

Hat for a premature baby, full term baby or toddler

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Materials:

This hat can be knitted on straight needles, on a single circular needle using the magic loop method or on double pointed needles.

For a premature baby use 4 ply yarn and 3 mm needles.

For a new born full term baby use DK yarn and 4 mm needles.

For a toddler use Aran weight yarn and 5 mm needles.

Method:

Cast on 72 stitches.

Rib for 10 rows or omit ribbing for a rolled brim.

Work in stocking stitch for 40 rows.

1st decrease row: (K2tog, K2) and repeat to the end of the row.

Next and following alternate rows: Purl.

2nd decrease row: (K1 K2tog) and repeat to the end of the row.

3rd decrease row: K2tog all along the row.

4th decrease row: As 3rd decrease row.

Break the yarn, pull the tail through the stitches and pull tight

For those using straight needles sew up the side seam and sew in the ends.

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