



KNITTING PATTERN

Soft Focus Hat

Textured Beanie

Design: Holly Townsend | Garland, Autumn 2024

pompom x hobbii

MATERIALS

Hobbii x Pom Pom Garland

Yarn A: Nye, 1 ball

Yarn B: Whim, 1 ball

4mm / US 6 needles suitable for working small circumferences in the round.

Always use a needle/hook size that will result in the correct gauge after blocking.

Stitch markers (9, including one unique marker), tapestry needle

YARN QUALITY

 **Garland**, Hobbii x Pom Pom

Worsted weight

70% Cotton, 30% Alpaca

105m / 114yd per 50 g

GAUGE

20 sts & 48 rows = 10cm / 4" over half fisherman's rib pattern in the round on 4mm needles after blocking.

SIZE

1 (2)

MEASUREMENTS

To fit head circumference: 53-58 (56-61)cm / 21-23 (22-24)"

PATTERN INFORMATION

Soft Focus is worked in the round from the bottom up in Half-Fisherman's Rib stitch, alternating two colours of Garland. The hat is worked from the wrong side facing throughout, beginning with the brim. Once the brim is complete, the hat is turned to the opposite side to work the body and crown.

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<https://shop.hobbii.com/soft-focus-hat-textured-beanie>

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions regarding this pattern, please feel free to email us at support@hobbii.com. Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

Pattern



ABBREVIATIONS

Beg: beginning

Dec: decrease/d/ing

K: knit

Rep: repeat

RS: right side of work

P: purl

P2tog: purl two together

Patt: pattern

PM: place marker

Pwise: purlwise

Sl: slip

SM: slip marker

St(s): stitch(es)

Wyib: with yarn in back of work

Wyif: with yarn in front of work

WS: wrong side of work

STITCH GLOSSARY

Knit 1 Below (K1B)

Knit into the center of the next st, one row below the needles.

Left-leaning double decrease (LLDD)

On WS: P2tog, slip 1 st from right needle to left, insert right needle tip into the back loop of the second st on the left needle, pass it over the first st and off the needle, slip 1 st from left needle to right needle. *2 sts dec*

Right-leaning double decrease (RLDD)

On WS: Sl1 pwise, p2tog, pass slipped st over p2tog. *2 sts dec*

PATTERN BEGINS

Note: Since hat is worked from WS, yarns should be carried up the outside of your work (facing you) when changing colors each round.

Using Yarn A, cast on 88 (96) stitches using the Italian tubular cast-on method. Join for working in the round and PM to indicate beg of round.

Set-up Round 1: Using Yarn A, [sl1 wyib, p1] to end.

Set-up Round 2: Using Yarn B, [k1, sl1 wyif] to end.

Round 1: Using Yarn A, p to end.

Round 2: Using Yarn B, [k1B, p1] to end.

Rep rows 1-2 until piece measures 11cm / 4¼" from cast-on edge, ending with round 1.

Turn your work and push the hat inside out through the middle of your needles – you will now work with the opposite side facing than when you started.

Set-up Round 1: Using Yarn A, [p1, k1B] to last st.

Round 1: Using Yarn B, p to end.

Round 2: Using Yarn A, [k1B, p1] to end.

Rep rows 1-2 until piece measures 27cm / 10¾" from cast-on edge, ending with round 1.

Crown

Place markers: Using Yarn B, p9 (11), PM, *p3, PM, p19 (21), PM; rep from * twice more, p3, PM, p8 (10).

Next round: Using Yarn A, [k1B, p1] to end.

Dec round: Using Yarn B, *p to 3 sts before marker, LLDD, SM, p to marker, SM, RLDD; rep from * 3 more times, p to end. *16 sts dec*

Rounds 2-5: Patt to end.

Rep Dec Round every 6th round a further 5 (6) times. 16 sts

Final round: Using Yarn B, p2tog to end. 8 sts

Cut a long tail, thread it onto a tapestry needle and draw through remaining live sts to close.

FINISHING

Weave in ends and block.

Enjoy!

SCHEMATIC



A. 53-58 (56-61)cm / 21-23 (22-24)"

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