

Holly created by Lisa Overby



This hat was designed to showcase our Kelton yarn base, a luxurious 100% 17 Micron Count Superwash Wool. With 3 sizes to choose from, this quick knit would make a perfect gift for that knit worthy person in your life!



MATERIALS & INFO

Yarn: 1 skein Yarn Twisters Kelton; 210 yards/115g; 100% 17 Micron Count Superwash Wool

Sample knit in colourway Raspberry

Gauge: 18 sts by 31 Rnds equal 4" by 4" in off set rib pattern in the round after blocking

Needles: 4 mm (US 6) 16" circular needle and 4 mm (US 6) DPN's or long circular needle for magic loop; or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: stitch marker, darning needle, pom pom (optional)

Finished size unstretched:

Small: Circumference 14" (33 cm); Height 9" (23 cm)

Medium: Circumference 17" (43 cm); Height 9.5" (24 cm)

Large: Circumference 18" (46 cm); Height 10" (25 cm)

Note:

Be sure to follow the decrease instructions for the size of hat you are knitting

To wear this slouchy hat beanie style, fold the brim once

ABBREVIATIONS

cdd - centre double decrease; slip 2 stitches as if to k2tog, knit 1, pass 2 slipped stitches together over the knit stitch (2 sts decreased)

CO - cast on

k - knit

k2tog - knit 2 together; insert needle into the next 2 sts, knit the 2 sts together as one (1 st decreased)

pm - place marker

p - purl

Rnd - round

st/sts - stitch/stitches

PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS

CO 70 (80, 90) sts, join to knit in the Rnd, careful to not twist your sts, pm to denote the beginning of the Rnd

Off-Set Ribbing, All Sizes

Rnd 1: p1, k1

Rnd 2: k1, p1, repeat to end of Rnd

Rnds 3 to 6: repeat Rnd 2 four times

Rnds 7 to 11: repeat Rnd 1 five times

Rnds 12 to 31: repeat Rnds 2 to 11 two times

Rnd 32: k

Repeat **Rnd 32** until hat measures approx 7.5 (8, 8.5)" from the CO edge

Decreases, Small Size

Rnd 1: k6, cdd, [k11, cdd] x 4, k5 (60 sts)

Rnd 2 and every other even Rnd: k

Rnd 3: k5, cdd, [k9, cdd] x 4, k4, (50 sts)

Rnd 5: k4, cdd, [k7, cdd] x 4, k3 (40 sts)

Rnd 7: k3, cdd, [k5, cdd] x 4, k2 (30 sts)

Rnd 9: k2, cdd, [k3, cdd] x 4, k1 (20 sts)

Rnd 11: k1, cdd, [k1, cdd] x 4 (10 sts)

Rnd 13: k2tog x 5 (5 sts)

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PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS

Decreases, Medium Size

Rnd 1: k7, cdd, [k13, cdd] x 4, k6 (70 sts)

Rnd 2 and every other even Rnd: k

Rnd 3: k6, cdd, [k11, cdd] x 4, k5 (60 sts)

Rnd 5: k5, cdd, [k9, cdd] x 4, k4 (50 sts)

Rnd 7: k4, cdd, [k7, cdd] x 4, k3 (40 sts)

Rnd 9: k3, cdd, [k5, cdd] x 4, k2 (30 sts)

Rnd 11: k2, cdd, [k3, cdd] x 4, k1 (20 sts)

Rnd 13: k1, cdd, [k1, cdd] x 4 (10 sts)

Rnd 15: k2tog x 5 (5 sts)

See Finishing below

Decreases, Large Size

Rnd 1: k8 cdd, [k15, cdd] x 4, k7 (80 sts)

Rnd 2 and every other even Rnd: k

Rnd 3: k7, cdd, [k13, cdd] x 4, k6 (70 sts)

Rnd 5: k6, cdd, [k11, cdd] x 4, k5 (60 sts)

Rnd 7: k5, cdd, [k9, cdd] x 4, k4 (50 sts)

Rnd 9: k4, cdd, [k7, cdd] x 4, k3 (40 sts)

Rnd 11: k3, cdd, [k5, cdd] x 4, k2 (30 sts)

Rnd 13: k2, cdd, [k3, cdd] x 4, k1 (20 sts)

Rnd 15: k1, cdd, [k1, cdd] x 4 (10 sts)

Rnd 17: k2tog x 5 (5 sts)

Finishing, All sizes

Cut yarn, leaving a 6" tail, thread through remaining sts and pull tight to close the hole, weave in ends

Block piece (optional), attach a pom pom (optional)

