

Storybrook Cloche

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I have to admit that I am a lover of all accessories, if I have a choice of an item to knit, it will most likely fall in the range of scarves, mitts, hats, socks, or something “chic” to enhance the wardrobe. The Storybrook cloche was inspired by one of my latest show-series obsessions, Once Upon a Time, the actresses are always wearing gorgeous hats! Choose any episode and they have a new hat, I want to have a wardrobe full of hats, one for each day of the year, or at least a full month’s worth! The lace section is only 8 rounds, after that it is just a matter of knitting and purling to the very end! Go ahead, give it a try!



Loom: All-n-one-Loom

Yarn: 130-150 yards of worsted weight yarn. Knit Picks Chroma Worsted in Galapagos color was used in sample.

Notions: Knitting tool, tapestry needle.

Gauge: 9.5sts x 12 rows= 2 inches in stockinette

Size: Sample fits a head that measures up to 21 inches.

Abbreviations:

K: Knit Stitch

P: Purl Stitch

k2tog: knit two stitches together (to decrease)

ssk: slip, slip, knit (to decrease)

psso: pass slip stitch over

sts: stitches

rnd(s): rounds

yo: yarn over (ewrap the peg)

GBO: Gather removal method



Instructions

Cast on 80 sts, join to work in the rnd .

Rnd 1: p to the end of rnd.

Rnd 2: *yo, k3, sl1-k2tog-pssso, k3, yo, k1; rep from * .

Rnd 3: k to the end of rnd.

Rnd 4: *k1, yo, k2, sl1-k2tog-pssso, k1, yo, k2, p1; rep from *.

Rnd 5: *k9, p1; rep from *.

Rnd 6: *k3, yo, sl1-k2tog-pssso, yo, k3, p1; rep from *

Rnd 7: *k9, p1; rep from *.

Rnd 8: *k9, p1; rep from *.

Repeat Rnd 8 until cloche measures 8 inches from cast on edge.

Crown Decrease

Next rnd: *k2tog; rep from *. (40sts rem).

Next rnd: k to the end of rnd.

Rep last two rnds (20sts remain).

GBO. Weave ends in. Steam block to make the scallops more prominent. Tip: Pin down each scallop at the center point then steam down.

Tip: To facilitate the decrease at the crown.

1. Move stitches to a long piece of scrap yarn.
2. Move sliders to new peg position (40, 20)
3. Place the loops from the scrap yarn back onto the loom, 2 loops per peg.
4. Then knit the row.

