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PITANGA HAT
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Pitanga hat is specially designed for the new yarn of Manos del Uruguay, Cardo, 100% corriedale wool with 100 meters (109 yards) in 100 grs. It is a simple design where the protagonist is the yarn and its attributes. A great definition in the stitches when it is knitted, and a solid color palette ideal for knit color work.

Size and Measurements

One size

Circumference: 45 cms / 18" at the brim

Length from brim to top: 26 cms / 10,2"



Yarn

Manos del Uruguay, Cardo.

100% corriedale wool, 100 mts (109 yards) per 100 grs.

Color A: 114 yards / 104 mts (sample in pumpkin)

Color B: 28,5 yards / 26 mts (sample in naif)



Needles and Tools

- 5,5 mm / US #9 circular needles (at least 60 cms / 24")
- 6,0 mm / US #10 circular needles (at least 60 cms / 24")
- 6,0 mm / US #10 double pointed needles
- 1 tapestry needle.

..... Gauge

14 sts and 19 rows = 10 cms / 4" in Stockinette Stitch (color work) pattern with 5,5 mm (10 US) needles.

Be sure to check your gauge. Adjust needle size if necessary to obtain the correct gauge.

Abbreviations

K: Knit

P: Purl

Sts: Stitch

K2tog: Knit two stitches together.

Techniques

Cast On, knit and purl stitches, knitting in the round, rib (2x2), increasing, color work, bind off.

Directions

Brim

With color A and a circular needle (5,5 mm / US #9) cast on 68 stitches and join for working in the round making sure not twist the sts.

Place a marker at the beginning.

Set up rib: *k1, p1*, repeat until the end of the round.

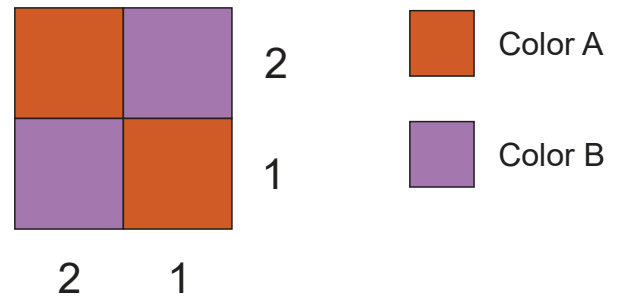
Work in 1x1 ribbing as established for 5 cms / 2" (or 10 cms / 4" if you want a large brim)

Body (color work)

Change to larger needles, 6,0 mm (US #10) and work as follow:

Set up round (decrease): (K12, k2tog) x 4, k15, k2tog - 63 sts.

Start working the color work (see the graphic below) and knitting for 18 cms (7") from the beginning of the rib.





Crown Shape

Change to dpn's needles when you consider it necessary to continue knitting comfortably.

With color B work as follow:

Set up round (decrease): (k19, k2tog) x 3 - 60 sts.

Work 4 rounds in stockinette stitch.

Round 1: (K5, k2tog, k6, k2tog) x 4 - 52 sts.

Rounds 2 and 3: Knit.

Round 4: (K4, k2tog, k5, k2tog) x 4 - 44 sts.

Rounds 5 and 6: Knit.

Round 7: (K3, k2tog, k4, k2tog) x 4 - 36 sts.

Round 8: Knit.

Round 9: (K2, k2tog, k3, k2tog) x 4 - 28 sts.

Round 10: Knit.

Round 11: (K1, k2tog, k2, k2tog) x 4 - 20 sts.

Round 12: Knit.

Round 13: (K2tog, k1, k2tog) x 4 - 12 sts.

Round 14: Knit.

Round 15: (K2tog) to the end. - 8 sts.

Finishing

Weave in loose ends. Wash and lay flat to finished measurements and shape.



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