



Free Knitting Pattern

**LION BRAND® WOOL-EASE® THICK & QUICK®
NEEDHAM HAT**

Pattern Number: M20162 WETQ



SKILL LEVEL – EASY

SIZE

Finished Circumference About 21 in. (53.5 cm), will stretch to fit a range of sizes

Finished Height About 9 in. (23 cm)

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® WOOL-EASE® THICK & QUICK® (Art. #640)
 - #156 Thaw 1 ball (A)
 - #102 Rouge 1 ball (B)
- LION BRAND® stitch markers
- LION BRAND® Pom-Pom Maker
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Double pointed knitting needles size 13 (9 mm), set of 4 or 5

Circular knitting needle size 13 (9 mm), 16 in. (40.5 cm) long

GAUGE

10 sts = about 4 1/2 in. (11.5 cm) in St st worked in rnds (k every st on every rnd).

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES

1. Hat is worked in one piece in the round.
2. Fair Isle colorwork, using 2 colors per round, is worked over 3 rnds of body of Hat.
3. When working Fair Isle patterns, carry color not in use along WS of piece. At the end of every other rnd, twist working yarn around unused color to secure strands.

HAT

With circular needle and A, cast on 46 sts.

Place marker for beg of rnd. Join by knitting the first st on the left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand needle and being careful not to twist sts.

Lower Band

Rnds 1-6: *K1, p1; rep from * around.

Work in St st worked in rnds (k every st on every rnd) for 8 rnds.

Fair Isle Colorwork

Rnd 1: *With A, k1; with B, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 2: *With B, k1, with A, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 3: *With A, k1; with B, k1; rep from * around.

Cut A and work remainder of Hat with B only.

Work in St st worked in rnds for 7 rnds.

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Shape Top of Hat

Change to double pointed needles as you work the next rnd.

Rnd 1: K4, k2tog, *k6, k2tog; rep from * around – you will have 40 sts in this rnd.

Rnd 2: *K2, k2tog; rep from * around – 30 sts.

Rnd 3: *K1, k2tog; rep from * around – 20 sts.

Rnd 4: *K2tog; rep from * around – 10 sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail. Thread tail through remaining sts and pull to close opening at top of Hat.

Knot securely.

FINISHING

Pom-Pom

With B, follow package directions to make a pom-pom. Tie pom-pom to top of Hat.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

p = purl

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

St st = Stockinette stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

Every effort has been made to produce accurate and complete instructions. We cannot be responsible for variance of individual knitters or crocheters, human error, or typographical mistakes.

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