Christine’s Cap

Size: Adult
Materials:
Yarn: 2 skeins Cascade Yarns Cherub Aran
Needles: 16" circular US #9 and 5 double point needles US #9
(Use size 8 needles if you are a loose knitter)
Yarn Needle
Stitch marker

Instructions:
With main color, cast on 72 stitches. Join into a round being careful not the twist at the join. Mark beginning of round with a stitch marker.

Cap:
Rnd 1 to 7: Knit around
Change to contrasting color.
Rnd 8 to 30 (approximately a 4” band): Knit around
Change to main color.
Rnd 31 to 43: Knit around
Crown Shaping:
Rnd 1: *(K7, K2 together) Repeat from * around 7 more times, for a total of 8 sections
Rnd 2: and each even number round: Knit around
Rnd 3: *(K6, K2tog) Repeat from * around
Rnd 5: *(K5, K2tog) Repeat from * around

When circular needles become too long for the decreasing amount of stitches, begin knitting off onto double point needles, 2 sections per needle. Or if you know how to work in the round with 2 circulars, divide the knitting in half while knitting a round.

Rnd 7: *(K4, K2tog) Repeat from * around
Rnd 9: *(K3, K2tog) Repeat from * around
Rnd 11: *(K2, K2tog) Repeat from * around
Rnd 13: *(K1, K2tog) Repeat from * around

Break yarn, leaving 12”. Thread onto tapestry needle and loosely thread through remaining stitches. Thread through a 2nd time and pull tightly to close remaining hole. Thread to inside and stitch in place to secure. Weave in and out of a few stitches, clip remaining yarn. ~ Attach a flower or pin.

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