

NO STRESS STRIPES KNIT HAT



Materials and Yarn

Red Heart Granny All In One Square Yarn. 250g / 8.8 oz, 381 meters / 417 yards

Colour is Soft White - Frigid.

Set of 4 sizes U.S. 7 (4.5 mm) and U.S. 8 (5 mm) double-pointed knitting needles.

Abbreviations

Beg = Beginning

Inc = Increase

K = Knit

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

M1 = Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop

P = Purl

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

Size, Average Adult.

Instructions

With set of smaller doublepointed needles and MC, cast on 90 sts. Join in rnd. Divide sts onto 3 needles, placing marker on first st. Work 3" in (K1. P1) ribbing.

Change to larger set of doublepointed needles and **knit 3 rnds**.

Next rnd: *K15. M1. Rep from * around. 96 sts.

Next 14 rnds: Knit.

Top of Hat

1st rnd: *K6, k2tog. Rep from * around. 84 sts.

2nd & alternative rnds: Knit.

3rd rnd: *K5, k2tog. Rep from * around. 72 sts.

5th rnd: *K4, k2tog. Rep from * around. 60 sts.

7th rnd: *K3, k2tog. Rep from * around. 48 sts.

9th rnd: *K2, k2tog. Rep from * around. 36 sts.

11th rnd: *K1, k2tog. Rep from * around. 24 sts.

12th rnd: *K2tog. Rep from * around. 12 sts. Break yarn leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem sts.

Option: Sew pom pom to the top of the hat.

