

# Melange Chunky Headband



## Size

10 cm wide and 56 cm in circumference

## Materials

Rico Design Creative Melange Chunky:

1 x 50g ball (shades shown are 54 and 56)

1 pair 6.5mm (UK 3) single pointed knitting needles

Cable needle

## Gauge or Tension

17 sts and 24 rows to a 10 cm (4 in) square in Cable Pattern with 6.5mm needles.

## Abbreviations

**St/sts** – stitch/stitches

**K/P** – knit/purl

**Rep/patt(s)** – repeat/pattern(s)

**Cont** - continue

**RS/WS** – right side/wrong side

**CN** – cable needle

**T3b** – Twist 3 sts back: slip the next stitch onto a CN and hold at the back, k2, then p1 from the CN

**T3f** – Twist 3 sts front: slip the next 2 stitches onto a CN and hold at the front, p1, then k2 from the CN

**2/3RC** – 2/3 right cross: slip the next 3 sts onto a CN and hold at the back, k2, then k3 from the CN

## Instructions

Using 6.5mm knitting needles, cast on 17 sts.

**Set Up row (WS):** K6, p2, k1, p2, k6.

Work in Cable Pattern as follows:

**Row 1 (RS):** K6, 2/3 RC, k6.

**Row 2:** K6, p2, k1, p2, k6.

**Row 3:** K5, T3b, k1, T3f, k5.

**Row 4:** K5, p2, k3, p2, k5.

**Row 5:** K4, T3b, k3, T3f, k4.

**Row 6:** K4, p2, k5, p2, k4.

**Row 7:** Knit.

**Row 8:** Repeat row 6.

**Row 9:** K4, T3f, k3, T3b, k4.

**Row 10:** Repeat row 4.

**Row 11:** K5, T3f, k1, T3b, k5.

**Row 12:** Repeat row 2.

These 12 rows form the pattern. Cont in patt as set till work measures 56 cm, or to fit head when slightly stretched, and ending with a WS row.

Cast off all sts. Sew cast on and cast off edges together. Weave in ends. Block lightly. See ball band for further care instructions.