



Free Knit Pattern
LION BRAND® BASIC STITCH ANTI-PILLING™
OLENA HAT

Pattern Number: M20400 BSAP



SKILL LEVEL – EASY

SIZES

Finished Circumference About 18 in. (45.5 cm), will stretch to fit range of sizes

Finished Height About 11 in. (28 cm)

MATERIALS

- **LION BRAND® BASIC STITCH ANTI-PILLING™** (Art. #202)
 - #126 *Mahogany* 1 ball (A)
 - #122 *Hazelnut* 1 ball (B)
 - #98 *Ivory* 1 ball (C)
- **LION BRAND®** stitch markers
- **LION BRAND®** large-eyed blunt needle



ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Circular knitting needle size 8 (5 mm), 16 in. (40.5 cm) long

Circular knitting needle size 10 (6 mm), 16 in. (40.5 cm) long

Double pointed needles size 10 (6 mm), set of 5

Purchased pom-pom

GAUGE

15 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm) in Fair Isle colorwork.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES

1. Hat is worked in rnds from the lower ribbing upwards.
2. Body of Hat is worked in Stockinette st worked in rnds (knit every rnd) and Fair Isle colorwork using 2 colors per rnd. Carry color not in use across WS of work.
3. Fair Isle pattern can be worked from written instructions or by following the Chart. Read all rnds of Chart from right to left.

HAT

Lower Ribbing

With smaller circular needle, cast on 68 sts. Place marker for beg of rnd. Join by working the first st on left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand needle and being careful not to twist sts.

Rnd 1: *K1 through back loop, p1; rep from * around.

Rep Rnd 1 until piece measures about 6 in. (15 cm) from beg.

Change to larger circular needle.

Fair Isle Colorwork

Rnds 1 and 2: With A, knit.

Rnd 3: With B, knit.

Rnd 4: *With C, k3; with B, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 5: *With B, k1; with C, k1; with B, k2; rep from * around.

Rnds 6-9: Rep Rnds 4 and 5 twice.

Rnd 10: Rep Rnd 4.

Rnd 11: With B, knit.

Rep Rnds 1-11 for 2 more times.

Shape Crown

Change to double pointed needles as you work Rnd 1.

Rnd 1: With A, *k2tog; rep from * around – you will have 34 sts in this rnd.

Rnd 2: With A, knit.

Rnd 3: With B, *k2tog; rep from * around – 17 sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. Thread tail through remaining sts. Pull tail to close opening at top of Hat and knot securely.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

Blocking

Soak Hat in lukewarm water with a small amount of wool wash for about 15 minutes, then roll gently on a towel to remove as much water as possible. Lay Hat onto a dry towel, shape gently to finished measurements and allow to dry.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)(s)

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

p = purl

rep = repeat

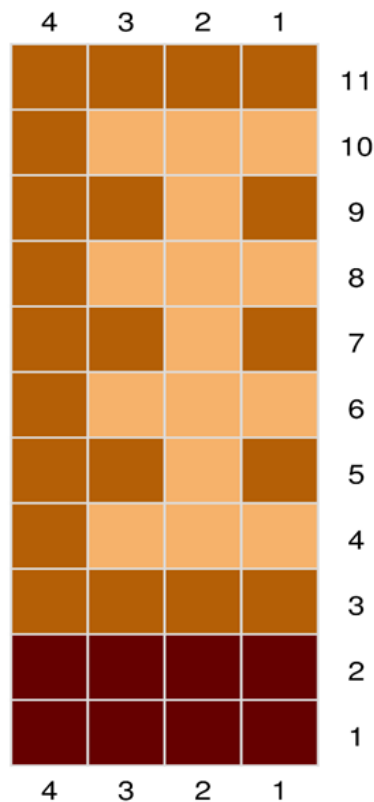
rnd(s) = round(s)

st(s) = stitch(es)

WS = wrong side

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Mahogany (A)



Hazelnut (B)



Ivory (C)

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