

ICE QUEEN HAT

A Sparkling Cap Knitting Pattern by Holly Beemer

at yarn's length



SIZING

The finished cap has a 22" circumference and measures 7.5" from brim to crown.

MATERIALS

YARN

185 yards of [Plymouth Galway Worsted in Lapis Heather](#)

185 yards of [King Cole Glitter Knitting Yarn in Cosmos](#)

NEEDLES

[US #8/5.00 mm dpn](#)

NOTIONS

[finishing needle](#)

scrap yarn or pompom

[stitch markers](#)

GAUGE

17 sts x 24 rows = 4" x 4"
in Stockinette stitch

This is an ice-blue cap with subtle silver sparkles. It's fit for a queen!

PATTERN

This tote is knit in the round from the brim up. Work with both yarns held together.

ABBREVIATIONS

BO - bind off

CO - cast on

k - knit

k2tog - knit 2 stitches together; single right-leaning decrease

m - marker

M1 - make one stitch knitwise; single stitch increase

p - purl

PM - place marker

ssk - slip 2 stitches knitwise, knit these 2 stitches together through the back loop; single left-leaning decrease

st(s) - stitch(es)

St st - Stockinette stitch

SETUP

CO 92 sts. Join for working in the round, taking care not to twist.

BRIM

Work in 2x2 rib for 12 rounds. (*k2, p2*)

BODY

Work increase round once:

k3, M1, (k9, M1) 4 times, k6, M1, (k9, M1) 4 times, k3 [102 sts]

Work in St st until cap measures 5" (2.5" from desired length), then knit one round, dividing as follows: *pm, k17*

CROWN SHAPING

1 - *k1, k2tog, k to 3 sts before m, ssk, k1*

2 - k all

Repeat these two rounds six times total [30 sts].

13 - *k1, k3tog, k1* [18 sts]

14 - k all

15 - k2tog around [9 sts]

Cut both yarns, leaving a long tail. Draw through remaining 9 sts and secure.

FINISHING

Secure pompom to crown. Weave in ends and block lightly if desired.

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