds)
- 101 Birch – 1 ball (all sizes)

Needle: US Size 11 (8 mm) 16" circular and set of DPNs (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences) *or size needed to obtain gauge*
US Size 10.5 (6.5 mm) 16" circular and set of DPNs (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences)
Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers

GAUGE
12 sts x 16 rnds = 4" in Stockinette stitch (St st)
Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

Knit using our gorgeous Posh Alpaca yarn, the Classic Cap is light, lofty, and perfect for everyone! This simple design features a twisted rib brim and stockinette stitch body. It can be worn relaxed and a bit slouchy, or with the brim folded upwards for an on-trend, watch cap look. This beanie is certain to keep you warm and cozy all winter long.

This hat is knit seamlessly in the round from the bottom up.

STITCH GUIDE
K1, P1 Twisted Rib
(even number of sts)
Rnd 1: * K1 tbl, p1 tbl; rep from * to end.
Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS
HAT
Brim
With smaller DPNs (Baby size) or 16" circ ndl (all sizes except Baby), cast on 46 (52, 56, 60, 68) sts. PM and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist.
Work in K1, P1 Twisted Rib for 1½ (1¾, 2¼, 2¼, 2½)". Change to larger DPNs (Baby size) or 16" circ ndl (all sizes except Baby).

Main Hat
Rnd 1: Knit.
Rep Rnd 1 until piece meas approx. 3½ (4½, 5½, 6¼, 6¾)" from cast-on edge.

Shape Crown
Note: If you are using a 16" circ ndl, change to DPNs or your preferred ndl for knitting small circumferences in the rnd when there are too few sts to fit comfortably around the circ ndl.

Baby Size Only:
Dec Rnd 1: [K9, sssk, pm] 2 times, [k9, ssk, pm] 2 times – 6 sts dec'd, 40 sts rem.

Toddler Size Only:
Dec Rnd 1: [K8, sssk, pm] 2 times, [k8, ssk, pm] 3 times – 7 sts dec'd, 45 sts rem.

Child/Teen Size Only:
Dec Rnd 1: [K7, sssk, pm] 2 times, [k7, ssk, pm] 4 times – 8 sts dec'd, 48 sts rem.

Adult Small/Medium Size Only:
Dec Rnd 1: [K8, ssk, pm] 6 times – 6 sts dec'd, 54 sts rem.

Adult Medium/Large Size Only:
Dec Rnd 1: [K9, sssk, pm] 2 times, [k9, ssk, pm] 4 times – 8 sts dec'd, 60 sts rem.

ALL SIZES
40 (45, 48, 54, 60) sts.
Next Rnd: Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.
Dec Rnd: * Knit to 2 sts bef m, ssk, sl m; rep from * to end – 36 (40, 42, 48, 54) sts rem.
Even Rnd: Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.
Rep Dec Rnd and Even Rnd, 4 more times – 20 (20, 18, 24, 30) sts rem.
Next Rnd: * Ssk; rep from * to end, removing markers as you come to them – 10 (10, 9, 12, 10) sts dec'd, 10 (10, 9, 12, 10) sts rem. Break yarn leaving a tail approx. 6-8" long. Thread tail through rem live sts and pull taut to close.

FINISHING
Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

approx	approximately
bef	before
circ	circular
dec('d)	decrease(d)
dpn(s)	double pointed needle(s)
k	knit
m	marker
meas	measures
ndl	needle
p	purl
patt	pattern
pm	place marker
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rnd	round
sl	slip
ssk	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
sssk	slip next 3 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (2 sts dec'd)
St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
st(s)	stitch(es)
tbl	through the back loop(s)