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# KNIT 1 DESIGNS

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## Materials:

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- Yarn: 1 skein "Santi II" by Illimani 137yd/125m; Color: Dark Grey or Primrose
- Needles: US13/9mm & US11/8mm 16"/40cm in length; US13/9mm DPN's
- 1 ring & 1 locking stitch marker.
- Darning needle for finishing.
- Optional: Pompom. See "Notes" at the end of pattern for pompoms.

## Gauge:

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15sts = 4"/10cm

See page 2 for stitch pattern.

## Glossary:

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- K: knit.
- P: purl.
- Kfb: knit into the front and back of a stitch.
- rep: repeat.
- st: stitch.
- sts: stitches.



## Santi II Hat

A simple hat worked from the top down, circularly in a twisted stitch rib pattern.

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Stitch pattern for gauge is *worked in the round*.

Multiple of 3sts,

Round 1: K

Round 2: Skipping the 1st stitch, knit the 2nd stitch then knit the 1st stitch and let both stitches slip off the needle, P 1; rep from \* to end.

Begin:

Cast on 16sts using the US13/9mm DPN's.

Leave about a 5"/12.5cm tail to close the top of the hat later.

Place a locking stitch marker on the first stitch and join, careful not to twist.

This locking marker denotes the beginning of the round and will be replaced with a ring stitch marker once the stitches are transferred to the circular needle.

Round 1 (increase round): Kfb into each stitch. = 32sts

Round 2: K.

Round 3 (increase round): \*Kfb; rep from \* to last stitch, k1 = 63sts

This stitch pattern requires multiples of 3.

Round 4: K.

Round 5: \* Skipping the 1st stitch, knit the 2nd stitch then knit the 1st stitch and let both stitches slip off the needle, P 1; rep from \* to end.

Repeat rounds 4 & 5 until hat measures 6.5"/16.5cm. Work onto the circular needle after working a couple of the above repeat rounds or when it is comfortable to do so.

When the hat is 6.5"/16.5cm long, switch to US11/8mm. Kfb into the first stitch to get the stitch count to an even number (64) then continue with a k1, p1 rib for 1.5"/3.8cm.

Bind off in pattern. After bind off, use a darning needle to weave in the end. Go back to the top of the hat and with the darning needle weave the tail into the cast on edge. Feed the tail through the hole to the inside of the hat and pull the tail to close the hole. If using a pompom before fully closing the hole, feed the elastic loop of the pompom through to the inside of the hat and attach by tying the elastic loop to the tail. I used a regular square knot like you use for tying shoe laces. I did not weave in the elastic loop of the pompom, but I did weave in the cast on tail.



Notes:

Pompoms are optional for this hat. I used the 4"/10cm "Buttercream" faux fur pompoms from Joann's in color #'s 7073 (Grey Wolf) & 7115 (Mauve Black).

Finished hat measurement (lay flat): 8"/20cm x 9.5"/24cm

Fits up to a head circumference of 23"/58.5cm (adult male)



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