

LM5513 INTERMEDIATE

knitting

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®: 1 skein each 505 Aruba Sea **A**, 387 Soft Navy **B** and 311 White C

Susan Bates[®] Circular Knitting Needles: 4.5mm [US 7] 16" (40.6cm) long

Susan Bates[®] Double-Pointed Knitting Needles: 4.5mm [US 7]

Stitch marker, yarn needle

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 22 rows = 4" [10 cm] in St st (knit every round). CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

BUY YARN

RED HEART® Super



Saver[®]. Art. E300 available in solid color 7 oz (198 g), 364 yds (333 m); prints, multis and heathers 5 oz (141 g), 236 yds (215 m); flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins



Snow-Speckled Hat

Keep your head warm with this snowinspired hat! The speckle pattern is a great way to experiment with knitting fair-isle color work.

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

Hat Adult Medium (Large) Finished circumference: 20 (22¹/₂)" [51 (57) cm]

HAT

With circular needles and A. cast on 80 (92) stitches. Join, being careful that stitches are not twisted, and begin working in the round. Place marker for beginning of round.

Size Large only:

*K44, k2tog; repeat from * once - 90 sts.

Round 1: *K2, p2; repeat from * around. Work in K2, P2 ribbing for 1.5" (3.75 cm). Rounds 1-3: Change to B and knit around. Round 4: *With B, k4, with C, k1; repeat from * around. Rounds 5-7: With B. knit around.

Round 8: *With B, k2, with C, k1, with B, k2: repeat from * around.

Repeat Rounds 1-8 until piece measures approximately 6" (18 cm) from cast on edge, ending with a Round 3 or 7.

Continuing with color **C** for the remainder of the hat, knit for 1" (2.5 cm).

SHAPE CROWN

(As number of stitches decreases, and work is too small for circular needle, change to double-pointed needles).

Size Large only Round 1: *K7, k2tog; repeat from * around - 80 sts. Round 2: Knit around.

Both sizes

Round 1: *K6, k2tog; repeat from * around - 70 sts. Round 2: Knit around. Round 3: *K5, k2tog; repeat from * around - 60 sts. Round 4: Knit around. Round 5: *K4, k2tog; repeat from * around - 50 sts. Round 6: Knit around. Round 7: *K3, k2tog; repeat from * around - 40 sts. Round 8: *K2, k2tog; repeat from * around - 30 sts. Round 9: *K1. k2tog: repeat from * around - 20 sts. Round 10: K2tog, around - 10 sts.

Cut yarn leaving a tail 12" (30.5 cm) long. Draw through remaining stitches twice, faster securely.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

cm = centimeters; K = knit; k2tog = Knit 2 together, mm = millimeters; P = purl; st(s) = stitch(es); * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.

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