

## Entrelac Cap

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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate
YARN WEIGHT: Sport
SIZE AND MATERIALS:

| Size | $\mathbf{M}$ | L |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| To Fit Head Size | $20^{\prime \prime}$ | $22^{\prime \prime}$ |
| Finished Size | $16.5^{\prime \prime}$ | $18^{\prime \prime}$ |
| Yarn Requirements | 100 grams | 100 grams |

Note: Hat is designed to be slightly stretched when worn so that it hugs the head.

## Featured Yarns:

Ambiente by Schoppel, 100\% Merino Superwash Wool; 170 yds /
50g. Shown in Color 2208, 2205, 2184, \& 2183
Unisono by Zitron $100 \%$ Merino, infused with Aloe Vera and Jojoba
Oils; 328 yds / 100g.

## addi Needles:

3.75 mm (approx US 5) $20^{\prime \prime}$ circular needle
3.75 mm (approx US 5) $8^{\prime \prime}$ double pointed needles or size needed to obtain gauge
Additional Notions: Stitch marker, tapestry needle.
All yarn and needles distributed by skacel collection, Inc.

## GAUGE:

24 sts and 32 rows $=4 " \times 4$ in St st.

To save time, check your gauge and read all instructions thoroughly before beginning.

## INSTRUCTIONS:

Note: Hat is started on 20 " circulars then moved to DPNs as the stitch count decreases.
CO 99 (108) sts and join, being careful not to twist sts. Place marker to note beg of round.

## Part I-Hem:

Knit 12 rnds.
Fold hem in half and insert RH needle into the first st on LH needle AND into the cast on edge st and knit these two sts together, rep, completing round and taking care to match up sts.
Knit 1 rnd. Remove marker.

## Part II - Base Triangles:

Row 1: SSK, turn.
Row 2: P1, turn.
Row 3: S11, k1, turn.
Row 4: P2, turn.
Row 5: SI1, k2, turn.
Row 6: P3, turn.
Row 7: S11, k3, turn.
Row 8: P4, turn.
Row 9: SI1, k4, turn.
Row 10: P5, turn.
Row 11: SI1, k5, turn.
Row 12: P6, turn.
Row 13: Sl1, k6, turn.
Row 14: P7, turn.
Row 15: Sl1, k7, do not turn.
Rep Rows 1-15, 11 (12)x, on last rep turn, p8 = 88 (96) sts.

## Part III - Right Slanting Blocks:

Row 1: PU 8 sts along edge, sl last PU st to LH needle, p2tog, turn.
Row 2: SI1, k7, turn.
Odd Rows 3-13: Sl1, p6, p2tog, turn.
Even Rows 4-14: K8, turn.
Row 15: SI1, p6, p2tog, do not turn.
Rep Rows 1-15, 11 (12)x. on last rep, turn, k8.

## Part IV - Left Slanting Blocks:

Row 1: PU 8 sts along edge, sl last PU st to LH needle, SSK, turn.

Row 2: SI1, p7, turn.
Odd Rows 3-13: Sl1, k6, SSK, turn.
Even Rows 4-14: P8, turn.
Row 15: SI1, k6, SSK, do not turn.
Rep Rows 1-15, 11 (12)x, on last rep, turn, p8.

## Part V-Right Slanting Blocks:

Work the same as Part III - Right Slanting Blocks.

## Part VI-Left Slanting Blocks:

Note: Skip the topmost edge st on the previous block when picking up sts.
Row 1: PU 7 sts along edge, sl last PU st to LH needle, SSK, turn.
Row 2: SI1, p6, turn.
Odd Rows 3-13: Sl1, k5, SSK, turn.
Even Rows 4-14: P7, turn.
Row 15: Sl1, k5, SSK, do not turn.
Rep Rows 1-15, 11 (12)x, on last rep, turn, p7 = 77 (84) sts.
Part VII - Right Slanting Blocks:
Note: Skip topmost edge st on previous block when picking up sts.
Row 1: PU 7 sts along edge, sl last PU st to LH needle, p2tog, turn.
Row 2: SI1, k6, turn.
Odd Rows 3-11: SI1, p5, p2tog, turn.
Even Rows 4-12: K7, turn.
Row 13: SI1, p5, p2tog, do not turn.
Rep Rows 1-13, 11 (12)x, on last rep, turn, k7.

## Part VIII - Top Triangles:

Row 1: PU 7 sts along edge, sl last PU st to LH needle, SSK, turn.
Row 2: SI1, p5, wrap \& turn.
Row 3: K5, SSK, turn.
Row 4: P5, wrap \& turn.
Row 5: K4, SSK, turn.
Row 6: P4, wrap \& turn.
Row 7: K3, SSK, turn.
Row 8: P3, wrap \& turn.
Row 9: K2, SSK, turn.
Row 10: P2, wrap \& turn.
Row 11: K1, SSK, turn.
Row 12: P1, wrap \& turn.
Row 13: SSK, do not turn.
Rep Rows 1-13, 11 (12)x.

## Part IX - Top Decreases:

Note: If desired, wind through the ball to choose a color with which to finish top of hat.
Rnd 1: Place Marker, knit.
Rnds 2 \& 4: *K6, sl1, rep from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 3: Knit.
Rnd 5: *K5, k2tog, rep from * to end of rnd = 66 (72) sts.
Rnd 6: *K5, sl1, rep from * to end of rnd.
Size L Only: (for Size M - skip to Rnd 7):
Rnd A: Knit.
Rnd B: *K5, s11, rep from * to end of rnd.

## Both Sizes:

Rnd 7: *K4, k2tog, rep from * to end of rnd = 55 (60) sts.
Rnd 8: *k4, sl1, rep from * to end of rnd.
Size L Only: (for Size M - Skip to Rnd 9):
Rnd C: Knit.
Rnd D: *K4, s11, rep from * to end of rnd.

## Both Sizes:

Rnd 9: *K3, k2tog, rep from * to end of $r n d=44$ (48) sts.
Rnd 10: *K3, sl1, rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 11: *K2, k2tog, rep from * to end of rnd = 33 (36) sts.
Rnd 12: *K2, sl1, rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 13: *K1, k2tog, rep from * to end of rnd = 22 (24) sts.
Rnd 14: *K1, sl1, rep from * to end of rnd.
Rnd 15: *K2tog, rep from * to end of $\mathrm{rnd}=11$ (12) sts.
Break yarn and draw through remaining sts, twice.

## FINISHING:

Weave in ends. Blocking is not necessary.
ABBREVIATIONS:

| approx | approximate(ly) |
| :--- | :--- |
| CO | Cast On |
| k | knit |
| k2tog | knit 2 stitches together |
| LH | Left Hand |
| p | purl |
| PU | Pick Up |
| RH | Right Hand |
| Rnd(s | Round(s) |
| sI | slip |
| SSK | Slip the next 2 sts knitwise, one at a time, Knit these 2 sts together |
| st(s) | stitch(es) |


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