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**skill level:** Easy Shown in larger size.

## finished measurements

Approximately 16(17½)" around x 10½(11)" tall, excluding earflaps

#### materials

1 hank BERROCO BRIO (100 grs), #9483 Flit (MC)

1 hank BERROCO BRIO (100 grs), #9447 Riot (CC – for pom-poms

16" circular knitting needle, size 13 (9.00 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN **GAUGE** 

1 set (4) double-pointed needles (dpns), size 13 (9.00 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

Tapestry needle

Small amount of thin scrap yarn in a matching or coordinating color. (Sample used Berroco Folio #4515 Spruce.)

#### gauge

10 sts and 18 rows = 4" in St st TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK **GAUGE** 

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# **EARFLAPS**

Using MC and dpns, cast on 3 sts. Ear flap will be worked back and forth in rows using 2 dpns. Purl 1 row.

**Row 2 (RS):** SI 1, M1L, k1, M1R, k1. 5 sts.

Row 3: SI 1, purl to end.

**Row 4:** SI 1, M1L, knit to last st, M1R, k1. 2 sts inc'd. Rep last 2 rows until you have 17 sts on your needle, end on WS. Break yarn, leaving sts on one dpn, and knit second ear flap. Leave yarn attached to 2nd ear flap

## **HAT**

Place both ear flaps onto circular needle, with second flap (with working yarn) at edge ready to work on RS. Cast on 6(8) sts using cable cast-on method, knit across one earflap, cast on 0(2) sts, knit across second earflap – 40(44) sts. Place marker and join for working in the rnd. Work even in St st for 4". On last rnd, place a marker every 10(11) sts.

#### **Shape Crown:**

**Note:** As you decrease, when there are too few sts to fit comfortably on circular needle, change to dpns.

**Dec Rnd 1:** \* K2tog, knit to marker, rep from \* to end. 4 sts dec'd.

Knit 3 rnds.

**Dec Rnd 2:** \* Knit to 2 sts before marker, SSK, rep from \* to end. 4 sts dec'd.

Knit 3 rnds.

Rep last 8 rnds until 4 sts rem. Break off yarn, leaving an 8" long end. Thread end into tapestry needle and draw through all sts on needles. Pull up tightly and secure. Fasten off.

## POM-POMS

Cut six strands of CC. Hold strands together in a bunch and using a small piece of thin scrap yarn, tie a tight knot in the middle of your bundle. Use the ends



of your scrap yarn to tie the pom-pom into place. **Optional:** Using scrap yarn, wrap several times around the base of the pom-pom to give it a little bit more support and an extra pop of color.

Make three pom-poms to place at the top of the hat and the bottom of both ear flaps.

# **FINISHING**

Weave in ends.

# **ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS**

#### Knit

**beg:** beginning **CC:** contrasting color

cdd (centered double decrease): Slip 2 together,

knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over.

cn: cable needlecont: continuedec: decrease

**dpn:** double pointed needles

est: establishedinc: increaseK: knit

k tbl: knit through the back loop(s)k2tog: Knit 2 stitches togetherk3tog: Knit 3 stitches together

**LH:** left hand **MC:** main color

**M1:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).

M1L: Work as for M1.

**M1p:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).

M1pL: Work as for M1p.

**M1pR:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).

**M1R:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).

p: purl

**p tbl:** purl through the back loop(s)

pat(s): pattern(s)
pm: place marker

**psso:** pass slip stitch over knit stitch **p2tog:** purl 2 stitches together

p2sso: pass 2 slip stitches over knit stitch

p3tog: purl 3 stitches together

rem: remaining rep: repeat RH: right hand rnd(s): round(s) RS: right side sl: slip

sm: slip marker

**SSK:** Slip 2 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 2 stitches and knit 2 together.

**SSP:** Slip 2 stitches knitwise, transfer these 2 stitches back to left hand needle, purl 2 together through the back loops.

**st(s):** stitch(es)

**TBL:** through back loop(s)

**tog:** together **WS:** wrong side

wyib: with yarn in back wyif: with yarn in front

yo: yarn over

end on WS: end having just completed a Wrong Side

row

end on RS: end having just completed a Right Side

row

**STOCKINETTE ST (St st):** Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle.

**Reverse St st (Rev St st):** Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle.

**GARTER ST:** Knit EVERY row when working on straight needles. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working on a circular needle.

#### Crochet

**ch:** chain

dc: double crochethdc: half double crochetsc: single crochet

sl st: slip stitch
sp: space
tr: treble