

RAFA'S HAT



A very easy manly hat worked in worsted weight yarn...
Designed for a friend who (like every man) had very little
requirements.

SIZE

Adult's Small (Medium, Large). Shown in size Medium.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Circumference unstretched: 14¾ (16, 17½)" [37 (40, 44) cm].

Length from brim to top: 8 (8½, 9¼)" [20 (21.5, 23) cm].

MATERIALS

Yarn: You will need 1 skein of *Lush Worsted* by The Uncommon Thread (80% Merino /10% Nylon /10% Cashmere - 100g / 230y /210m) or approx. 150 (170, 190)y [140 (155, 175)m] of any other worsted weight yarn. The sample was knit using colorway Charred.

Needles: US 5 (3.75mm) circular needles.

Other notions: Stitch marker, tapestry needle.

GAUGE

26 st and 34 rows to 4" (10cm) in 1x1 rib (unstretched) on US 5 (3.75mm) needles.

Directions

HAT

Cast on 96 (104, 112) sts and join for working in the round placing a marker at the beginning.

Rounds 1-16: (K1, p1) to end of round.

Round 17: K to end.

Round 18: P to end.

Repeat rounds 1-18 twice more.

Work 4 (8, 16) more rounds in 1x1 rib.

CROWN

Round 1: (K1, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, ssk), repeat to end.

Round 2: (K1, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1), repeat to end.

Round 3: (K1, p1, k1, p1, k1, p2tog), repeat to end.

Round 4: (K1, p1), repeat to end.

Round 5: (k1, p1, k1, p1, ssk), repeat to end.

Round 6: (K1, p1, k1, p1, k1), repeat to end.

Round 7: (K1, p1, k1, p2tog), repeat to end.

Round 8: (K1, p1), repeat to end.

Round 9: (K1, p1, ssk), repeat to end.

Round 10: (K1, p1, k1), repeat to end.

Round 11: (K1, p2tog), repeat to end.

Round 12: (K1, p1), repeat to end.

Round 13: (Ssk), repeat to end.

FINISHING

Break yarn and draw through remaining stitches, pulling tightly. Sew it to the inside of the hat securely.

Weave in ends and block flat.

ABBREVIATIONS

k	knit
p	purl
p2tog	purl 2 together
Ssk	Slip, slip, knit
st (sts)	stitch (stitches)



For my friend Rafa, who always takes the most amazing photos of my knitting :-)

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