

Kool Wool Hat

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Size: One size fits large youth-adult.

(Note: Lion Brand Kool Wool has been discontinued, but it's still possible to find this yarn on ebay. When worn it has an extra warm feel, and the yarn itself is very strong).

Materials: 3 (1 3/4 oz) balls Lion Brand Kool Wool Yarn.

Size 5 (24") circular needles, size 5 long dpns.

Large child's plastic tapestry needle.

Vertical gauge: 5 sts per inch.

Note: If desired, after knitting brim, you can alternate 2 rounds of different colors as shown in right picture—great for using up scraps!

Directions: Cast on 68.

With circulars, work in (P 2, K 2) rib for 2" for brim. (Brim does not fold up). Change to K st and work until piece measures 6". Place marker.

Rnd 1: While still on circulars, (k 5, dec k) around, k in last 5 sts. Move marker. (59 sts)

Rnd 2: Arrange on 3 dpns- (19, 20, 20). K around.

Rnd 3: Dec 3 times on each needle as you k around. (16, 17, 17)

Rnd 4: Dec 2 times on each needle as you k around. (14, 15, 15)

Rnd 5: Dec 1 time on each needle as you k around. (13, 14, 14)

Rnd 6: K around.

Rnd 7: Rep. Rnd 5. (12, 13, 13) (38)

Rnds 8-14: K around.

Cut yarn to 10". Weave a long piece of yarn onto a child's tapestry needle. Weave yarn through stitches on needles- take off needles. Pull up tightly, double knot. Take down through hat and weave through underneath stitches in a paperclip fashion.