

## CHUNKY AIR HAT

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### MATERIALS:

- AIR chunky weight by Zealana 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ oz/50g skeins, each approx 159y/146m (cashmere/silk/brushtail possum)
- 2 skeins of #L07 Gold
- One pair of US 7- 16" circular needles.
- One pair of US 7- DBP needles.
- Stitch Markers

### SIZES:

One size fits all.

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS:

19" Bottom Opening Circumference

8" Height with Folded Brim

### GAUGE

20 sts and 26 rows = 4"/10cm using on US 8 in  
1x1 Rib Pattern



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### ABBREVIATIONS:

Tw5B- sl 2 sts to cn and hold in back of work, k3, p2 from cn.  
Tw5F- sl 3 sts to cn and hold in front of work, p2, k3 from cn.  
C2F- sl 1 st to cn and hold in front of work, k1, k1 from cn.  
C6B- sl 3 sts to cn and hold in back of work, k3, k3 from cn.  
C6F- sl 3 sts to cn and hold in front of work, k3, k3 from cn.

### CABLE PANEL:

Worked over 20 sts

**Rows 1& 5 (RS):** K3, p4, k6, p4, k3.

**Rows 2, 4 & 6:** P3, k4, p6, k4, p3.

**Row 3:** K3, p4, C6F, P4, K3.

**Row 7:** Tw5F, p2, k6, p2, Tw5B.

**Rows 8 & 14:** K2, p3, k2, p6, k2, p3, k2.

**Row 9:** P2, Tw5F, C6F, Tw5B, p2.

**Rows 10 & 12:** K4, p12, k4.

**Row 11:** P4, C6B twice, p4.

**Row 13:** P2, Tw5B, C6F, Tw5F, p2.

**Row 15:** Tw5B, p2, k6, p2, Tw5F.

**Row 16:** Rep row 2.

Repeat Rows 1-16

### PATTERN

Using US 7 and CO 28 sts.

NOTE: Slip the first and knit the last stitch of every row (edge stitch).

**Set Up Row 1 (WS):** Sl1, k2, work 20 sts of the Cable Panel (starting with pattern Row 2), k2, p2, k1

**Set Up Row 2 (RS):** Sl1, C2F, p2, work 20 sts of the Cable Panel, p2, k1

Repeat these 2 Rows till piece measures 20" (ending with pattern Row 16).

BO all sts in pattern.

Graft the CO & BO Rows together (it will become the back seam).

Starting at the Back Seam and the Wrong Side of work- PU and knit 92 sts around the side edge of work, PM and join in a round.

Starting with the knit stitch- work in 1x1 Rib for 5"- then start crown shaping as follows:

\*Ssk, continue in Rib for next 17 sts, k2tog, k1, PM, ssk, continue in Rib for next 19 sts, k2tog, k1, PM; repeat from \*, - 84 sts

NOTE: There are 4 markers indicating 4 decrease areas.

Work 1 round evenly in established pattern.

Next Round: \*Ssk, continue in Rib till 3 sts before the next marker, k2tog, k1, MM (move the marker); repeat from \*, - 76 sts

NOTE: start using DBP needles once you start having less stitches on the needles.

Repeat last 2 rounds- 8 times more, - 12 sts

Cut the yarn leaving a long tail of yarn.

Weave that tail through the remaining sts and fasten off.

Weave in the ends.

Block.