

Basic Slouchy 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: Slouchy version. 1 skein Malabrigo Twist in color #37 Lettuce.

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

Gauge: 3 sts/in. in St st.

Sizes: One Size

Variations: Fitted(Slouchy)

Finished Measurements: 8½(9½) in. deep x 16 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

K2tog – Knit 2 Together

M1 – Make One

P – Purl

PM – Place Marker

St st - Stockinette stitch

Work Even — Continue in the same stitch pattern without increasing or decreasing

Notes

This basic hat is worked in the round from brim to top. The top of the hat features a soft spiral pattern.

CO

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

Ribbing

Rnds 1-13: (K1, p1) around.

Increase for the body of the hat:

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

Hat Body

Work even in St st until hat measures 6(7) in. [15(18) cm] from CO edge.

Decrease for Top of Hat

Rnd 1: (K8, k2tog) around (90 sts remain).

Rnd 2 and all even rounds: K.

Rnd 3: (K7, k2tog) around (80 sts remain).

Rnd 5: (K6, k2tog) around (70 sts remain).

Rnd 7: (K5, k2tog) around (60 sts remain).

Rnd 9: (K4, k2tog) around (50 sts remain).

Rnd 11: (K3, k2tog) around (40 sts remain).

Rnd 13: (K2, k2tog) around (30 sts remain).

Rnd 15: (K1, k2tog) around (20 sts remain).

Rnd 17: K2tog around (10 sts remain).

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



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