





KNIT SKILL LEVEL INTERMEDIATE

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What you will need:

RED HEART* Soft *: 1 ball 9820 Mid Blue, 9274 Biscuit, or 4620 Minty

Susan Bates* Circular Knitting Needle: 4.5mm [US 7] 16" (40.6 cm)

Susan Bates* Double Pointed Needles: One set 4.5mm [US 7]

Stitch markers, yarn needle

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 22 rounds = 4" [10 cm] in St st. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge given.





Herringbone Hat

This knit hat's herringbone stitch panel adds an interesting twist to the basic hat. It's sized to fit the whole family, so pull out their favorite colors and you'll have gifts for everyone in no time.

Directions are for size Small. Changes for sizes Medium and Large are in parentheses.

Finished size: 18 (20, 22)" [45.72 (50.8, 55.8) cm] circumference

Special Abbreviations

ssk (slip, slip, knit) = slip next two stitches knitwise to right needle, insert point of left needle through front of sts, knit these sts together through back loop.

HAT

With circular needle, cast on 72 (80, 88) sts; place marker and join to work in the round, being careful not to twist sts.

Round 1 (right side): P1, k1, p1, [k2, p1] twice, k1, p1, place second marker, *k1, p1; repeat from * to last st, k1.

Round 2: P1, k2, [p1, k1] twice, p1, k2, p1, slip marker, *k1, p1; repeat from * to last st. k1.

Round 3: P1, k3, p3, k3, p1, slip marker, *k1, p1; repeat from * to last st, k1.

Round 4: P2, k3, p1, k3, p2, slip marker, *k1, p1; repeat from * to last st, k1.

Rounds 5-8: Repeat Rounds 1-4.

Round 9: P1, k1, p1, [k2, p1] twice, k1, p1, slip marker, k to end of round.

Round 10: P1, k2, [p1, k1] twice, p1, k2, p1, slip marker, k to end of round.

Round 11: P1, k3, p3, k3, p1, slip marker, k to end of round.

Round 12: P2, k3, p1, k3, p2, slip marker, k to end of round.

Repeat Rounds 9-12 until hat measures 6 (6½, 6½)" [15.25 (16.5, 16.5) cm] from cast on edge, ending after working Round 12.

Crown

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

Round 1 (dec): P1, k1, p1, [k2, p1] twice, k1, p1, slip marker, k2 (3, 4), [ssk, k2tog, k14 (16, 18)] three times, ssk, k2tog, k1 (2, 3) - 64 (72, 80) sts.

Round 2: P1, k2, [p1, k1] twice, p1, k2, p1, remove marker, knit to end of round.

Round 3 (dec): P1, k3, p3, k3, p1, k1 (2, 3), ssk, place marker, [k2tog, k12 (14, 16), ssk, place marker] three times, k2tog, k0 (1, 2) – 56 (64, 72) sts.

Round 4: [Work to 2 sts before marker, ssk, slip marker, k2tog] four times, k0 (0, 1) - 48 (56, 64) sts.

Round 5: [Work to 2 sts before marker, ssk, slip marker, k2tog] four times – 40 (48, 56) sts.

Repeat Round 5 until 8 sts remain. **Next round:** Removing markers as you work, k2tog around - 4 sts.

FINISHING

With yarn needle, weave yarn through remaining 4 sts; gather sts up firmly and secure yarn tail on wrong side of work.

Weave in all loose ends.

Abbreviations

dec = decreasing; k = knit; k2tog =
knit the next 2 sts together; mm =
millimeters, p = purl; St st = Stockinette
stitch; st(s) = stitch(es); * = repeat
whatever follows the * as indicated.

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