## LOUISA HARDING

# BOBBIE BEANIE 

## Beanie hat

56 cm (22 in) when stretched to fit

Yarn
Photographed in Louisa Harding Yarns Tulla Tweed and Amitola Brush Tulla Tweed Sh. 104 Fingal
Amitola Brush Sh. 359 Reflection

# Yarn Note <br> This beanie pattern is designed to use left-over yarn. <br> The combination of yarns photographed weigh approx. 50 g . <br> Multiple combinations of yarns can be held together to as long as a chunky weight yarn is achieved. 

## Needle

6 mm (US 10) 40 cm ( 16 in ) circular needle

Gauge
15 sts $\times 20$ rows to $10 \mathrm{~cm}(4 \mathrm{in})$ square measured over st st using 6 mm (US 10) knitting needle once blocked.


#### Abstract

Abbreviations beg begin(s); beginning, cont continue(s); continuing, dec(s) decrease(s); decreasing, foll follow(s); following, inc(s) increase(s); increasing, K knit, P purl, rem remain(s); remaining, RS right side, st stitch(es), WS wrong side, K2tog knit 2 stitches together, SSK slip 2 stitches knitwise, one at a time, from the left needle to right needle, insert left needle tip through both front loops and knit together from this position (1 stitch decrease), SII, K2tog, psso slip next st on LH needle to RH needle, knit the next 2 stitches together, pass the slipped stitch over the 2 stitches knitted together (2 stitch decrease), SSM slip stitch marker.


## Note

I find that using a stitch marker placed at the end of each round helps to identify which round is next.
When knitting hats in the round I use the magic loop technique to work the crown shaping decreases, you may find it easier to convert to double pointed needles.

## Beanie - worked in rounds

Using 6 mm (US 10) circular needle cast on 66 sts.
Rib round 1: (K3, P3) 11 times, place a stitch marker.
Rib round 2: (K3, P3) 11 times, SSM.
These 2 rounds for the rib patt.
Work a further 8 rounds in rib.
Change to 6 mm (US 10) circular needle and work 22 rounds in st st.
Now work crown decreases as folls:
Crown round 1 (dec): (SSK, K7, K2tog) 6 times, SSM. ( 54 sts) Work 5 rounds in st st.
Crown round 7 (dec): (SSK, K5, K2tog) 6 times, SSM. (42 sts) Work 3 rounds in st st.
Crown round 11 (dec): (SSK, K3, K2łog) 6 times, SSM. (30 sts) Work 1 round in st st.
Crown round 13 (dec): (SSK, K1, K2tog) 6 times, SSM. (18 sts) Work 1 round in st st.
Crown round 15 (dec): (SII, K2tog, psso) 6 times, SSM. (6 sts) Break yarn, thread through rem sts, draw up and fasten off.

## Making up

Sew in all ends. Block as instructed on yarn label.

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