Hudson Riverfront Hat

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Knitting pattern

Needles & yarn

Needle
US 11 - 8.0 mm

Yarn used
2 skeins

Yarn
Gold Leaf: Black/Silver Quantity: 2 () balls (A) Price: $ 13.98

How much?
2 skeins

Colorway
Black/Silver

Color family
Black

Notes
Hudson Riverfront Hat
Lion Brand® Gold Leaf® - Pelt

GAUGE:

10 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm) over Rnds 1 and 2 with A.

When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

Making a Gauge Swatch

NOTES:

1. Hat is worked in the rnd.
2. Earflaps are worked separately and sewn to Hat.

HAT

With circular needle and A, loosely cast on 54 sts. Place marker for beg of rnd and join by working the first st on the left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand need, being careful not to twist sts.

Rnd 1: *K1, p2; rep from* around.
Rnd 2: Knit.

Rep Rnds 1 and 2 until piece measures about 5 in. (12.5 cm) from beg, end with a Rnd 1 as the last rnd you work.

Note: As you work the next rnd, change to double pointed needles (dpns) as follows:
Dec Rnd 1: With first needle, *(k1, k2tog) 6 times; repeat from* with 2nd and 3rd needles – 36 sts (12 sts on each needle).
Next Rnd: *K1, p1; rep from* around.
Next Rnd: Knit.
Rep last 2 rnds twice more.

Dec Rnd 2: *K2tog; rep from* around – 18 sts.
Next Rnd: *K1, p1; rep from* around.
Next Rnd: Knit.

Rep last 2 rnds once more.
Dec Rnd 3: *K2tog; rep from* around – 9 sts.
Dec Rnd 4: *K1, k2tog; rep from* around – 6 sts (2 sts on each needle).

Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail. Thread yarn tail through rem sts and pull to gather. Knot securely.

Earflaps (make 5 - 2 with A and 3 with B)

With circular needle, loosely cast on 22 sts. Work back and forth on circular needle as if working on straight needles.

Rows 1-4: Knit.
Row 5: K 11, place marker, k 11.
Row 6: K2tog, k to 2 sts before marker, k2tog, slip marker, k2tog, k to last 2 sts, k2tog – 18 sts.
Row 7: Knit.
Rep Rows 6 and 7 until 6 sts rem.
Remove marker as you work the next row.
Next Row: K1, (k2tog) twice, k1 – 4 sts.
Next Row: (K2tog) twice – 2 sts.
Bind off.

FINISHING
Place a marker at center back of Hat (this is point that was the beg/end of rnds) then place markers 1 1/2 in. (4 cm) and 7 1/2 in. (19 cm) to both right and left of center back marker for Earflaps. Remove center back marker.
Sew long straight edge of one A Earflap between each set of markers.
Sew one B Earflap to the inside of each of A Earflap.
Sew remaining B Earflap to front of Hat, matching long straight edge of Earflap to front edge of Hat.
Ties
With crochet hook and A, make a ch about 12 in. (30.5 cm) long. Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail.
Cut six 10 in. (25.5 cm) strands of B. Hold 5 of the B strands tog and tie at center with long yarn tail of ch. Fold strands in half, and use rem B strand to tie around folded strands about 1 in. (2.5 cm) from fold to secure strands to ch to make tassel. Thread ends of yarn to center of tassel to hide and trim tassel ends evenly. Attach opposite end of tie to bottom of earflap. Rep for opposite earflap.
Weave in ends.

Abbreviations
beg = begin(s)(ning)
ch(s) = chain(s)
rem = remain(s)(ing)
rnd(s) = round(s)
RS = right side
sc = single crochet
sl st = slip stitch
st(s) = stitch(es)
WS = wrong side
beg = begin(s)(ning)
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)
k = knit
k2tog = knit 2 together

p = purl
p2tog = purl 2 together
rem = remain(s)(ing)
rep = repeat(s)(ing)
rnd(s) = round(s)
st(s) = stitch(es)