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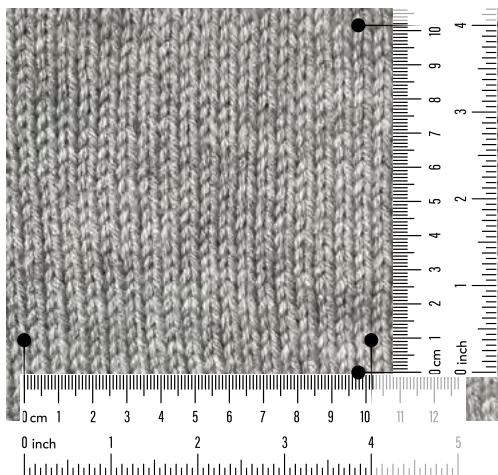
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WHAT YOU'LL NEED



GAUGE

18 stitches (sts) and 24 rows = 4" [10 cm]
in stocking st with larger needles.



YARN

- **Bernat® Super Value™**
(7 oz/197 g; 440 yds/402 m)

COLORS

Quantity

Version 1: Extra Large Pompom

- Peony Pink (53417)
1 ball or 295 yds/268 m

Version 2: Medium Pompom

- Soft Gray (53046) **or** Grass (53223)
1 ball or 223 yds/203 m

TOOLS

- Sizes U.S. 7 [4.5 mm] and U.S. 8 [5 mm] Susan Bates® circular knitting needles 16" [40.5 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.**
- Susan Bates® yarn needle.
- Susan Bates® stitch marker.
- **Optional:** Clover® Medium **or** Extra-Large Pompom maker.
- Tape measure.

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USING THIS GUIDE

Click on the underlined words throughout the pattern to access our library of helpful tools.

SIZE

One size to fit Adult.

Version 1
Peony
Pink



Version 2
Soft
Gray



Version 2
Grass



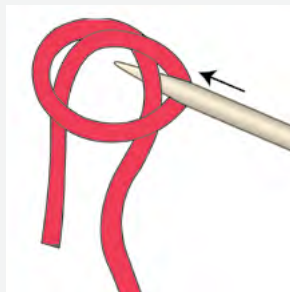
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Slip knot: *Make a loop with yarn and fold it on itself to make a pretzel shape.*



With tip of needle, pull working yarn through the pretzel to create loop and pull yarn to tighten.



With smaller circular needle, cast on 84 stitches (sts).

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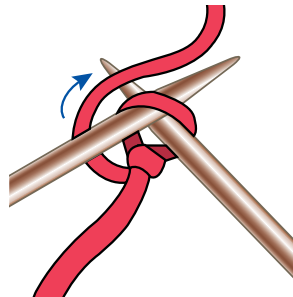
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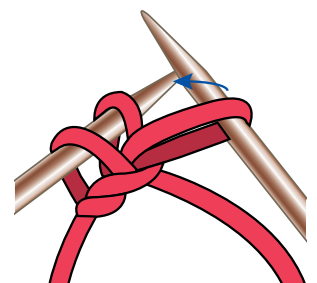
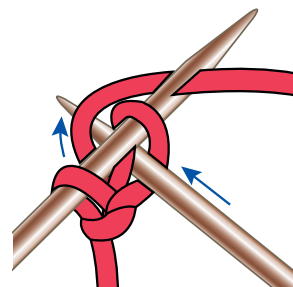
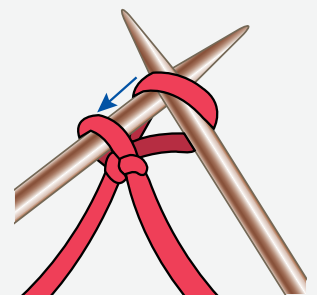
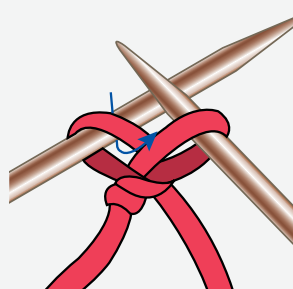
Start with slip knot on left-hand needle.



Insert right-hand needle through loop holding yarn at back, inserting needle from bottom up. Wrap yarn around needle in counter-clockwise direction as shown.



Pull loop through stitch on needle, then transfer loop from right-hand needle back onto left-hand needle. 2 stitches now on needle.



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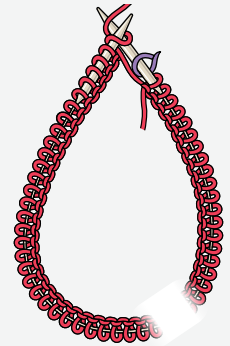
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Continue (cont) casting on in this same manner until there are 84 sts on left-hand side of circular needle.

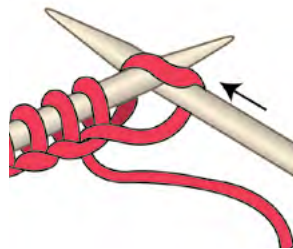
Place stitch marker on needle after last st cast on. Join in round (rnd), being careful not to twist stitches (sts).



