

Cascade Sierra
Slouchy Lace & Cable Hat



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Size

22 [24] inches/59 [61] cm in circumference at brim.

Materials

Cascade Sierra, 80% Pima Cotton, 20% Wool, 100g/3.5 oz, 191 yds, 1 skein of #441

Size 6 US/4mm 16 inch circular needle.

Size 6 US/4mm double point needles.

Size 4 US/3.5mm 16 inch circular needle.

Cable needle.

Gauge

20 sts in 4 inches/10cm with larger needles in pattern stitch

Abbreviations

c6f - Slip 3 stitches onto cable needle, hold in front, k3, k3 from cable needle.

k – Knit.

k2tog – knit 2 together.

pssso – Pass slip stitch over (the stitch resulting from the k2tog)

rep - Repeat

sl1 – Slip one stitch as if to knit.

ssk – slip one stitch as if to knit twice. Insert the left needle into the front legs of both slipped stitches.

St(s) – stitch(es).

Knit the 2 slipped stitches together.

yo – yarn over

Pattern

With smaller 16 inch circular needles, cast on 72 [76] sts. Working in the round, k for 5 rounds. Work 6 rounds in a [k2, p2] rib.

With larger 16 inch circular needles, k one round increasing 49 [45] stitches evenly throughout the round. 121 sts. Begin pattern stitch.

Rounds 1 & 5: *Yo, ssk, k1, k2tog, yo, k6; rep from * to end of round.

Rounds 2, 4, 6, 8: K.

Round 3: *K1, yo, sl1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k1, c6f; rep from * to end of round.

Round 7: *K1, yo, sl1, k2tog, pssso, yo, k7; rep from * to end of round.

Repeat these 8 rounds until hat measures 7 inches from rolled edge.

Crown

Begin decreases on the next knit round. Change to double point needles as necessary.

Round 1: *K5, ssk, k2, k2tog; rep from * to end of round. 99 sts.

Round 2: Work in pattern, eliminating all yo's. 77 sts.

Round 3: K until 1 st remains in round. This will be the new beginning of round.

Round 4: *Ssk, k1, k2tog, k2]; rep from * to end of round. 55 sts.

Round 5: K until 1 st remains in round. This will be the new beginning of round.

Round 6: *K1, sl1, k2tog, pssso, k1; rep from * to end of round. 33 sts.

Round 7: K until 1 st remains in round. This will be the new beginning of round.

Round 8: *Sl1, k2tog, pssso; rep from * to end of round. 11 sts.

Round 9: K.

With tapestry needle, run yarn through remaining live sts. Pull tight and secure.