1252beret Bruno Beret

Suggested yarn:
• Pierrot Yarns Bruno [80% merino wool, 20% yak; 102 yds/93m per 1.1 oz./30g skein]; color #08 outer space, 2 skeins [60g]

Tools/Notions:
• 3.3mm (approx. US 3) and 3.6mm (approx. US 4) knitting needles or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
• cable needle

Finished measurements:
• head circumference 48cm/18.9"
• depth 23cm/9.1"

Gauge (10cm/4" square):
• pattern stitch A: 25 sts and 36 rows
• pattern stitch B: 26.5 sts and 36 rows

Gauge may vary according to individual knitting style. Change needle size if necessary to achieve gauge. Alternatively, rework pattern with your own gauge measurements.

Summary
Body: Cast on with long-tail cast-on method. Work in k1p1 ribbing in the round, then continue in pattern stitches A & B, increasing and decreasing as indicated.

Finishing: Cut yarn and thread the tail through all remaining stitches of the last round. Cinch top of beret shut, then weave in the yarn tail. Fold cast-on edge to inside as shown in finishing schematic, then secure in place with whipstitch.
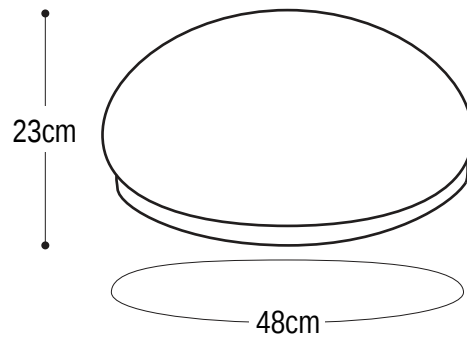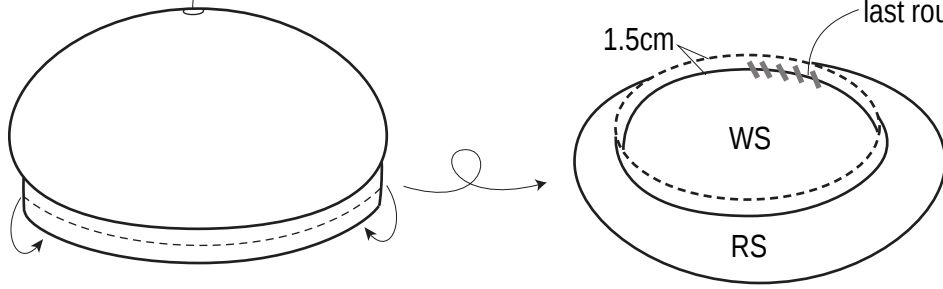
Abbreviations:
CO = cast on
k = knit
p = purl
RS = right side
WS = wrong side

Beret schematic
pattern stitches A & B, 3.6mm needles

24.5 cm

pattern stitch B — 4 sts
pattern stitch A — 5 sts
pattern stitch B — 4 sts
pattern stitch A — 5 sts
pattern stitch B — 4 sts
pattern stitch A — 5 sts
pattern stitch B — 4 sts
pattern stitch A — 5 sts

188 sts | 72cm

total: 124 sts | 48cm

fold here

CO 144 sts | 48cm

k1p1 ribbing
3.3mm needles

-2 sts 6cm
16 sts
24 sts 9cm

-3 sts 6cm
15 sts
23 sts 9cm

1.5cm | 6 rounds
1.5cm | 6 rounds

3cm | 12 rounds

1cm | 4 rounds
5cm | 18 rounds
15.5cm 56 rounds

○ = -10 sts (chart 4)

● = -9 sts (chart 3)

□ = +4 sts (chart 2)

■ = +4 sts (chart 1)

☆ = 18 sts

Finishing

Cut yarn and thread tail through all remaining (36) sts of final round. Cinch top of hat closed and weave in tail.

Fold cast-on edge towards inside along "fold here" line marked on schematic above. Whipstitch to last round of k1p1 ribbing.

1.5cm

WS

RS

23cm

48cm

Pattern stitches A & B

pattern stitch B   **pattern stitch A**   □ = □ knit

chart 4 chart 4 chart 3 chart 3

chart 2 chart 2 chart 1 chart 1

56
50
40
30
20
10
1
4
1
18
10
5
1

31 30   20   10   5   1

⟨twisted⟩ = twisted knit stitch

⟨cdd⟩ = center double decrease (slip 2 together, k1, pass slipped sts over)

⟨C6F⟩ = C6F

⟨C12F⟩ = C12F

⟨C16F⟩ = C16F