



# Hill 60 III

A classic ribbed toque reminiscent of the sailor's Watch Caps of WWII. This hat is worked with worsted weight yarn held triple, or super-bulky weight held single. This pattern includes instructions for only one size, however the ribbed fabric will still fit a range of heads.

**Yarn:** 3 skeins of Berroco Ultra Alpaca (50% Wool, 50% Alpaca; 220 yds per 100g), *held triple*; OR  
1 skein of Estelle Bulky (50% Acrylic, 40% Wool, 10% Nylon; 164yds per 200g), *held single*.

**Needles:** 8.0mm (US13) 16" circular and set of DPNs

**Gauge:** 11 sts = 4"/10cm in stockinette

**Other tools:** stitch markers, darning needle.

## BRIM

Using circular needles, CO 56 sts. Join in the round and place marker at BOR.

Work [K2, P2] until work measures 6½".

## TOP

\*K6, P2, repeat from \* until work measures 10" from CO edge

Remove BOR marker, K1, then replace marker. Beginning of round has now shifted 1 st to the left.

Set Up Round: (*Maintain established ribbing pattern*)  
\*work 8 sts, pm, repeat from \* to end of round. 6 markers added.

Decreasing Round A: \*work to 2 sts before marker, K2tog, rep from \* to end of round. 7 sts decreased

Decreasing Round B: Work all stitches as established in the previous round (*knit the knits and purl the purls. The number of each will change as the decreasing progresses*).

Repeat Rounds A and B two more times. (35 sts)

Switch to DPNs when the circle becomes too small.

Repeat Decreasing Round A, every round, four more times, until the round is just K2tog around. (7sts)

Break yarn and draw through remaining sts and pull tight.

### Abbreviations:

K – knit  
P – purl  
pm – place marker  
K2tog – knit 2 together  
CO – cast on  
St(s) – stitch(es)  
BOR – beginning of round