LITTLE LISA'S POLKA DOT CAP



Materials:

Needles: Size US 8 16" circular needles

Size US 8 double-point needles (DPNs)

Yarn: 200-250 yards of any yarn from the Knots of Love's

approved list of yarns. Two colors of choice.

Stitch marker; Tapestry needle



Using circular needles, cast on 85 (AVG), 97 (LRG) sts. Place stitch marker and join in the round being careful not to twist cast-on stitches at the join.

Brim: Rounds 1-10: Knit around



Pattern:

Note: Carry both colors of yarn individually along inside of work being careful not to pull too tightly. Each color is worked separately, never doubled.

Rnd 1: K1 w/MC, * [K2 w/CC, K4 w/MC]. Repeat from * around to last 4 sts. Knit last 4 sts w/MC.

Rnds 2 - 3: * [K4 w/CC, K2 w/MC]. Repeat from * around to last 3 sts. Knit last 3 sts w/MC.

Rnd 4: K1 w/ MC, * [K2 w/ CC, K4 w/ MC]. Repeat from * to last 4 sts. Knit last 4 sts w/ MC.

Rnds 5 - 6: * [K1 around with MC] repeat from * around.

Rnd 7: * [K4 w/ MC, K2 w/ CC]. Repeat from * to last st. Knit this stitch w/ MC.

Rnds 8 - 9: K3 w/ MC, * [K4 w/ CC, K2 w/ MC] repeat from * to last 4 stitches. Knit these 4 sts w/ CC.

Rnd 10: * [K4 w/ MC, K2 w/ CC]. Repeat from * to last st. Knit this stitch w/ MC.

Rnds 11 - 12: * [K1 around with MC] repeat from * around.

Repeat pattern rnds 1 to 12 until hat measures 6"

Crown Shaping: (Switch to DPNs when necessary)

Note: ** You will have one extra stitch remaining throughout the crown shaping. **

Rnd 1: *[K10, K2tog]. Repeat from * around. You will have 1 stitch remaining. Knit this stitch.

Rnd 2: Knit around

Rnd 3: *[K9, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

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<u>Crown Shaping</u>: (Switch to DPNs when necessary)

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Rnd 4: Knit around

Rnd 5: *[K8, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

Rnd 6: Knit around.

Rnd 7: *[K7, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

Rnd 8: *[K6, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

Rnd 9: *[K5, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

Rnd 10: *[K4, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

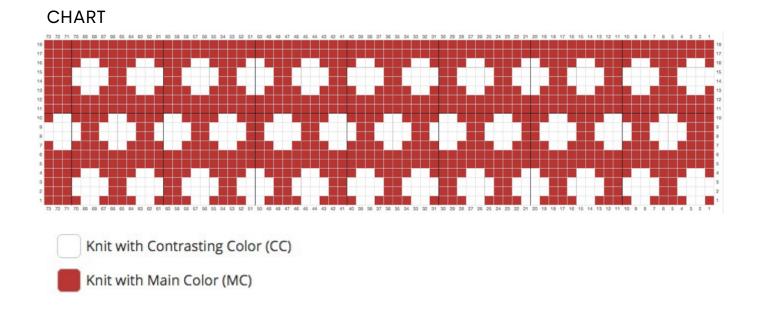
Rnd 11: *[K3, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

Rnd 12: *[K2, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

Rnd 13: *[K1, K2tog]. Repeat from * around.

Finishing:

Break yarn, leaving 12". Thread onto a tapestry needle and loosely thread through the remaining stitches. Thread through a 2nd time and pull tightly to close the remaining hole. Thread to inside and stitch in place to secure. Weave in and out of a few stitches, and clip the remaining yarn.



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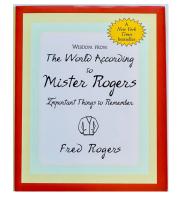
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