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## BRICKWELL HAT

EP115

This chunky-weight textured hat will fly off the needles in no time!

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**SKILL LEVEL:** Intermediate

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

One size will fit most adults; hat will stretch to fit a range of sizes.

**Circumference:** 16-22 in (40-56 cm)

**Height:** 9 in (23 cm), for hat with folded brim: 11 ½ in (29 cm) from brim to top unfolded.

### MATERIALS

- 1 skein of Llama Natural Chunky  
20% Llama, 80% Merino Wool  
125m (138 yds) per 100g
- 5mm (US 8) 16" Circular
- 6mm (US 10) 16" Circular
- 6mm (US 10) Double Point Needles
- 1 Stitch Marker

### GAUGE

14 sts x 20 rounds = 4x4 inches (10x10 cm) on 6mm needles in stockinette stitch.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**k** - knit  
**p** - purl  
**tbl** - through back loop  
**sl1** - slip one stitch (knitwise or purlwise will be indicated in pattern)  
**wyib** - with yarn in back  
**ssk** - slip, slip, knit  
**sts** - stitches  
**rnd** - round  
**rep** - repeat  
**pm** - place marker  
**rm** - remove marker

### INSTRUCTIONS

Using 5mm (US 8) circular needles, cast on **60 sts**, join in the round, place marker to indicate end of round.

**Ribbing:** \*K2, p2; rep to end of rnd.

Repeat ribbing for 2 inches total.

For a folded brim, repeat ribbing for 5 inches total.

Change to size 6mm (US 10) needles.

**R1:** \*K1, k1tbl, k1, k1 while wrapping yarn twice; rep from \* to end of rnd.

**R2:** \*K3, sl1 knitwise while letting the second loop drop; rep from \* to end of rnd.

**R3:** \*K3, sl1 purlwise; rep from \* to end of rnd.

**R4:** \*P3, sl1 purlwise wyib; rep from \* to end of rnd.

**R5:** \*K1, k1 while wrapping yarn twice, k1, k1tbl; rep from \* to end of rnd.

**R6:** K1, \*sl1 knitwise while letting the second loop drop, k3; rep from \* to last 3 sts, sl1 knitwise while letting the second loop drop, k2.

**R7:** K1, \*sl1 purlwise, k3; rep from \* to last 3 sts, sl1 purlwise, k2.

**R8:** P1, \*sl1 purlwise wyib, p3; rep from \* to last 3 sts, sl1 purlwise wyib, p2.

Repeat R1 to R8 **four more times** for a total of **five repeats**. Then work R1-R2 **once more**.

### Crown Decreases:

**R1:** \*K3, sl1 purlwise, k3, sl1 purlwise, k1, ssk, sl1 purlwise; rep from \* to end of rnd. (55 sts)

**R2:** \*P2tog, p1, sl1 purlwise wyib, p2tog, p1, sl1 purlwise wyib, p2, sl1 purlwise wyib; rep from \* to end of rnd. (45 sts)

**R3:** \*K2, k1tbl; rep from \* to end of rnd. (45 sts)

**R4:** \*K3, ssk; rep from \* to end of rnd. (36 sts)

**R5:** Rm, k1, pm, \*k2, ssk; rep from \* to end of rnd. (27 sts)

**R6:** Rm, k1, pm, \*k1, ssk; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18 sts)

**R7:** Rm, k1, pm, \*ssk; rep from \* to end of rnd. (9 sts)

**R8:** Knit to end of rnd.

### Finishing:

Cut yarn leaving a 7 inch tail and pull yarn through remaining stitches. Cinch tight and weave in ends.