## Easy Circular Chunky Rib Knit Hat Pattern

Skill Level: Easy

**Yarn:** Lion Woolspun – 1 skein, or other chunky yarn that

recommends a size 10.5 knitting needle

**Needles:** size US 10.5 circular, 16 inches long or a set of 4

double point needles

Sizes: Small, Medium, Large

Small measures approximately 21 to 22 inches around Medium measures approximately 22 to 23 inches around Large measures approximately 23 to 24 inches around \*Note: all measurements are when the hat is stretched, so this would be the measurement around the widest part of the head

Gauge Swatch – knit flat – CO 10 sts (multiple 4 + 2)

Row 1: (RS) K2, \*p2, k2; rep from \* to end

Row 2: P2, \*k2, p2: rep from \* to end

Rep rows 1 and 2, 10 times for swatch 10 sts by 10 rows in pattern =  $2 \frac{1}{2}$  inch wide by  $2 \frac{1}{2}$  inch long swatch



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For Hat CO 60(small), 64(medium) 68(large) sts, join in round, place marker to mark beginning of rnd

Rnd 1: \*K2, p2; rep from \* around

Rep rnd 1 until hat measures 8 inches then decrease on next rnd as follows:

Dec rnd 1: \*K1, k2tog, p1; rep from \* around to marker Dec rnd 2: \*K1, k2tog, k1; rep from \* around to marker

Leave a long tail of yarn, 18 inches or more, cut yarn, place long tail of yarn through a darning needle and thread through remaining stitches, pull tight to close top of hat, weave in ends.

I hope you enjoy the pattern. It works up really quickly and is great for a last minute gift.

Abbreviations: CO – cast on k – knit

p – purl k2tog – knit 2 together

rep – repeat RS – right side

rnd – round st – stitch

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