



DIAMONDS AND BLOCKS

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A stranded hat pattern using worsted weight yarn.

Directions:

Cast on 96 stitches. Join to make a circle being careful not to twist your stitches.

Purl 2 rounds

Knit 1 round.

Brim

Round 1: k1, p1 around

Round 2: p1, k1 around

Rounds 3 and 4: k1, p1 around

Round 5: p1, k1 around

Round 6: k1, p1 around

Round 7 k all

Round 8 p all

Hat Band

Follow color chart

Crown

Round 1: knit

Round 2: purl

Round 3: knit

Round 4: knit 10, k2tog, place stitch marker, repeat around. There will now be 11 stitches between each marker. Placing a marker where indicated is not a necessity for this pattern. It sure makes it easier to remember where to decrease though ☺.

Round 5: knit

Round 6: knit to 2 stitches before marker, k2 tog, repeat around.

Repeat rounds 4 and 5 until 2 stitches between each marker, then k2tog all around.

Break off yarn and using tapestry needle, thread needle through remaining stitches and pull tightly. Weave in all ends.

Enjoy.



Finished Size(s):

One size fits most: Circumference 22"

Needles:

Size 6 (US) 16 inch circular knitting needle plus dpns in same size or a long circular if doing magic loop method
Adjust needle sizes if necessary to obtain gauge
Smaller needle to pick up stitches

Yarn:

1 ball (100 grams) worsted weight yarn

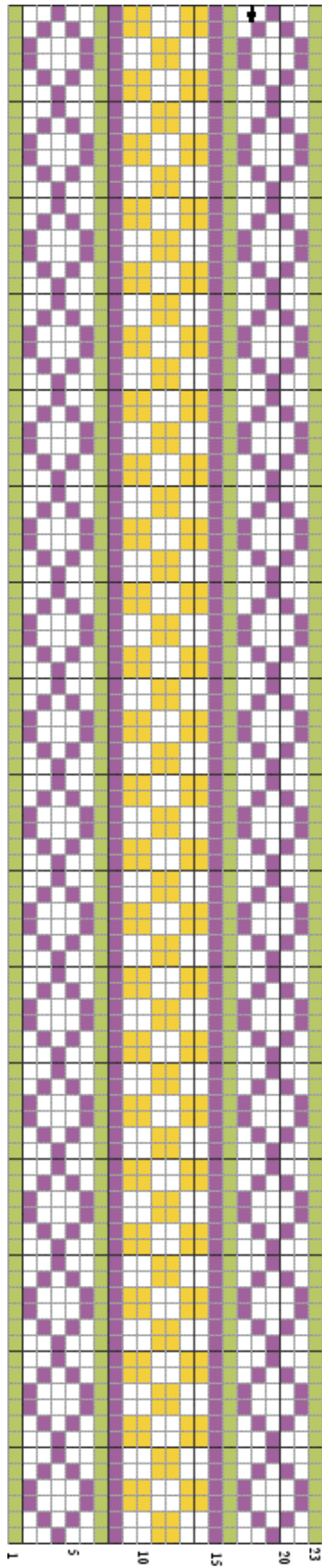
Additional Materials:

stitch markers
tapestry needle
waste yarn

Gauge:

Gauge 20 sts and 24 rows = 4 inches in stockinette

Chart for Band



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