



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Touch of Merino
Seed Rib Hat
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SKILL LEVEL – Easy

SIZE

Finished Circumference About 17 in. (43 cm), along lower ribbed edge and unstretched. Hat is very stretchy and will fit a range of sizes.

Finished Height About 9 1/2 in. (24 cm)

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Touch of Merino (Art. #676)
 - 150 Oxford Grey 1 ball
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Circular knitting needle size 4 (3.5 mm), 16 in. (40.5 cm) long

Double pointed knitting needles size 4 (3.5 mm), set of 5

GAUGE

28 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm) over Rib Rnd 1.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES

1. Hat is worked in one piece, from lower edge to top of Hat, beginning on a circular needle then changing to double pointed knitting needles when sts have been sufficiently decreased.
2. The lower edge of the Hat is worked in k1, p1 rib, then the body of the Hat is worked in a Seed Rib.
3. The Hat is very stretchy and will fit most sizes.

HAT

With circular needle, cast on 120 sts.

Place a marker for beginning of round. Join by working the first stitch on the left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand needle and being careful not to twist stitches.

When knitting the Hat, always slip the marker as you come to it.

Ribbed edge

Rib Rnd 1: *Knit 1, purl 1; repeat from * around.

Repeat Rnd 1 for about 1 1/2 in. (4 cm).

Seed Rib

The Seed Rib alternates sections of 2 sts worked in Stockinette st (knit every rnd) with 3 sts worked in Seed st.

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Rnd 1: *K2, p1, k1, p1; repeat from * around.

Rnd 2: *K2, k1, p1, k1; repeat from * around.

Repeat Rnds 1 and 2 of Seed Rib until piece measures about 9 in. (23 cm) from beginning, end with a Rnd 1 of Seed Rib as the last rnd you work.

Shape Top of Hat

Next Rnd: *K2, p3tog; repeat from * around – you'll have 72 sts at the end of this round.

Next Rnd: *K2, p1; repeat from * around.

As you work the next rnd, you'll need to change from the circular needle to the double pointed needles. Do this by simply using one double pointed needle at a time to work the sts off the circular needle. Don't forget to move your st marker onto the double pointed needles as well!

Next Rnd: *K2tog, p1; repeat from * around – you'll have 48 sts at the end of this round.

Next Rnd: *K1, p1; repeat from * around

Next Rnd: K2tog around – you'll have 24 sts at the end of this round.

Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail. Thread tail into blunt needle. Draw needle through remaining stitches as you remove the stitches from the needles. Pull yarn tail to close opening at top of Hat and knot.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

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