



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick®
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SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: One Size

Finished Circumference About 18 in. (45.5 cm)

Note: Hat will stretch to fit a range of sizes.

CORRECTIONS: None as of Apr 28, 2011. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 640-153 Lion Brand Wool-Ease Thick & Quick Yarn: Black
1 Ball
- Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials
Double pointed knitting needles (set of 4 or 5) size 13 (9 mm)

GAUGE:

9 sts = 4 in. (10 cm) over Stockinette st worked in the rnd (k every rnd). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE. When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. If it takes you less stitches and rows to make a 4 in. [10 cm] square, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

HAT

Cast on 40 sts loosely. Join, being careful not to twist sts. Place marker for beg of rnd.

Rnd 1: *K2, p2, rep from * around.

Rep last rnd until piece measures about 5 1/2 in. (14 cm) from beg.

Next Rnd: *K19, k in front and then back of next st (increase made), rep from * once - 42 sts.

Continue in St st worked in the rnd (k every rnd) until piece measures 9 in. (23 cm) from beg.

Shape Crown

Next Rnd: *K5, k2tog, rep from * around - 36 sts.

Knit 1 rnd.

Next Rnd: *K4, k2tog, rep from * around - 30 sts.

Knit 1 rnd.

Next Rnd: *K3, k2tog, rep from * around - 24 sts.

Knit 1 rnd.

Next Rnd: *K2, k2tog, rep from * around - 18 sts.

Knit 1 rnd.

Next Rnd: *K1, k2tog, rep from * around - 12 sts.

Knit 1 rnd.

Next Rnd: K2tog around - 6 sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. Thread tail through remaining sts and gather tightly together. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>k = knit</u>
<u>k2tog = knit 2 together</u>	<u>p = purl</u>
<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>	<u>rnd(s) = round(s)</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	

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