RED HEART' SIMPLE FAIR ISLE KNIT HAT Designed by Cathy Payson

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## ABBREVIATIONS

| Alt = Alternate | Rem = Remaining |
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| Beg = Beginning | Rep = Repeat |
| K = Knit | RS = Right side |
| K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches | St $(\mathbf{s})=$ Stitch $(e s)$ |
| together | WS $=$ Wrong side |
| $\mathbf{P}=$ Purl |  |

## MEASUREMENTS

Finished Hat circumference S $\quad 18$ " $[45.58 \mathrm{~cm}]$ M 20" $[51 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] L 22" $[56 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] XL 24" $[61 \mathrm{~cm}$ ]

## GAUGE

16 sts and 22 rows $=4$ " $[10 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] in stocking st.

## INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. Ifchanges arenecessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (). When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. For ease in working, circle all numbers pertaining to your size.

## HAT

With A, cast on 66 (74-82-90) sts. 1st row: (RS). K1. *K1. P1. Rep from * to last st. K1.
2nd row: P1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to last st. P1.
Rep last 2 rows of (K1. P1) ribbing until work from beg measures 2 $\left(2-2 \frac{1}{2}-2 \frac{1}{2}\right)$ " $[5(5-6-6) \mathrm{cm}$, ending on a 2 nd row. Break A.

With B, work in stocking st until work from beg measures 7 (7-88)" [18 (18-20-20) cm]. ending on a purl row.

## Shape crown:

1st row: (RS). K1. *K6. K2tog. Rep from * to last st. K1. 58 (65-72-79) sts.
2nd and alt rows: Purl.

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3rd row: K1. *K5. K2tog. Rep from * to last st. K1. 50 (56-62-68) sts. 5th row: K1. *K4. K2tog. Rep from * to last st. K1. 42 (47-52-57) sts.

7th row: K1. *K3. K2tog. Rep from * to last st. K1. 34 (38-42-46) sts. 9th row: K1. *K2. K2tog. Rep from * to last st. K1. 26 (29-32-35) sts.

11th row: K1. *K1. K2tog. Rep from * to last st. K1. 18 (20-22-24) sts.
13th row: K1 *K2tog. Rep from * to end of row. 10 (11-12-13) sts.

## FINISHING

Cut yarn leaving a long end. Thread end through rem sts. Pull tightly. Fasten securely. Sew back seam

Pompom: Wind B around 4 fingers 100 times. Tie tightly in the middle and leave a long end for attaching to Hood. Cut loops at both ends and trim to smooth round shape. Sew securely to top of Hat.


