

Row 21: P7, k1, p8, k1, p7.

Row 22: (inc row) K1, M1, k6, p1, k4, sl 2 sts to cn and hold in front, k2, k2 from cn, p1, k6, M1, k1—26 sts.

Row 23: P8, k1, p8, k1, p8.

Row 24: (inc row) K1, M1, k7, p1, k8, p1, k7, M1, k1—28 sts.

Row 25: P9, k1, p8, k1, p9.

Slip sts to st holder or waste yarn and set aside. Break yarn.

BRIM

With cir needle and using the backward loop method (see Glossary), CO 35 sts for back; with RS of one earflap facing, work as foll: p1, k8, p1, sl 2 sts to cn and hold in back, k1, k1 from cn, k4, p1, k8, p1; CO 53 sts for front; with RS of other earflap facing, work as foll: p1, k8, p1, sl 2 sts to cn and hold in back, k2, k2 from cn, k4, p1, k8, p1—144 sts.

Join for working in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts. Place marker (pm) for beg of rnd.

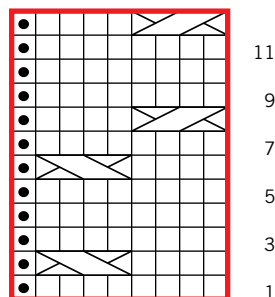
BEGIN SEMOLINA CABLE PATTERN

Beg with Rnd 7, work in Semolina Cable patt for 43 rnds, ending with Rnd 7 (piece measures 5½" (14 cm) from beg of brim).

SHAPE CROWN

Note: Switch to dpns when there are too few sts to work comfortably on cir needle.

Cable Chart



Rnd 1: (dec rnd) *Ssk, k4, k2tog, p1; rep from * to end—112 sts rem.

Rnd 2: *K6, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 3: (dec rnd) *Ssk, k2, k2tog, p1; rep from * to end—80 sts rem.

Rnd 4: *K4, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 5: (dec rnd) *Ssk, k2tog, p1; rep from * to end—48 sts rem.

Rnd 6: *K2, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 7: (dec rnd) *Ssk, p1; rep from * to end—32 sts rem.

Rnd 8: *K1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 9: (dec rnd) *Ssk; rep from * to end—16 sts rem.

Rnd 10: Knit.

Rnds 11–12: Rep Rnds 9 and 10—8 sts rem.

Rnd 13: Rep Rnd 9—4 sts rem.

Break yarn, leaving an 8" (20.5 cm) tail. Draw through rem sts, pull snug to tighten, and fasten off inside.

FINISHING

Beg at center back of brim, work single crochet edging (see Glossary) around lower edge of hat and earflaps. Break yarn. Weave in ends. Block if desired.