

Design S9353 / Man's Hat



Size:

Head circumference: 22-23 inches. Hat circumference: 23 inches. Length: 10½ inches.

Material: Schachenmayr Catania Denim,

2 balls # 00192 charcoal.

From Milward one each sizes US 2 and 3 (2.5 and 3 mm) circular needle $16^{\circ\prime}/40$ cm long.

From Regia one set (5) double-pointed needles (dpn) size US 3 (3 mm) and one yarn needle for seaming.

Border pat worked in round:

★K1 through back loop (tbl), p1; rep from **★**.

Textured Pat:

Over an even number of sts

Rnd 1: Purl.

Rnd 2: ★k1; p1; rep from ★ around.

Rep rnds 1 and 2.

Gauge:

Textured Pat: 25 sts and 34 rnds = 4×4 "/ 10×10 cm with US 3 (3mm) needles.

INSTRUCTIONS

With US 2 (2.5mm) circular needle, cast on 138 sts. Join to work in rnds and work in Border pat for $1\frac{1}{4}$ "/3 cm.

Change to US 3 (3mm) needle and knit one rnd, inc 12 sts evenly around = 150 sts.

Continue in Textured Pat until piece measures approx 9½"/24 cm from beginning, ending with a rnd 2 of Textured Pat.

Redistribute the sts over 4 dpn as follows: 37 sts each on the 1st and 3rd needles and 38 sts each on the 2nd and 4th needles.

Rnd 1: [P3 together, p3] 25 times = 100 sts.

Rnds 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10: Work even in Textured pat. **Rnd 3:** [P3 together, p3] 16 times, p3 together, p1 = 66 sts.

Rnd 5: [P3 together, p3] 11 times = 44 sts. **Rnd 7:** [P3 together, p3] 7 times, p2 = 30 sts. **Rnd 9:** [P3 together, p3] 5 times = 20 sts. **Rnd 11:** [P3 together] 10 times = 10 sts.

Cut yarn and draw through rem sts and secure. Sew in ends.

Total length = approx $10\frac{1}{2}$ "/27 cm.