

Winter Garden Hat

Every colour you could find growing shows up in Noro Silk Garden: this hat plays homage with a scalloped petal brim and waving fernlike lace.

Materials

Noro Silk Garden (45% silk, 45% kid mohair, 10% lamb's wool, 100m/50g) 1 ball
1 set 5mm/US 8 double pointed needles (dpns) or size to obtain gauge
1 stitch marker
darning needle

Gauge

15 sts, 22 rows = 4" in st st after blocking

Finished Dimensions

S (M; L): 18" around, 7" long (19.5" around, 7" long; 21" around, 7" long). Samples shown in M (col. 309) and L (col. 304).

Note: knit in Noro Silk Garden, this hat stretches such that size M comfortably fits a 21.5" head. The crown decreases differ for each size; if worn loose, S and L have a squared-off shape, but if worn snug, all sizes have a rounded crown.

Abbreviations

K: knit.

K2tog: knit two together.

K3tog: knit three together.

P: purl.

pss: pass slipped st over most recently worked st.

sl1: slip 1 st as if to purl.

st(s): stitch(es).

yo: yarn over.



Directions

Using 5 mm needles, cast on 72 (81, 90) sts and divide onto dpns. Place marker and join to work in the round.

Round 1: Knit.

Rounds 2, 3: Purl.

Body

Round 1: *yo, K5, K3tog, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 2 and all even rounds: Knit.

Round 3: *yo, K4, K3tog, K1, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 5: *yo, K3, K3tog, K2, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 7: *yo, K2, K3tog, K3, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 9: *yo, K1, K3tog, K4, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 11: *yo, K3tog, K5, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 13: *yo, K1, sl1, K2tog, pss, K4, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 15: *yo, K2, sl1, K2tog, pss, K3, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 17: *yo, K3, sl1, K2tog, pss, K2, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 19: *yo, K4, sl1, K2tog, pss, K1, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Round 21: *yo, K5, sl1, K2tog, pss, yo, K1; repeat from * to end of round.

Crown

Round 1: *yo, K5, K3tog, K1; repeat from * to end of round - 64 (72, 80) sts.

Round 2 and all even rounds: Knit.

Round 3: *yo, K4, K3tog, K1; repeat from * to end of round - 56 (63, 70) sts.

Round 5: *yo, K3, K3tog, K1; repeat from * to end of round - 48 (54, 60) sts.

Round 7: *yo, K2, K3tog, K1; repeat from * to end of round - 40 (45, 50) sts.

Round 9: *yo, K1, K3tog, K1; repeat from * to end of round - 32 (36, 40) sts.

Round 11: *yo, K3tog, K1; repeat from * to end of round - 24 (27, 30) sts.

Round 13: *K2tog, K1; repeat from * to end of round - 16 (18, 20) sts.

Round 15: *K2tog; repeat from * to end of round - 8 (9, 10) sts.

Finishing

Cut an 8-10" tail, run through remaining live sts, run in ends and block hat.

