

Nancy's Welt & Rib Hat

Size: 20" circumference

Materials: Malabrigo Rios, one skein

US 7, 16-24" needle

US 7, Double pointed needles

Tapestry Needle

Gauge: 20 stitches/4" (5 stitches/inch)

Cast on 99 stitches, join in the round, being careful not to twist.

Brim: pattern: *K2, p1* rib

Repeat brim pattern every round for 5". This gives you a 2 ½" brim when folded.

Pattern Sequence:

Round 1: Knit

Rounds 2-5: purl

Round 6: Knit

Rounds 7-12:*P2, k1*

Rounds 13-24: Repeat rounds 1-12

Round 25: Knit

Round 26-29: Purl

Round 30: Knit

Begin Crown Decreases:

Round 31: *K3, k2tog*, repeat to last 4 stitches, K2, k2tog

Round 32-34: Knit

Round 35: *K2, k2tog*, repeat to last 3 stitches, K1, k2tog

Round 36-38: Knit

Round 39: *K1, k2tog*, repeat to last 2 stitches, K2tog

Round 40: Knit

Round 41-42: *K2tog*

Finishing:

Cut tail and pull through remaining stitches, secure on inside of hat. Top with pom pom.

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