

JANA'S HAT
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We all fell in love when Jana showed up at the Hedgehog Studio wearing her new hat she designed. Carol has kindly offered to knit another one in order to write up the pattern and voila! This cute little hat was born. The colour combo possibilities are endless, even subtle speckly yarns would look great! Looks amazing worn with 'Pollination' Scarf (pictured), which is also available as a free pattern'

Shown in Hedgehog Fibres Skinny Singles (100% Merino; 366m per 100g). The yarn is held double throughout for a light DK weight and amazing cushy fabric. You can experiment with holding two different colours together for an awesome marled effect.

Colourways used

Mustard version - Graphite and Pollen.

Teal version - Cinder and Wish





Finished Measurements: 20.5" / 52cm circumference. 10" / 25cm long from cast on to top.
Yarn: Skinny Singles by Hedgehog Fibres held double (approx. light DK weight) - 2 colours used. Our hats weigh at just over 100g, so if you are feeling brave, one skein should be sufficient for a single colour hat.
Yardage: just over 366m in total used (both colours included.)
Gauge: 25sts x 32rows = 10cm/4 inch square, in lace pattern.
Needles & Notions: 40" 3.5mm circular needle, Magic Loop method is used for knitting in the round. You will also need a stitch marker and a tapestry needle.

Brim:

3.5mm needle: Using two strands of Colour A, cast on 120 sts using long tail method. Place marker and join to work in the round. Begin working a 2x2 rib pattern as follows:
 Rnd 1: (K2, P2) repeat to end of round
 Repeat round 1 until you have 18 rounds in total.

Body:

Rnd 19: make 1, knit to end of round. 121sts.
 Rnd 20 - 28: Using colour B work rows 1-8 of chart. There are 11 repeats of the chart per round.
 Work rounds 1-8 of chart 7 more times.

Decreasing:

Move start of round by 1 to left: as in remove marker, knit 1 then replace marker.
1st decrease round: k8, s2kp2 (slip 2 together knitwise, k1, pass the slipped stitches over) x11 (99sts).
 Knit 1 round then move start of round as above.
2nd decrease round: k6 s2kp2 x11 (77sts).
 Knit 1 round then move start of round as above.
3rd decrease round: k4 s2kp2 x11 (55sts)
 Knit 1 round then move start of round as above.
4th decrease round: k2 s2kp2 x11 (33sts)
 Knit 1 round.
 Break yarn and pull through remaining sts.
 Weave in ends and block.

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	Knit k (RS) Knit
	Knit 2 Together k2tog (RS) Knit 2 stitches together
	Slip Slip Knit ssk (RS) slip, slip, knit slipped sts together
	Yarn Over yo (RS) Yarn Over

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