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knitting

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What you will need:

RED HEART® With Love™:
1 skein 1401 Pewter

Susan Bates® Circular Knitting
Needles: 4mm [US 6] and
4.5mm [US 7] 16" (40.6 cm)
Susan Bates® Double Pointed
Needles: 4.5mm [US 7]

Stitch marker
Yarn needle

GAUGE: 12 sts = 4" [10 cm],
16 rounds = 4" [10cm] in
Lace Pattern. **CHECK YOUR**
GAUGE. Use any size needles
to obtain the gauge.

BUY YARN



RED HEART® With Love®, Art. E400
available in solid
color 7oz (198 g), 370 yd
(338 m) and multicolor 5oz
(141 g), 230 yd (211 m) skeins



Lace Beret

A lacy update to a classic shape, this beret is a great way to flex your lace knitting muscles.

Directions are for adult's size Small; changes for Medium are in parentheses. When only 1 number is given, it applies to both sizes.

Hat Adult Small (Medium)

To Fit Head Circumference: 20 (22)"
[51 (56)cm]

Finished circumference: 18 (20)"
[46 (51)cm]

Length: 8 (9¼)" [20.5 (23.5)cm]

Special Abbreviations

Sk2p = Slip 1, knit 2 together, pass slip stitch over the knit 2 together; 2 stitches have been decreased.

M1 = Make 1 (Inc) - Lift strand between needles to left-hand needle and work strand through the back loop, twisting it to prevent a hole, [knit or purl as indicated by pattern st].

NOTE

This hat is worked in the round from the bottom up.

Lace Pattern stitch count increases on Round 1 and returns to original count on Round 3.

BRIM

With smaller needle, cast on 68 (76) sts. Join, place marker at beginning of round, and begin to work circularly.

Round 1: *K2, p2; repeat from * around. Repeat Round 1, 7 (9) times.

HAT BODY

Change to larger circular needle.

Set-Up Round: K17 (19), M1; repeat from * around - 72 (80) sts.

Begin Lace Pattern

Round 1: *Yo, k3, yo, k1; repeat from * around - 108 (120) sts.

Round 2: Knit around.

Round 3: K1, sk2p, *k3, sk2p; repeat from * to last 2 sts, k2 - 72 (80) sts.

Round 4: Knit around.

Work Rounds 1-4 of Lace Pattern until piece measures 6½ (7)" [16.5 (18)cm] from cast on edge, ending after a Round 4.

CROWN

Note: Change to double pointed needles when work is too small for circular needle.

Size Medium Only

Set-Up Decrease Round: *K3, k2tog; repeat from * around - 64 sts.

Work Rounds 1-3 of Lace Pattern.

Sizes Small (Medium)

Decrease Round 1: *K2, k2tog; repeat from * around - 54 (48) sts.

Work Rounds 1-3 of Lace Pattern.

Decrease Round 2: *K1, k2tog; repeat from * around - 36 (32) sts.

Work Rounds 1-3 of Lace Pattern.

Decrease Round 3: *K2tog; repeat from * around - 18 (16) sts.

Final Decrease Round: *K2tog; repeat from * around - 9 (8) sts.

Cut yarn leaving a tail 12" [30.5 cm] long. Draw through remaining stitches twice, fasten securely.

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Finishing

Weave in yarn ends. Steam block hat over a dinner plate to create the signature beret shape. Use gentle steam to permanently set the synthetic yarn, but do not steam the ribbing.

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ABBREVIATIONS

cm = centimeters; **inc** = increase;
K = knit; **K2tog** = knit next 2 sts together; **mm** = millimeters; **P** = purl;
st(s) = stitch(es); **yo** = yarn over; *** or ****
= repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated

