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Skill Level
Intermediate

Finished Size
Adult Small (Medium, Large)
Height: 9½" (24.1cm)
Circumference at brim: 15½ (17¾, 20)" [39 (45, 51)cm]

Materials

- Willow Yarns™ Drift (70% superwash wool/30% rayon from bamboo; 100g/284yd) - 730267-0100 Sandbar (all sizes 1 ball)
- US size 8 (5mm) 16" circular needle or size needed to obtain gauge
- US size 8 (5mm) dpn
- US size 7 (4.5mm) 16" circular needle
- Stitch markers
- Tapestry needle

Gauge

18 sts x 24 rows = 4" (10.2cm) in pat st using size 8 needle
Save time, check your gauge.

Stitch Guide

GS (Gathered Stitch): Insert right-hand needle underneath all 5 slipped yarns from bottom to top. K through next st on needle and pass the needle back through and underneath the 5 slipped yarns. This is not an inc.

Pattern Note

- Tam is worked in the rnd from the bottom up on a circular needle until the crown, then continues to end on dpn.

Instructions

CO 72 (80, 92) sts using size 7 circular needle.
Pm and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist work.

Work in seed st as follows:

Rnd 1 (RS): *K1, p1; rep from * to last st.

Rnd 2: *P1, k1; rep from * to last st.

Rep Rnds 1-2 six more times.

Change to size 8 circular needle.

Rnd 15: Work 2 (2, 4) sts in pat, M1, *work 4 (4, 5) sts in pat, M1; rep from * to last 2 (2, 3) sts, work in pat to end—90 (100, 110) sts.

Rnd 16: K.

Rnd 17: *K5, sl 5 sts wyif; rep from * to end.

Rnd 18: K.

Rep Rnds 17-18 three more times and then Rnd 17 once more.

Rnd 26: K7, *GS, k9; rep from * to last 3 sts, GS, k2.

Rnd 27: *Sl 5 sts wyif, k5; rep from * to end.

Rnd 28: K.

Rep Rnds 27-28 three more times and then Rnd 27 once more.

Rnd 36: K2, *GS, k9; rep from * to last 8 sts, GS, k7.

Rep Rnds 17-36 twice more.

Crown Shaping

Change to dpn when necessary.

Rnd 1: *Sl 5 wyif, ssk, k1, k2tog; rep from * to last st—72 (80, 88) sts.

Rnd 2: K.

Rnd 3: *Sl 5 wyif, k3; rep from * to last st.

Rep Rnds 2-3 three more times.

Rnd 10: *Ssk, GS, k2tog, sl 3 wyif; rep from * to last st—54 (60, 66) sts.

Rnd 11: K.

Rnd 12: K3, sl 3 wyif; rep from * to last st.

Rep Rnds 11-12 three more times.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg: begin/beginning

cm: centimeter

CO: Cast On

dpn: double pointed needles

inc: increase

k: knit

k2tog: knit 2 stitches together

k3tog: knit 3 stitches together

lps: loops

M1: make 1 stitch

p: purl

pat: pattern

pm: place marker

rep: repeat

rnd/rnds: round/rounds

RS: Right Side

sl: slip

ssk: slip, slip, knit these 2 stitches together—a decrease is made

st/sts: stitch/stitches

wyif: with yarn in front

Rnd 19: K4, *GS, k5; rep from * to last 2 sts, GS, k1.

Rnd 20: *K3tog, k3; rep from * to last st—36 (40, 44) sts.

Rnd 21: K.

Rnd 22: *K1, k3tog; rep from * to last st—18 (20, 22) sts.

Rnd 23: K.

Finishing

Using a tapestry needle, draw up all lps and fasten off. Weave in ends.