

Trio of Hats - Pixie by Woolly Wormhead



Yarn

41 [63, 83, 120, 155] yd/38 [57, 76, 110, 143] m
49yd/45m for a 6x6in/15x15cm swatch in St.St.
DK weight, plied yarn.

Needles & Notions

Set 3.5mm/UK--/US4 DPNs/Circular or size
needed to obtain gauge
Stitch marker as necessary
Tapestry needle

Sample details

Shown in Wendy Merino Bliss DK
[122yd/112m per 50g; 100% Merino]

Shown in size 18in/47.5cm on model with
18in/47.5cm circumference head

Alternative yarns

Drops Extra Fine Merino DK
[151yd/105m per 50g; 100% Merino]

Gauge

24 sts x 34 rows to 4in/10cm on 3.5mm
needles over St.St.

22 sts x 46 rows to 4in/10cm on 3.5mm
needles over Garter.St

Sizes

To fit sizes: 10 [13, 15, 18, 20] in/ 25.5 [33, 38,
45.75, 51] cm

Finished size: 8.75 [11, 13, 15.25, 17.5] in/
22.25 [28, 33, 38.75, 44.5] cm

Skills required

Knit & purl stitches, knitting in the round,
increases & decreases, eyelets

Pattern contents

Written instructions

Abbreviations

K:	knit
P:	purl
Rnd/rnds:	round(s)
rpt:	repeat
st(s):	stitch(es)
St.St.:	Stocking (Stockinette) Stitch
yo:	wrap yarn round needle to create a yarnover
k2tog:	knit next 2 sts together
ssk:	slip next 2 sts knitwise, then knit these 2 sts together through the backs of the loops

Pattern Support

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<http://www.ravelry.com/groups/woolly-wormheads-hats>

Special techniques

Tutorials for 3-needle bind-off, kitchener stitch and crochet bind-off can be download in PDF format from here:
<http://www.woollywormhead.com/knitting-crochet/>

How to

Cast on 48 [60, 72, 84, 96] sts. Join in the round, being careful not to twist sts. Place stitch marker to indicate start of round.

Brim

Rnd 1: Purl all sts
 Rnd 2: Knit all sts

Starting with a Rnd 1, repeat these 2 rounds until work measures 2 [2.5, 3, 3.5, 4] in/5 [6.25, 7.5, 9, 10] ending after a Rnd 1.

Body

Rnds 1 & 2: Knit all sts
 Rnd 3: Purl all sts
 Rnd 4: *yo, k2tog; rpt from * to end
 Rnd 5: Purl all sts
 Rnds 6 & 7: Knit all sts

Crown

10in size jump to Rnd 25, 13in size jump to Rnd 19, 15in size jump to Rnd 13, 18in size jump to Rnd 7 and 20in size start at Rnd 1.

Rnd 1: *K14, ssk; rpt from * to end [90 sts]
 Rnd 2: Knit all sts
 Rnd 3: Knit all sts
 Rnd 4: *K13, ssk; rpt from * to end [84 sts]
 Rnd 5: Knit all sts
 Rnd 6: Knit all sts
 Rnd 7: *K12, ssk; rpt from * to end [78 sts]
 Rnd 8: Knit all sts
 Rnd 9: Knit all sts
 Rnd 10: *K11, ssk; rpt from * to end [72 sts]
 Rnd 11: Knit all sts
 Rnd 12: Knit all sts
 Rnd 13: *K10, ssk; rpt from * to end [66 sts]
 Rnd 14: Knit all sts
 Rnd 15: Knit all sts
 Rnd 16: *K9, ssk; rpt from * to end [60 sts]
 Rnd 17: Knit all sts
 Rnd 18: Knit all sts
 Rnd 19: *K8, ssk; rpt from * to end [54 sts]
 Rnd 20: Knit all sts
 Rnd 21: Knit all sts
 Rnd 22: *K7, ssk; rpt from * to end [48 sts]
 Rnd 23: Knit all sts
 Rnd 24: Knit all sts
 Rnd 25: *K6, ssk; rpt from * to end [42 sts]
 Rnd 26: Knit all sts
 Rnd 27: Knit all sts
 Rnd 28: *K5, ssk; rpt from * to end [36 sts]
 Rnd 29: Knit all sts
 Rnd 30: Knit all sts
 Rnd 31: *K4, ssk; rpt from * to end [30 sts]
 Rnd 32: Knit all sts
 Rnd 33: Knit all sts
 Rnd 34: *K3, ssk; rpt from * to end [24 sts]
 Rnd 35: Knit all sts
 Rnd 36: Knit all sts
 Rnd 37: *K2, ssk; rpt from * to end [18 sts]
 Rnd 38: Knit all sts
 Rnd 39: Knit all sts
 Rnd 40: *K1, ssk; rpt from * to end [12 sts]
 Rnd 41: Knit all sts
 Rnd 42: Knit all sts
 Rnd 43: *ssk; rpt from * to end [6 sts]

Break yarn and draw through remaining 6sts, tighten to close.

Finishing

Weave in all ends. A gentle wash and blocking is required to help the decrease lines settle and lay flat.

Woolly Wormhead



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With an instinctive flair for unusual construction and a passion for innovation, Woolly Wormhead is a designer whose patterns are trusted and celebrated by knitters all over the world. As a designer, Woolly is driven by a need to create and develop her understanding of 3D form. Communicating her ideas and sharing her specialised knowledge with her audiences is key to Woolly's success as a designer. Woolly's high quality pattern writing ensures perfect results, teaches new skills and encourages us all to become Hat architects.

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