

One Day Baby Hat (in two sizes)

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Materials: Bernat Satin Solid, 100 gms 163 yards
 Color: 04222, Fern (one skein will easily make two hats)
 Cascade Malizia, 50 gms 54 yards
 Color: pink/green
 Small amount for decoration only (< 1 yard);
Or you may substitute a pretty ribbon

Needles: US 6 circular dpns, or size needed to obtain gauge
 (I started on 2 circulars and then switched to dpns)

Gauge: 22 sts and 32 rounds = 4 in/10 cm in stockinette
 (this yarn is knit more densely than called for on the band)

Misc.: tapestry needle for weaving ends and the decorative ribbon/yarn

Abbrev's: SK2P = slip 1 as to knit, k2tog, pass slipped st over (2 sts decreased)

Approx. finished dimensions:

Two sizes – newborn (6-12 months)

13 (14 ¼) inches circumference by 6 (6 ¾) inches from top of crown to cast on edge after blocking; hat should have slight negative ease for proper fit

Start Hat

Cast on 72 (80) sts. Join without twisting to work in the round. Purl one round. Knit one round. Work Horseshoe Lace for 6 rounds:

Rnd 1: *k1, YO, k2, SK2P, k2, YO* Repeat between * * for entire round

Even rnds (2, 4, 6): knit

Rnd 3: *k2, YO, k1, SK2P, k1, YO, k1* Repeat between * * for entire round

Rnd 5: *k3, YO, SK2P, YO, k2* Repeat between * * for entire round



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4										
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2										
	o			/\			o			1
Pattern Repeat (8 sts)										

KEY to Chart:
 Blank square = knit st
 O = yarnover
 /\ = SK2P

Continue in stockinette until hat measures 4 (4 ¼) inches from cast on edge. Start decrease rounds, changing to dpns when necessary.

Rnd 1: [k 7 (8), k2 tog] x 8

Rnds 2, 3, 4: knit

Rnd 5: [k 6 (7), k2 tog] x 8

Rnds 6, 7: knit

Rnd 8: [k 5 (6), k2 tog] x 8

Rnds 9: knit

Rnd 10: [k 4 (5), k2 tog] x 8

Rnds 11: knit

Rnd 12: [k 3 (4), k2 tog] x 8

Rnds 13: knit

Rnd 14: [k 2 (3), k2 tog] x 8

Rnds 15: knit

Rnd 16: [k 1 (2), k2 tog] x 8

Rnd 17: [k 0 (1), k2 tog] x 8

Rnd 18: k2 tog x 4 (8) *Newborn size is complete*

Rnd 19 (large size only): [k2 tog] x 4

Break off yarn and thread through remaining sts. Weave in ends. Acrylic yarn does not really block, but I did wet block mine anyway!

When dry, weave ribbon or decorative yarn through the holes made by the yarnovers at the top and bottom points of the Horseshoe Lace. Stitch down the ends of the ribbon/yarn on inside.

