



Gabriela: Garter Stitch Hat



SIZE: one size.

MATERIALS: 1 ball of Gabriela by Maria Diaz

GAUGE: 14 sts. to 4 in. on US size 10.5 needle in garter stitch or size to obtain gauge

NEEDLE SIZE: US size 10.5 (16" circular) and US 10.5 double pointed needles (dpn's)

Instructions for Cable Cast On:

Begin with a slip knot. Knit one stitch in slipknot and slip the new stitch to LH needle. Insert RH needle between first 2 sts on LH needle. Wrap yarn as if to knit. Draw yarn through to complete st and sl this new st to LH needle.

Directions for Hat:

Cast on 54 sts using the Cable Cast On method. Join in the round making sure not to twist the stitches.

Knit 62 rounds. Next k2tog at beginning of each round until piece measures 11".

Cast off all stitches. Gather all sts together and pull tight, then weave in the ends.

Directions for Pom-pom:

Cut 70 pieces of yarn to 4" length. Gather together by tying a piece of yarn around the center of the group of yarn. Double the yarns at the middle point and join to the top of the hat using the piece of yarn which was initially used to gather the group of yarns together.

Tie the pom pom on to the top of the hat.

Finishing:

Weave in ends.

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