



KNIT
SKILL LEVEL
INTERMEDIATE

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Carousel Hat

Combine this cozy yarn with an interesting knit design that goes around the head like a merry-go-round. Kids will love its softness, while parents will love how easily it washes.

Directions are for child's size Small; changes for sizes Adult Large are in parentheses as necessary.

Hat circumference measures 16 (20)" [40.64 (50.8) cm] to fit 18 (22)" [45.72 (55.88) cm] head.

Special Abbreviations

LT (Left Twist) = Skip first st on left needle and knit into the back of second st; k2tog through the back loops of both sts.

RT (Right Twist) = K2tog, leaving sts on left needle; knit the first st again; slip both sts from needle together.

K1tbl = K1 through the back loop.

HAT

BRIM RIBBING

With circular needles, cast on 64 (80) sts. Join, being careful that sts are not twisted, and begin working in the round. Place marker for beginning of round.

Rounds 1-5: (K1, P1) around for ribbing.

Rounds 6-8: Work in Stockinette st (knit every row when working in the round).

Round 9: Purl around.

LATTICE STITCH PATTERN

Round 1: K1tbl, K6, *LT, K6; repeat from * around to last st, K1tbl.

Round 2: Knit around.

Round 3: *LT, K4, RT; repeat from * around.

Round 4: Knit around.

Round 5: K1, *LT, K2, RT, K2; repeat from * around to last 7 sts, LT, K2, RT, K1.

Round 6: Knit around.

Round 7: K2, LT, *RT, K4, LT, repeat from * around to last 4 sts, RT, K2.

Round 8: Knit around.

Round 9: K3, RT, *K6, RT; repeat from * around to last 3 sts, K3.

Round 10: Knit around.

Round 11: K2, *RT, LT, K4; repeat from * around to last 6 sts, RT, LT, K2.

Round 12: Knit around.

Round 13: K1, *RT, K2, LT, K2; repeat from * around to last 7 sts, RT, K2, LT, K1.

Round 14: Knit around.

Round 15: *RT, K4, LT; repeat from * around.

Round 16: Knit around.

Round 17: Repeat Round 1.

Round 18: Purl around.

Rounds 19-23: Knit around.

SHAPE CROWN

Begin decreases for crown.

Note: Change to double pointed needles when row is too small for circular needle.

Round 1: (K6, K2tog) around—56 (70) sts.

Round 2: Knit around.

Round 3: (K5, K2tog) around—48 (60) sts.

Round 4: Knit around.

Round 5: (K4, K2tog) around—40 (50) sts.

Round 6: Knit around.

Round 7: (K3, K2tog) around—32 (40) sts.

Round 8: Knit around.

Round 9: (K2, K2tog) around—24 (30) sts.

Round 10: Knit around.

Round 11: (K1, K2tog) around—16 (20) sts.

Round 12: (K2tog) around—8 (10) sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a 12" (30.48 cm) tail. Thread onto yarn needle and run yarn through all remaining sts on needles. Draw up yarn to close; fasten securely and with yarn needle, weave in end.

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SHOP KIT

FINISHING

Make one medium-size pompom and attach securely to crown of hat.

ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit; K2tog = Knit next 2 sts together;
mm = millimeters; P = purl; st(s) = stitch(es);
St st = Stockinette stitch; * = repeat whatever
follows the * as indicated.

