

ESSEX
Buttomed Headband



Approximate Measurements: One size to fit most
20" in diameter X 4" height

Materials:

Essex (100g) - 1 ball, color # 5000

Gauge: 12 sts, 16 rows = 4" in St St size US 11 (8 mm) needle, *or size needed to obtain gauge.*

Needles: US size 11 (8mm) needles, 1 large button, matching thread and sewing needle, tapestry needle.

PLAIT STITCH PATTERN:

Row 1: (WS) *p2, k1; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 2: (RS) * Skip first st, knit 2nd st and pass over 1st st, knit first st, p1; repeat from * to last 2 sts-Skip first st, knit 2nd st and pass over 1st st, knit first st.

Repeat rows 1 and 2 for pattern.

Begin

Cast on 10 sts. Work in K1/P1 rib for 2". Next row, (RS) kfb of every st. (20 sts).

Next row is a WS row. Work in Plait Stitch Pattern until piece measures 18" from cast on edge. End on a RS row.

Next WS row, p2 tog across the row. (10 sts).

Work 5 rows in K1/P1 rib.

Create Buttonhole as follows: K1/P1 for 4 sts. Bind off center 2 sts, k1/p1 on last 4 sts.

Next row, K1/P1 for 4 sts, cable cast on 2 sts over the bound off sts from previous row, k1/p1 to end of row.

Work 2 more rows.

Bind off in pattern.

Finishing

Sew button to correspond with buttonhole on the cast on side of headband.

Weave in all ends.



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