



Chunky Winter Ripple Hat

- Sizes:** One size fits all. 20-22 inch head circumference.
- Materials:** 2 balls PolarKnit[™] 50m/55yds - Chunky Weight
8mm (US 11) short circular needle
9mm (US 13) short circular needle
9mm (US 13) double pointed needles
Cable needle
Darning needle
Stitch marker
- Gauge:** 12sts and 16 rows = 10 cm (4 inches) - 3sts per inch.

Stitch Abbreviations:

- C6B = Slip next 3 sts onto cable needle (cn) and leave at back of work, k3, then k3 from cn.
C6F = Slip next 3 sts onto cable needle (cn) and leave at front of work, k3, then k3 from cn.

Cable Pattern:

- Row 1 - Knit.
Row 2 - Knit.
Row 3 - *C6B, K6* repeat to end of row.
Row 4 - Knit.
Row 5 - Knit.
Row 6 - Knit.
Row 7 - *K6, C6F* repeat to end of row.
Row 8 - Knit.

Instructions:

Beginning with a 8mm circular needle cast on 56sts. Join into round being careful not to twist stitches. Place a stitch marker to remind you where the beginning of the row is. Continue in a *K1, P1* rib pattern for 3 rows. On the 4th row increase by 4sts, spacing them evenly around the row while still maintaining rib pattern. (60sts)
Change to 9mm circular needles and begin Cable Pattern (consisting of 8 rows). Repeat the Cable Pattern 3 times.

Decrease Crown:

Row 1 - Knit.

Row 2 - *K4, K2tog* repeat to end of row. (50sts)

Row 3 - Knit. Change to dpn's if necessary.

Row 4 - *K3, K2tog* repeat to end of row. (40sts)

Row 5 - Knit.

Row 6 - *K2, K2tog* repeat to end of row. (30sts)

Row 7 - *K1, K2tog* repeat to end of row. (20sts)

Row 8 - *K2tog* repeat. (10sts)

Row 9 - *K2tog* repeat.

Break yarn and thread through remaining stitches. Draw tightly and secure.

Always machine wash and dry your finished garment to rid it of residual fluff.