



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate(ing)

Beg = Begin(ning)

Cont = Continue(ity)

Dec = Decrease(ing)

K = Knit

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

M1 = Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop.

P = Purl

PM = Place marker

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat

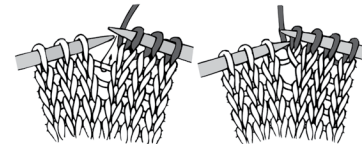
Rnd(s) = Round(s)

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



MATERIALS

Red Heart® Super Saver® Ombre™ (10 oz/283 g; 482 yds/440 m)

Sizes	P	N	6/12	18/24	mos
Spearmint (3970)	42/38	62/56	93/85	121/110	yds/m

Note: 1 ball will make 11 (7-5-4) Hats.

Sizes U.S. 6 (4 mm) and U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge. Susan Bates® yarn needle.

SIZES

To fit head circumference:

Preemie (Newborn-6/12 mos-18/24 mos) 9½" (12-16-17½)" [24 (30.5-40.5-44.5) cm]

GAUGES

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

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size **Preemie**. If changes are necessary for sizes **Newborn**, **6/12** or **18/24 mos** the instructions will be written thus (). When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes.

With smaller needles, cast on **46** (58-74-82) sts.

1st row: K2. *P2. K2. Rep from * to end of row.

2nd row: P2. *K2. P2. Rep from * to end of row.

Rep last 2 rows of (K2. P2) ribbing **4** (5-6-7) times more.

Change to larger needles and proceed in stocking st until work from beg measures **3** (3½-4½-5)" [7.5 (9-11.5-12.5) cm], ending on a purl row and dec **3** (3-1-3) st(s) evenly across last row. **43** (55-73-79) sts.

Shape top: 1st rnd: K1. *K2tog. K5 (7-10-11). Rep from * to end of row. **37** (49-67-73) sts.

2nd and alt rows: Purl.

3rd row: K1. *K2tog. K4 (6-9-10). Rep from * to end of row. **31** (43-61-67) sts.

5th row: K1. *K2tog. K3 (5-8-9). Rep from * to end of row. **25** (37-55-61) sts.

7th row: K1. *K2tog. K2 (4-7-8). Rep from * to end of row. **19** (31-49-55) sts.

8th row: As 2nd row.

Cont in same manner, dec 6 sts on next and every following alt row until there are 13 sts rem. Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread end through rem sts and fasten securely. Sew back seam.

