LAREDO RIBBED HAT

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KNIT: BASIC

This pattern is for a basic ribbed hat with a lot of stretch, knit holding 2 strands together as 1. One size fits all, and pattern can be easily modified to for a slouchy fit, a more fitted cap-style, or to have a fold-over brim to suit your preference. This hat comfortably fits a head circumference from 16"-25".

Materials
*included

2 skeins of Pure Superwash Merino Wool Yarn

2 FINE

Additional Materials
*not included

US 8 / 5 mm Circular Needle with 16" cord (or US 8/5 mm DPNs if preferred)

Scissors

Tapestry Needle

1 Stitch Marker to mark BOR

Techniques

• Rib Stitch
• Pattern is worked holding 2 strands together as 1.

Abbreviations

BOR: Beginning of Round
K: Knit
K2TOG: Knit 2 Stitches Together
P: Purl
REP: Repeat
ST(S): Stitch(es)

Meet the Designer!

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Finished Dimensions

Size: Adult one size fits all up to 25" circumference
Dimensions:
Approximately 7.5" W x 10" H (flat, unstretched)
Body Height: Approximately 9"
Crown Height: Approximately 1"
Gauge: 27 stitches x 28 rows = 4" knit in the round in 1x1 rib stitch (unstretched)
Additional Notes: The body can be worked until desired length in order to achieve a fitted hat, slouchy hat, or fold-over brim depending on preference.

Online Resources

New to the Rib Stitch? Learn how to make it from our 2020 Stitch Challenge Video:
https://www.darngoodyarn.com/blogs/stitch-challenge/knit-rib-stitch

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Pattern

Body:
Cast on 100 sts.
Place BOR marker and join in the round, being careful not to twist your sts.
Round 1: *k1, p1; rep from * to end of round. {100 sts}
Rep last round until Round 63 or until work measures 9"
For slouchy hat or for a hat with a fold-up brim, continue this 1x1 rib until your hat is 1" shorter than your desired length
(crown adds 1").
Remove BOR marker.

Crown:
K next st, place marker here to mark new BOR so that your first st of round is a P.
Round 64: *Work 8 sts in rib pattern, k2tog; rep form * to end of round. {90 sts}
Round 65: *Work 7 sts in rib pattern, k2tog; rep from * to end of round. {80 sts}
Round 66: *Work 6 sts in rib pattern, k2tog; rep from * to end of round {70 sts}
Round 67: *Work 5 sts in rib pattern, k2tog; rep from * to end of round {60 sts}
Round 68: *Work 4 sts in rib pattern, k2tog; rep from * to end of round {50 sts}
Round 69: *Work 3 sts in rib pattern, k2tog; rep from * to end of round {40 sts}
Round 70: *Work 2 sts in rib pattern, k2tog; rep from * to end of round {30 sts}
To close hat, cut yarn and weave through all sts on needles, pull tight and tie knot on inside of hat to fasten.

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