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KNIT I SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

## AbBREVIATIONS

```
Alt = Alternat(e)(ing)
Beg=Begin(ning)(s)
Cont = Continue(ity)
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches
together
Kfb = Increase 1 stitch by knitting
into front and back of next stitch
P = Purl
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Rem = Remaining
Rep $=$ Repeat
RS = Right side
Ssk = Slip next 2 stitches knitwise
one at a time. Pass them back
onto left-hand needle, then knit
through back loops together.
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WS = Wrong side

## SIZE

One size to fit Adult.

## GAUGE

15 sts and 20 rows $=4$ " $[10 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] in stocking st with larger needles.

## INSTRUCTIONS

## Notes:

- Before working with Caron ${ }^{\circledR} \times$ Pantone $^{T M}$ multishade yarn braid, separate each color link and wind into 5 separate balls for each braid.

- Each color link will be referenced by its Pantone ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ color \# (see label).


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- Due to finite amount of yarn in each shade, pattern gauge must be matched to ensure successful results
- Each color link will be referenced by its Pantone color number (see label
- Designate each different shade of the 5 separate yarn balls as Contrast A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I and J as noted in Materials section (or as desired).
- Due to finite amount of yarn in each shade, pattern gauge must be matched to ensure successful results
- When working from chart, wind small balls of colors to be used, one for each separate area of color in the design. Start new colors at appropriate points. To change colors, twist the two colors around each other where they meet, on WS, to avoid a hole.

With MC and smaller needles, cast on 82 sts.
1st row: (RS). K1. *K2. P2. Rep from * to last st. K1.
2nd row: P1. *K2. P2. Rep from * last st. P1.

Rep last 2 rows (K2. P2) ribbing until work from beg measures $21 / 2$ " $[6.5 \mathrm{~cm}]$, ending on a WS row.

Change to larger needles.
Next row: (RS). *K20. Kfb. Rep from * to last 19 sts. K19. 85 sts. Next row: Purl.
Next row: Knit row 1 of chart, reading row from right to left.

Chart is now in position. Keeping cont of chart, proceed in stocking st for 23 more rows.

Shape top: Keeping cont of chart, proceed as follows:
25th row: *ssk. K13. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 75 sts.
26th and alt rows: Purl.
27th row: *ssk. K11. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 65 sts.
29th row: *ssk. K9. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 55 sts.
31st row: *ssk. K7. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 45 sts.
33rd row: *ssk. K5. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 35 sts. 35th row: *ssk. K3. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 25 sts.
37th row: *ssk. K1. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 15 sts.

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem loops and fasten securely. Sew back seam.

Pompom: Wind MC around 4 fingers approx 90 times. Tie tightly in middle, leaving a long end for attaching to Hat. Cut loops at both ends and trim to a smooth round shape. Sew to top of Hat.


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## Version One



Start Here
Version Two


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> Key
> $\square=$ MC
> $\square=$ Contrast A
> $\square=$ Contrast B
> $\square=$ Contrast C
> $\square=$ Contrast D
> $\square=$ Contrast E
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