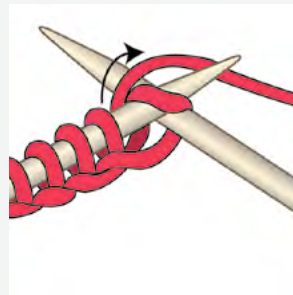
1st round (rnd): *Knit 2 (K2). Purl 2 (P2). Repeat (rep) from * around.

Knit 1 (K1):

**Insert right-hand needle from left to right through front of next stitch on left-hand needle.*

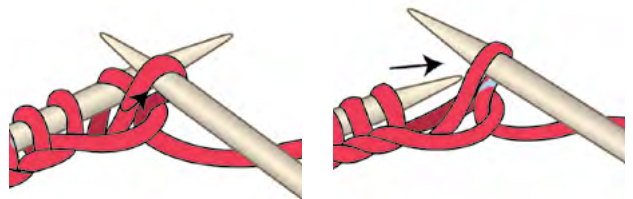


Wrap working yarn counter-clockwise around right-hand needle



Pull through a loop, dropping stitch from left-hand needle - 1 stitch knit.

Repeat (rep) from * once more. Total 2 knit stitches (sts).



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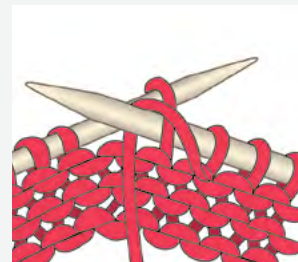
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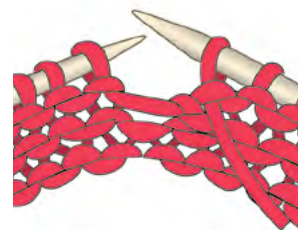
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Purl 1 (P1)

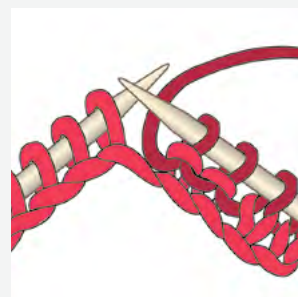
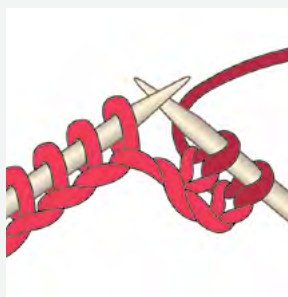
*Going under needle, reposition your working yarn from back of work to front of work. *Insert right-hand needle from **right to left** through **front** of next stitch on left-hand needle. Wrap working yarn counter-clockwise around right-hand needle.*



Pull up a loop through back of stitch and drop stitch from left-hand needle - 1 purl stitch complete.



Repeat (rep) from * once more.
Total 2 purl stitches (sts).
Move yarn to back of work before
knitting next 2 sts.



Continue (cont) in (K2. P2) ribbing to end of rnd.

1st round (rnd) complete.

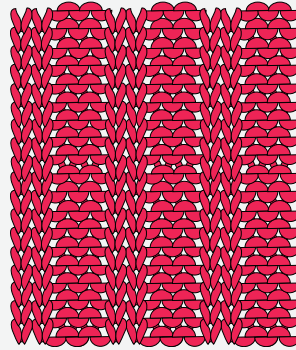
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Rep 1st rnd until work from beginning (beg) measures 5" [12.5 cm].

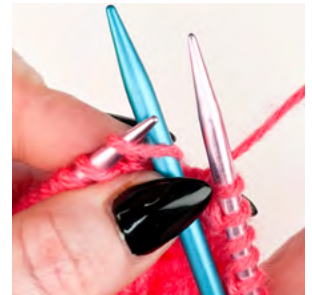


Change to larger circular needle and proceed as follows:

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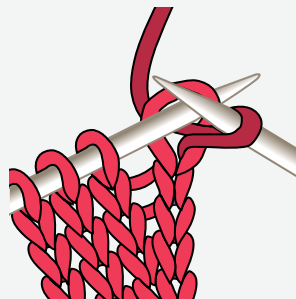
At end of last rnd worked with smaller needle, remove stitch marker.

Pick up larger circular needle and use as your working needle for rnd, being sure to knit first st of rnd tightly to avoid a gap.

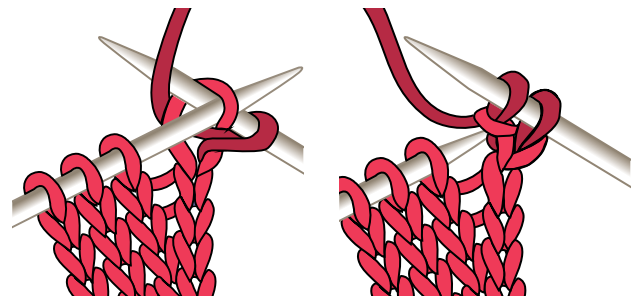


Next rnd: (Increase rnd). [K20. Increase 1 stitch by knitting in front and back of next stitch (Kfb)] 4 times. 88 sts.

Kfb: *Knit into front of next stitch, but **do not** drop stitch off of left-hand needle.*



Insert needle through back of same st and knit into that stitch again.



