



Basic Beanie



- Sizes: Prem [0-3, 6-9, 12-18, Child, **Adult**, XL]
- To fit head: 30 [35, 40, **45**, 50, 55, 61]cm
- Yarn: Any 8ply/DK weight yarn. We have used Millpost Merino DK, and Cascade 220 SW in our samples
- Quantity: 100g for adult sizes, including pom pom
- Needles: 4mm straight needles for flat version. Or 4mm circular needles or dpn's to work in the round and for crown shaping
- Gauge: 22 stitches and 30 rows to 10cm in Stocking Stitch.
- Materials: Stitch marker, yarn needle for sewing in ends.

Abbreviations

Sts	Stitches	K2tog	Knit two together: Insert right needle into the second and first stitches from the left side as if to knit, knit them both together.
Rnd	Round	P2tog	Purl two together: Insert right needle into first and second stitches on left needle as if to purl, purl them both together
K	Knit		
P	Purl		
Dec	Decrease		
Kfb	Knit front and back: knit into the front leg of the stitch, then knit into the back leg before slipping off the needle.		



Pattern – Flat

Cuff

Using straight needles, cast on 62 [72, 78, 92, 98, 106, 118] sts.

Row 1 (RS): k1, (k1, p1) to end, k1.

Row 2 (WS): p1, (k1, p1) to end, p1.

Repeat these two rows until cuff measures 2 [2.5, 3, 3.5, 4, 4, 5]cm from cast on (straight cuff), or 4 [5, 6, 7, 8, 8, 10]cm from cast on (folded cuff), or desired length.

Sizes 6-9, 12-18 and XL: k1, kfb, knit to end. 1 stitch increased. (- [-, 79, 93, -, -, 119]sts)

Sides

Row 1 (RS): knit to end.

Row 2 (WS): purl to end.

Repeat until hat measures either 5 [6.5, 8, 9.5, 12, 13, 16]cm from cast on edge (straight cuff), or 7 [9, 11, 13, 16, 17, 20]cm from cast on (folded cuff), or desired length.

Crown Shaping

Decrease row: (k8 [8, 9, 11, 10, 11, 11], k2tog) to last 2 sts, k2. 6 [7, 7, 7, 8, 8, 9] sts decreased.

Next row: purl to end.

Repeat these two rows, working 1 less stitch before the k2tog in each new repeat, and still decreasing the same number of stitches each time, until you have 20 [23, 23, 23, 26, 26, 29]sts.

Next row: (k1, k2tog) to last 2 sts, k2. (14 [16, 16, 16, 18, 18, 20]sts.)

Next row: p2, (p2tog) to end. (8 [9, 9, 9, 10, 10, 11]sts.)

Cut yarn leaving a long tail. Thread this tail through the remaining live stitches using your yarn needle starting at the opposite end of stitches (to create a circle), then take the knitting needle out and pull to close. Fasten off, and seam sides using Mattress Stitch. Weave in ends.



Techniques (when working in the round)

- This pattern requires either the use of Magic Loop or double pointed needles for the crown shaping. If you haven't done Magic Loop before, there are many great videos online!
- Join for working in the round. There are many ways to join in the round. You can simply just start knitting, starting with the first stitch that you cast on, or here is a slightly neater method: Cast on 1 extra stitch than written in the pattern. Then work pattern (in our case 1x1 rib) to last stitch, slip last stitch onto left needle, then begin the next round with a k2tog and continue as written.
- I also find that you can knit a few rows of the ribbing flat, and then join. This makes it much less likely to twist your stitches! Just use the yarn tail to join the gap later.
- Continue to slip the stitch marker along as you get to it.

Pattern – In the Round

Hat

Using circular needles, cast on 60 [70, 76, **90**, 96, **104**, 116] sts, join for working in the round, making sure the work isn't twisted, and place the stitch marker to mark the beginning.

Ribbing: (k1, p1) to end.

Repeat until cuff measures 2 [2.5, 3, **3.5**, 4, **4**, 5]cm from cast on (straight cuff), or 4 [5, 6, **7**, 8, **8**, 10]cm from cast on (folded cuff), or desired length.

Sizes 6-9, 12-18 and XL: kfb, knit to end. 1 stitch increased. (- [-, 77, **91**, -, -, 117]sts)

Now knit every round until hat measures either 5 [6.5, 8, **9.5**, 12, **13**, 16]cm from cast on edge (straight cuff), or 7 [9, 11, **13**, 16, **17**, 20]cm from cast on (folded cuff), or desired length.

Crown Shaping

You will now be decreasing stitches and will need to use Magic Loop or DPN's if you haven't been using them already.

Decrease round: (k8 [**8**, 9, **11**, 10, **11**, 11], k2tog), to end. 6 [7, 7, **7**, 8, **8**, 9] sts decreased.

Next round: knit to end.

Repeat these two rounds, working 1 less stitch before the k2tog in each new repeat, and still decreasing the same number of stitches each time, until you have 18 [21, 21, **21**, 24, **24**, 27]sts.

Next round: (k1, k2tog) to end. (12 [**14**, 14, **14**, 16, **16**, 18]sts.)

Next round: k2tog to end. (6 [7, 7, **7**, 8, **8**, 9]sts.)



Cut yarn leaving a long tail. Thread this tail through the remaining live stitches using your yarn needle, taking the knitting needles out as you go, and pull to close. Fasten off, and weave in both ends.

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