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Bobble Peak Hat

Materials: 2 balls of Catena by Berroco, (120yd/50g)

Supplies: 16-inch circular size 8 for ribbing, 16-inch circular size 9 for body of hat, size 9 double pointed needles for decreases on top, one removable marker for end of round

Gauge: 18 stitches for 4 inches in pattern

Make Bobble:

Into the same stitch: knit without taking stitch off left-hand needle, yarn over, knit without taking stitch off left-hand needle, yarn over, knit and this time take stitch off left-hand needle. You will now have 5 stitches where you had 1.

Turn and purl the 5 stitches. Turn and knit the 5 stitches. Turn and p2tog, p1, p2tog (3 stitches left). Turn and k3tog (back to 1 stitch).

CB2: Slip 1 stitch onto cable needle and hold to front. Knit 1 stitch from left-hand needle, knit the stitch on cable needle.

Cr2L: Slip 1 stitch onto cable needle and hold to front. Purl 1 stitch from the left-hand needle, knit the stitch on cable needle.

Cr2R: Slip 1 stitch onto cable needle and hold to back. Knit 1 stitch from the left-hand needle, purl the stitch on cable needle.

Cast on 88 stitches. Place marker and join in the round. Work (k1, p1) rib for 3 inches.

Increase in next round as follows: (k6, make one, k8, make one) six times, k4. You will have 100 stitches on the needle at the end of this round. Switch to larger 16” circular now.

Pattern

Round 1: (k2, p8) ten times

Round 2: (CB2, p8) ten times

Round 3: (k2, p8) ten times, remove the end of round marker, k1, return marker (now it will sit between the two knit stitches)

Round 4: (Cr2L, p6, Cr2R) ten times

Round 5: (p1, k1, p6, k1, p1) ten times

Round 6: (p1, Cr2L, p4, Cr2R, p1) ten times

Round 7: (p2, k1, p4, k1, p2) ten times

Round 8: (p2, Cr2L, p2, Cr2R, p2) ten times

Round 9: (p3, k1, p2, k1, p3) ten times

Round 10: (p3, Cr2L, Cr2R, p3) ten times

Round 11: (p4, k1, make bobble, p4) ten times

Round 12: (p4, CB2, p4) ten times, move the end of round marker one stitch back (to the right of the last stitch worked)

Repeat the pattern a total of 3 times.

Purl 2 more rounds.

Top decreases (switch to DPNs when necessary)

Round 1: (p8, p2tog) ten times

Round 2: purl all stitches

Round 3: (p7, p2tog) ten times

Round 4: purl all stitches

Round 5: (p6, p2tog) ten times

Round 6: (p5, p2tog) ten times

Round 7: (p4, p2tog) ten times

Round 8: (p3, p2tog) ten times

Round 9: (p2, p2tog) ten times

Round 10: (p1, p2tog) ten times

Round 11: p2tog around

At the end of this round you will have 10 stitches left.

Cut yarn and draw through live stitches, pull and secure.

Attach the pom pom of your choice.