Category: Accessories/Knitted Hats

Skill Level:

INTERMEDIATE

Aereo Tweed Seaside Cabled Hat

Designed by Shannon Dunbabin

Sizes:
16” (18”,21”, 24”) diameter

Materials:

- Cascade Yarns®
  Aereo Tweed;
  25% Baby Alpaca /
  38% Merino Wool /
  10 % Acrylic /
  5% Viscose/ 22% Nylon;
  100 g (3.5 oz) /
  240 yds (220 m)
- 1 skein color #305(Grey)
- US 7 (4.5 mm)
  18” circular knitting needle
- US 9 (5.5 mm) /
  18” circular &
  DPN knitting needle
- Cable needle
- Stitch marker
- Yarn needle

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Gauge:

18 sts x 30 rows = 4” (10 cm) Blocked in Crisscross Pattern

Abbreviations:

BO	= Bind off
CN	= Cable needle
CO	= Cast on
K	= Knit
K2tog	= Knit 2 stitches together
LC	= Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in front, K2, then K2 from CN
P	= Purl
PM	= Place marker
RC	= Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in back, K2, then K2 from CN
Rnd(s)	= Round(s)
St(s)	= Stitch(es)

Special Stitches:

Crisscross Pattern Stitch:

Rnd 1: K all sts.
Rnd 2: K all sts.
Rnd 3: *[RC, K2]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 4: K all sts.
Rnd 5: K all sts.
Rnd 6: K all sts.
Rnd 7: *[K2, LC]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 8: K all sts.

Begin Pattern:

With US 7 knitting needles, CO 72 (84, 96, 108) sts.
Being careful not to twist your sts, join in the rnd. PM.

Ribbing:
Ribbing Rnd: *[K2, P2]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
Repeat for 1.5" (2", 2.5", 3").

Switch to US 9 knitting needles and begin Crisscross Pattern.

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Crisscross Pattern:
Rnd 1: K all sts.
Rnd 2: K all sts.
Rnd 3: *[RC, K2]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 4: K all sts.
Rnd 5: K all sts.
Rnd 6: K all sts.
Rnd 7: *[K2, LC]; repeat from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 8: K all sts.

Continue working Crisscross Pattern until 6.5" (7.5", 8.5", 9.5") from CO edge.

Decreases (switch to DPNs when necessary):
Rnd 1: *[K10, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -66 (77, 88, 99) sts
Rnd 2: *[K9, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -60 (70, 80, 90) sts
Rnd 3: *[RC, K4, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -54 (63, 72, 81) sts
Rnd 4: *[K7, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -48 (56, 64, 72) sts
Rnd 5: *[K6, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -42 (49, 56, 63) sts
Rnd 6: *[K5, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -36 (42, 48, 54) sts
Rnd 7: *[K4, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -30 (35, 40, 45) sts
Rnd 8: *[K3, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -24 (28, 32, 36) sts
Rnd 9: *[K2, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -18 (21, 24, 27) sts
Rnd 10: *[K1, K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -12 (14, 16, 18) sts
Rnd 11: *[K2tog]; repeat from * to end of rnd. -6 (7, 8, 9) sts

Finishing:
Cut yarn leaving a long tail to use for finishing. Weave through remaining sts using a yarn needle. Pull the top closed and secure by weaving in all loose ends.

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