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**SKILL LEVEL**: Easy (Level 2)

SIZE: One Size

Finished Circumference About 20 in. (51 cm), will stretch to fit a range of sizes.

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Jun 11, 2014. To check for later updates, click <u>here</u>.

#### **MATERIALS**

- 860-148 <u>Lion Brand</u> <u>Vanna's Choice Yarn:</u> <u>Burgundy</u>
   1 Ball (A)
- 865-203 <u>Lion Brand</u>
   <u>Vanna's Palettes: Earthy</u>
   1 Ball (B)
- Boye Aluminum Circular Knitting Needles 16 inches Size 8
- <u>Lion Brand Split Ring</u>
   <u>Stitch Markers</u>
- <u>Lion Brand Large-Eye</u>
   <u>Blunt Needles (Set of 6)</u>

\*<u>Vanna's Choice</u>® (Article #860). 100% Premium Acrylic

**400**, **401**, **403**: 92% Acrylic, 8% Rayon **402**: 96% Acrylic, 4% Rayon; package size: **Solids**: 3.5 oz (100 g), 170 yards (156 m)

Prints, Tweeds, & Heathers: 3 ozs (85 g), 145 yards (133 meters)

**Twists:** 2.5 oz (70 g), 121 yards (111 meters)

\*<u>Vanna's Palettes</u> (Article #865). 100% Acrylic; package size: 0.35oz/10.00 gr. (17yds/16m) pull skeins





# **GAUGE:**

16 sts + 22 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) over Texture pattern.

When you match the <u>gauge</u> in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

Making a Gauge Swatch

# STITCH EXPLANATION:

# yo (yarn over)

An increase that also creates a small decorative hole (eyelet) in the fabric, worked as follows:

- 1. Bring yarn to front, between the needles.
- 2. Take yarn to back, over the right needle. This creates the new st. You are now ready to proceed with the next st as instructed.

#### **PATTERN STITCHES**

Texture Pattern (worked over an even number of sts)

Rnds 1-3: Knit.

**Rnd 4:** \*K1, p1; rep from \* to end of rnd.

Rep Rnds 1-4 for Texture pattern.

# K1, p1 Rib worked in rnds (over an even number of sts)

Rnd 1: \*K1, p1; rep from \* to end of rnd.

Rep Rnd 1 for K1, p1 Rib worked in rnds.

#### **NOTES:**

- 1. Hat is worked in rnds beg at lower edge.
- 2. Top of Hat is shaped with a drawstring.

# STRIPE SEQUENCE

\*Work 4 rnds with A, 2 rnds with C, 2 rnds with A, 2 rnds with D, 2 rnds with A, 2 rnds with E, 2 rnds with A, 2 rnds with J; rep from \* for Stripe Sequence.

#### Colors for VANNA'S PALETTES

Brick (C)

Radiant Orange (D)

Beige (E)

Pea Green (F)

Dusty Green (G)

Olive (H)

Taupe (I)

Espresso (J)

# HAT

With A, cast on 80 sts. Place marker for beg of rnd. Join by working the first st on left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand needle and being careful not to twist sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib worked in rnds for 22 rnds.

With A and beg with Rnd 1, work in Texture pattern for 4 rnds.

With C, continue in Texture pattern for 2 rnds.

Continue in Texture pattern changing color following Stripe Sequence until piece measures about 8 in. (20.5 cm) from beg of Texture pattern, end with a Rnd 4 as the last rnd worked.

#### **Eyelets for Drawstring**

**Next Rnd:** Keeping to Stripe Sequence, \*k3, k2tog, yo; rep from \* around.

**Next Rnd:** Beg with Rnd 2 continue in Texture pattern, continuing to change color following Stripe Sequence until piece measures about 10 in. (25.5 cm) from beg of Texture pattern. Bind off.

#### **FINISHING**

# **Drawstring**

Cut a 45 in. (114.5 cm) length of each color yarn for a total of 9 strands. Hold all 9 strands together and tie an overhand knot about 2 in. (5 cm) from one end. Divide strands into 3 groups of 3 strands each and braid the groups for about 35 in. (89 cm). Knot end of braid. Trim ends. Weave Drawstring through eyelets at top of Hat. Pull Drawstring to gather top of Hat and tie ends in a bow. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
<pre>beg = begin(s)(ning)</pre>	k = knit
k2tog = knit 2 together	p = purl
rep = repeat(s)(ing)	rnd(s) = round(s)
st(s) = stitch(es)	

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