

Basic Man Hat for Magic Loop



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Materials

Yarn: 150 yds. (140 m) worsted-weight yarn. Aran-weight yarn will work if you can get gauge.

Left: 1 skein Malabrigo Rios in #43 Plomo.

Needles: 1 40-47-in. circular needle US size 7 (4.5 mm) or size required to get gauge.

Gauge: 5 sts/in. in St st.

Sizes: One Size

Variations: Fitted(Slouchy)

Finished Measurements: 10 in. deep with brim unfolded/7¼ in. deep with brim folded up x 20 in. around unstretched. Stretches to fit a head 21-23 in. in diameter.

Notions: Tapestry needle, scissors

Abbreviations/Terms

BOR – Beginning of Round

K – Knit

CO – Cast On

M1 – Make One

P – Purl

PM – Place Marker

S2KP – Slip 2, Knit, Pass

St st – Stockinette stitch

Notes

This basic hat is worked in the round from brim to top.

CO

CO 82 sts. Join for working in the round on Magic Loop.

Ribbing

*K1, p1, rep. from * around.

Continue working in 1x1 Rib until work measures 4 in. (10 cm) from CO edge.

Increase For Body of Hat

Next Rnd: K1, M1, (k5, M1) to end, M1 (100 sts).

Hat Body

Work in St st until hat measures 7½ in. (19 cm) from CO edge.

Decrease For Top of Hat

Rnd 1: *K17, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (90 sts remain).

Rnd 2 and all even rounds: K.

Rnd 3: *K15, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (80 sts remain).

Rnd 5: *K13, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (70 sts remain).

Rnd 7: *K11, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (60 sts remain).

Rnd 9: *K9, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (50 sts remain).

Rnd 11: *K7, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (40 sts remain).

Rnd 13: *K5, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (30 sts remain).

Rnd 15: *K3, S2KP, rep. from * to end of round (20 sts remain).

Break yarn, leaving a 12-inch tail for finishing top of hat.

Finishing

Using a tapestry needle, feed tail yarn through rem sts twice and pull tight. Weave in ends.

Block hat, folding edge up to make a 3-inch brim.



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