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ENCORE COLORSPUN

Spiral Rainbow Hat



Materials: Encore Colorsun 1 – 100g ball color 7021 or 7022, yarn needle, crochet hook.

Gauge: 5 sts = 1" in stockinette stitch on US 8 needles or size necessary to obtain given gauge.

Pattern Stitches

Stockinette Stitch

Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2: Purl.

Reverse Stockinette Stitch

Row 1 (RS): Purl.

Row 2: Knit.

Spiral Rainbow Hat – Version 1

Make a provisional cast on of 70 sts. Work 2 rows stockinette stitch. *Work 4 rows reverse stockinette. Work 4 rows stockinette stitch. Repeat from * 16 times. Work 4 rows reverse stockinette stitch, work 2 rows stockinette stitch. **AT THE SAME TIME** increase 1 st at beginning of every right side row and decrease 1 stitch at end of row. Kitchener stitch cast on edge to last row using yarn needle. This will form a tube. Using a length of yarn, gather one end to form the top of hat. Secure tightly.

Spiral Rainbow Hat – Version 2 (shown above)

Make a provisional cast on of 70 stitches. Beginning with a WS row, work 3 rows stockinette stitch. * Work 6 rows reverse stockinette. Work 6 rows stockinette stitch. Repeat from * 10 times. Work 6 rows reverse stockinette stitch, work 3 rows stockinette stitch. **AT THE SAME TIME**, increase 1 st at beginning of every right side row and decrease 1 st at end of every right side row. Kitchener stitch cast on edge to last row using yarn needle. Sew up top of hat as in version 1.

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ABBREVIATIONS: RS = right side, WS = wrong side, sts = stitch(es).