

DEAIRE
Short Row Hat



To Fit Size: Small Adult (Large Adult)
Approximate Finished Circumference: 18", (21)
Choose a size that is about 2" smaller than your actual head measurement.

Materials:

DeAire: 1, (1)—100G skein, color 146 Cream
Gauge: 9 sts, 16 rows= 4" in garter st (k every row) on US Size 15 (10mm) knitting needle.
Needles: US Size 15 (10mm) straight knitting needles, scrap yarn, large crochet hook.

Pattern is written for smallest size, with larger sizes in parenthesis. If only one number is given, it applies to all sizes.

Special Abbreviation

W&t (wrap and turn= wyif, sl next st on left hand needle to right hand needle, move yarn to back, sl st back to left hand needle, turn.
When going back to k these sts, sl the wrap up onto the needle and k2togtbl.

Begin

With scrap yarn and crochet hook, Chain a little more than 22 sts. Cut scrap yarn. With main yarn, pick up and k 22 sts along the chain.

Row 1 and every other row (WS): k all sts.

Row 2: K20 w&t.

Row 4: K19, w&t.

Row 6: K18, w&t.

Row 8: K17, w&t.

Row 10: K16, w&t.

Row 12: K across all sts.

Rep the last 12 rows 5, (6) times more-72, (84) rows total). K 1 more row.

Unravel the scrap yarn and place the sts onto the other needle. Cut yarn, leaving a long tail for sewing (approximately 3 yards). Thread yarn through tapestry needle, work "Kitchener st" method to join the 2 ends together as follows: (hold the needles parallel)

1. **Front Needle:** Sl 1 st knitwise and off the needle, sl next st purlwise but keep on the needle.
2. **Back Needle:** Sl 1 st purlwise and off the needle, sl next st knitwise but keep on the needle.

Rep these 2 steps until all sts have been worked.

Sl st into the top sts of the hat to pull the crown together- Pull tightly. Fasten off.

With rem yarn, make a 4 ½" diameter pom pom and attach to the top of the crown.

Weave in all ends.

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