

Knit Along the Rockies 2014

Adult Women's Hat

19 to 20 inch circumference

DK weight yarn, 150 yards,
size 6 – 16 inch circular needle and size 6 double point needles

Gauge 5.25 stitches per inch

K = knit

P = purl

K2tog = knit 2 stitches together

P2tog = purl 2 stitches together

TCR = Twisted Cable Rib = K2tog, but do not slip off needle, then insert right-hand needle between the 2 stitches and knit the first stitch again, proceeding to then slip both stitches off needle together.

Cast on 122 Stitches (Do not join in round)

Row 1 – P2, *K2 P2, repeat from * to the end.

Row 2 – *K2, P2, repeat from * to the end.

Row 3 – P2, *TCR, P2, repeat from * to the end.

Row 4 -- *K2, P2, repeat from * to the end. (Same as Row 2)

Repeat the above 4 rows 4 more times for a total of 20 rows.

Decrease rows for tab:

Row 1 – P2tog, *K2, P2, repeat from * to the end. (121 stitches)

Row 2 – *K2, P2, repeat from * to last 2 stitches, then P2tog. (120 stitches)

Row 3 – K2tog, P2, *TCR, P2, repeat from * to the end. (119 Stitches)

Row 4 – *K2, P2, repeat from * to last 2 stitches, then K2tog. (118 stitches)

Row 1 – P2tog, *K2, P2, repeat from 8 to the end. (117 stitches)

Row 2 – *K2, P2, repeat from * to the last 2 stitches, then P2tog. (116 stitches)



Row 3 – K2tog, P2, *TCR, P2, repeat from * to the end. (115 stitches)

Row 4 – * K2, P2, repeat from * to the last 2 stitches, K2tog. (114 stitches)

Row 1 – Slip 2 stitches knit-wise, knit 1 stitch, slip 2 slipped stitches over knit stitch and off needle (double decrease), *K2, P2, repeat to end. Note: Last purl stitch should be purled through the back loop to ensure a tight join.

Do not turn work. Begin working in round.

Place marker (beginning of round)

Row 2 – K1 through back loop, K1, *P2, K2, repeat from * to end of round. (Marker)

*** Row 3 – *TCR, P14, repeat from * 6 more times.

Row 4 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 1 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 2 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Repeat from *** three more times.

Row 3 – *TCR, P2tog, P10, P2tog, repeat from * to the end. (98 stitches)

Row 4 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 1 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 2 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 3 – *TCR, P2 tog, P8, P2tog, repeat from * to the end. (84 stitches)

Row 4 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 1 – *K2, P2tog, P6, P2tog, repeat from * to the end. (70 stitches)

Row 2 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 3 – *TCR, P2tog, P4, P2tog, repeat from * to the end. (56 stitches)

Row 4 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 1 – *K2, P2tog, P2, P2tog, repeat from * to the end. (42 stitches)

Row 2 – Knit the knits, purl the purls.

Row 3 – *TCR, P4, repeat from * to the end. (42 stitches)(No stitch count change)

Row 4 –*K2, P2tog (2), repeat from * to the end. (28 stitches)

Row 1 – *K2, P2, repeat from * to the end. (28 stitches)(No stitch count change)

Row 2 – *K2, P2tog, repeat from *to the end. (21 stitches)

Row 3 – *TCR, P1, pass TCR stitches over purl stitch and off of needle, repeat from * 6 more times to complete round. (7 stitches)

Cut yarn and run tail through remaining 7 stitches.

Using yarn, sew band together and stitch down tab in a few places as needed for stability.

Block if needed.

Add buttons.