

# My Favorite Ribbed Hat for Straight Needles

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This is a very basic k1-p1 ribbed hat with tailored crown. Directions are given for nine sizes. This pattern is written to be made knitted flat and seamed. There is an in-the-round version available [here](#).

## Sizes:

The circumferences are given for the hat unstretched. It is a very stretchy hat.

Size	Circumference (Inches)	Height (Inches)	Ounces of yarn	Yards of yarn
Newborn	8.75	6.25	1.02	47.89
6 months	9.75	6.75	1.24	57.95
12 months	10.5	7.5	1.47	68.97
Toddler	11.5	8.	1.73	80.94
Child	12.25	8.75	2.01	93.87
Teen	13.25	9.25	2.3	107.76
Small Adult	14.	10.	2.62	122.6
Medium Adult	15	10.5	2.96	138.41

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Large/XL Adult	16.	11.	3.32	155.17
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**Gauge:** 17 stitches and 23 rows = 4 inches in stockinette

**Materials:**

Aran (#4 medium) weight yarn (see chart above for amount)

Size 8 (5 mm) needles

Yarn needle

**Abbreviations:**

k = knit

k3tog = knit three together

p = purl

**s2kp2** - slip2 (together, knitwise), k1, pass 2 slipped stitches over

**Pattern:**

Amount to cast on for the different sizes:

Newborn = 61

6 months = 67

12 months = 73

Toddler = 79

Child = 85

Teen = 91

Small Adult = 97

Medium Adult = 103

Large/XL Adult = 109

Repeat instructions between \* across the row:

**Body:**

Row 1: \* k1, p1 \*, k1

Row 2: p1, \* k1, p1 \*

Continue this ribbing pattern until the hat measures as follows for size. Then complete the crown as given per size.

**Newborn Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 5" high.

Row 1: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 3: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 5: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 7: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **6 Months Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 5.25" high.

Row 1: \* (k1, p1) 7 times, k3tog, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 3: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 5: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 7: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 9: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **12 Months Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 6" high.

Row 1: \* (k1,p1) 2 times, k3tog, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 3: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 5: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 7: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 9: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **Toddler Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 6.25" high.

Row 1: \* (k1, p1) 8 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (73 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, (k1, p1) 8 times \* (73 stitches)

Row 3: \* (k1, p1) 2 times, k3tog, p1, (k1, p1) 4 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 5: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 7: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 9: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 10: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 11: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **Child Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 7" high.

Row 1: \* (k1, p1) 2 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (73 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, (k1, p1) 2 times \* (73 stitches)

Row 3: \* (k1,p1) 2 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 5: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 7: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 9: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 10: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 11: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **Teen Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 7" high.

Row 1: \* (k1, p1) 10 times, k3tog, p1, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (85 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (85 stitches)

Row 3: \* (k1, p1) 2 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (73 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, (k1, p1) 2 times \* (73 stitches)

Row 5: \* (k1,p1) 2 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 7: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 9: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 10: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 11: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 12: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 13: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **Small Adult Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 7.75" high.

Row 1: \* (k1, p1) 3 times, k3tog, p1, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (85 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (85 stitches)

Row 3: \* (k1, p1) 2 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (73 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, (k1, p1) 2 times \* (73 stitches)

Row 5: \* (k1,p1) 2 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 7: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 9: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 10: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 11: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 12: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 13: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **Medium Adult Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 8" high.

Row 1: \* (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 4 times \*, k1 (97 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* (k1, p1) 4 times, p2, (k1, p1) 11 times \* (97 stitches)

Row 3: \* (k1, p1) 3 times, k3tog, p1, (k1, p1) 6 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (85 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (85 stitches)

Row 5: \* (k1, p1) 2 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (73 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, (k1, p1) 2 times \* (73 stitches)

Row 7: \* (k1,p1) 2 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 9: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 10: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 11: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 12: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 13: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 14: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 15: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

### **Large/XL Adult Crown:**

Begin crown when body is 8.5" high.

Row 1: \* (k1, p1) 3 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 4 times \*, k1 (97 stitches)

Row 2: p1, \* (k1, p1) 4 times, p2, (k1, p1) 3 times (97 stitches)

Row 3: \* (k1, p1) 3 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (85 stitches)

Row 4: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (85 stitches)

Row 5: \* (k1, p1) 2 times, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 3 times \*, k1 (73 stitches)

Row 6: p1, \* (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, (k1, p1) 2 times \* (73 stitches)

Row 7: \* (k1,p1) 2 times, s2kp2, p1, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (61 stitches)

Row 8: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (61 stitches)

Row 9: \* k1, p1, k1, s2kp2, (k1, p1) 2 times \*, k1 (49 stitches)

Row 10: p1, \* k1, p1, k1, p3, k1, p1 \* (49 stitches)

Row 11: \* k1, p1, s2kp2, p1, k1, p1 \*, k1 (37 stitches)

Row 12: p1, \* k1, p1 \* (37 stitches)

Row 13: \* k1, s2kp2, k1, p1 \*, k1 (25 stitches)

Row 14: p1, \* k1, p3 \* (25 stitches)

Row 15: \* s2kp2, p1 \*, k1 (13 stitches)

Cut the yarn with several inches to work with. With a yarn needle, pull the yarn through all the remaining loops, secure, seam the side, secure, and weave in end.

Edits:

3/3/16 – Removed the references to rounds.