

UNCOILED HAT

A total beginner's pattern, if you can knit and purl, you can make this hat. Designed with "big hair" in mind, it will stretch to accommodate a large amount of hair, from pig-tails, to curls, from pony tails to dreadlocks!



INGREDIENTS

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Circumference: **52 cm** (20.4"). Height: **24 cm** (9.4") [35 cm (13.7") tall when stretched]. To fit average adult. **NOTE:** the hat will stretch width- and length-wise.

YARN

KnitPicks Sierra: MC: #23784 (Coal), 1x100g (approx. 100 metres); **CC:** #23793 (Grape), 1x100g (approx. 100 metres). Substitute with **bulky** yarn.

SUGGESTED NEEDLES

6 mm (40 cm) circular & 3 DPNs (or short straight needles). Adjust needle size if necessary to obtain correct gauge.

Read the note re **stretching** above.

NOTIONS

1 x stitch marker; tapestry needle.

GAUGE

13.5 sts and 20 rows = 10 cm (4") in **stocking stitch**; row gauge is not terribly important!

STITCH GUIDE

STOCKING STITCH

All rnds: knit all stitches.

RIDGE STITCH

Rnds 1-4: *p*, repeat from * to * to end of rnd.

Rnds 5-9: *k*, repeat from * to * to end of rnd.

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DIRECTIONS

This hat is worked in the round from the **bottom up** and then finished with **three-needle bind-off** on the right side of the work.

But now enough blabbing, let's start!

With **circular needles** and **MC** yarn CO 70 sts. Making sure not to twist sts, pm to mark BOR, join and work in the round.

Work **stocking stitch** for 3 rnds.

Work **ridge stitch** until work measures **11 cm** (4.3") from CO edge [edge will roll approx 1 cm (0.3")] **NOT STRETCHED**, approx 4 pattern repeats.

Change to **CC** yarn and continue until work measures **24 cm** (9.4") from CO edge, approx 5 pattern repeats. Sl half the sts onto 1 DPN and the remaining half on another. With rs facing, work **three-needle bind-off** using a third DPN.

FINISHING

Using the tapestry needle, weave in ends. Lightly block. **Wear and enjoy!** 😊

ABBREVIATIONS (A-Z)

BOR=beginning of round; **CO**=cast on; **DPN(s)**=double pointed needle(s); **k**=knit; **p**=purl; **rnd(s)**=round(s); **rs**=right side; **sl**=slip; **st(s)**=stitch(es).

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