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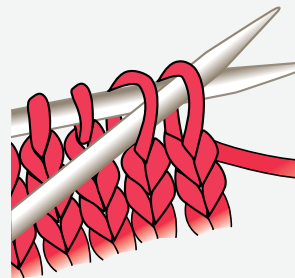
Note: After last st on smaller circular has been worked, replace st marker on needle between last and first st of rnd.



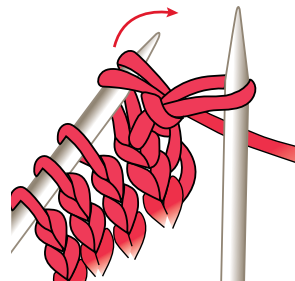
Work in **stocking st** (knit every rnd) until stocking st section after ribbing measures 4" [10 cm].

K2tog:

*Insert right-hand needle from **left to right** through next 2 stitches on left-hand needle. Wrap working yarn around right-hand needle counter-clockwise*



and draw up a loop through front of both sts - K2tog made.



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Shape crown: 1st rnd: *Knit next 2 stitches together (K2tog). K9. Rep from * around. 80 sts.

1st round (rnd) of crown complete.

2nd rnd: Knit.

3rd rnd: *K2tog. K8. Rep from * around. 72 sts.

4th rnd: Knit.

5th rnd: *K2tog. K7. Rep from * around. 64 sts.

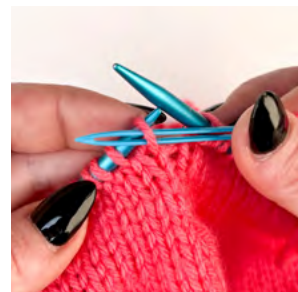
6th rnd: Knit.



Cut yarn, leaving a long tail 16" [40.5 cm] long. Thread tail onto yarn needle and pass through remaining (rem) sts and remove sts from needle. Pull to gather and close top opening.

Threading tail through rem sts:

Thread tail onto yarn needle. Insert yarn needle from right to left through next st on left-hand needle.



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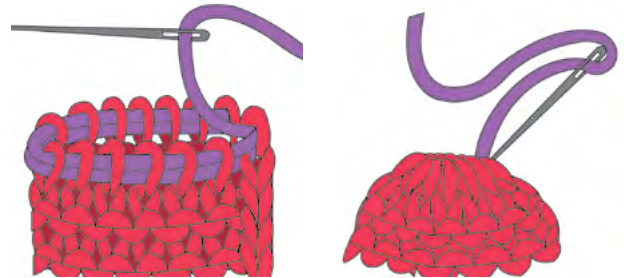
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Draw yarn through. Pass st off needle onto yarn tail.

Rep until yarn tail has been threaded with all sts.

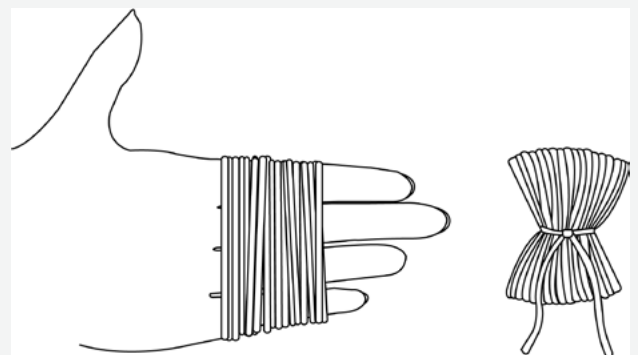


Cinch tail to gather and close Crown, but do not cut tail. Thread tail securely through top of Beanie and cut tail end.



Pompom

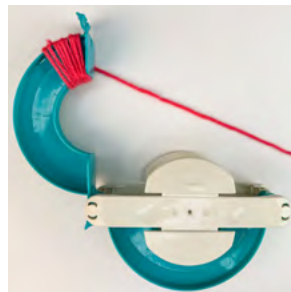
Wind yarn around 4 fingers 80 times. Tie tightly in the middle and leave a long end for attaching to Beanie. Cut loops at both ends and trim to smooth round shape. Sew to top of Beanie.



or

Use Medium for Version 2 or Extra-Large size for Version 1 pompom maker as follows:

Working back and forth across open half of Pompom maker, wrap yarn evenly around until full.



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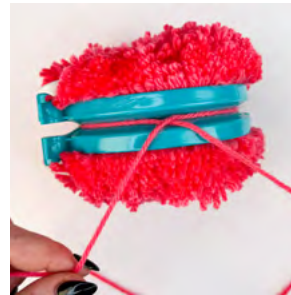
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Close half and rep for opposite half of Pompom maker. Close Pompom maker. Inserting scissors into central groove, cut wrapped yarn around circumference of Pompom maker.



Cut a strand of yarn approx 12" [30.5 cm] long and wrap securely around center of Pompom maker. Tie a knot to secure strands.



Remove pompom from Pompom maker.



Holding pompom by tails used to secure strands to avoid cutting these, trim pompom to an even round shape.



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Thread tails of Pompom through center of Beanie. Tie tails of Pompom securely to tail used to gather Crown.



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