

Baby Hats – STRAWBERRY – 1yr



****Updated Leaf Pattern 27/9/2011****



I made this on request (for sale) for a friend's 1 year old daughter.

This pattern makes a hat that fits 45-50cm circumference and 17cm long.

You will need: 2 x 4mm straight needles, 2 x 3.25 dpns, yarn needle, Hayfield Bonus DK Red (less than 1/2), Yellow & Green
Gauge: 5cm x 5cm = 10 st x 22 rows

Strawberry:

With Red c/o 70 on 4mm needles

Knit (garter st) until piece measures 13cm

Decrease:

- 1) *K8, K2tog (rep from * to end)
- 2 & all evens) K
- 3) *K2tog, K7 (rep from * to end)
- 5) *K6, K2tog (rep from * to end)
- 7) *K2tog, K5 (rep from * to end)
- 9) *K4, K2tog (rep from * to end)
- 11) *K2tog, K3 (rep from * to end)
- 13) *K2, K2tog (rep from * to end)
- 15) *K2tog, K1 (rep from * to end)

Thread yarn through remaining stitches and sew up the hat.

For seeds:

I just finger knitted with the yellow, 1 st 4 times then sewed them on – 40 of them! (For later versions of this hat I just sewed the yellow yarn on and some people have used beads/sequins.)

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Leaves & Stalk:

For leaves: Make 4

With 3.25mm dpns, c/o 2 st green

- 1) Knit
 - 2) P1, M1, P1,
 - 3) K, Y/O, K, Y/O, K
 - 4 & all evens) P
 - 5) K2, Y/O, K, Y/O, K2
 - 7) K3, Y/O, K, Y/O, K3
 - 9) K4, Y/O, K, Y/O, K4
 - 11) K5, Y/O, K, Y/O, K5
 - 13) K6, Y/O, K, Y/O, K6
 - 15) K2tog, K5, YO, K, YO, K5, K2tog
 - 17) K2tog, K5, YO, K, YO, K5, K2tog
 - 19) K2tog, K5, YO, K, YO, K5, K2tog
 - 21) K2tog, K2tog, K7, K2tog, K2tog
 - 23) K2tog, K2tog, K3, K2tog, K2tog
 - 25) K2tog, K3, K2tog
 - 27) K2tog, K1, K2tog
- Thread yarn through remaining stitches and tie off.



For stalk:

With 3.25mm dpns and green yarn make a 4 st l-cord 2 cm

Sew leaves into stalk and sew whole thing onto top of hat.

Abbreviations:

- K: Knit
K2tog: Knit 2 stitches together
M: Make 1
P: Purl
YO: yarn over: wrap the yarn around right needle

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