

# HARDHAT LINER – EARFLAP HAT

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## Materials

worsted weight yarn, about 125 yds

circular knitting needles: #7 – I used 24” needles, but you may be more comfortable with 16” circular needles  
#9

double point needles # 7, 8, or 9

stitch markers

## Gauge

5 sts/inch

Using #9 needle, CO 100 sts. Join. Using #7 needle, work 1 rnd k 2, p 2 ribbing, placing marker at beginning of rnd, after 24 sts, after 26 sts, after 72 sts, and after 74 sts.

Work Chart A. Work in wraps as you come to them, which will be one on every row after row 1. You will work all of Chart A before working Chart B. Remove markers at center of earflaps after you no longer need them to help you keep your place.

Work Chart B. Work in wraps as you come to them. Remove markers at center of earflaps after you no longer need them to help you keep your place.

After Chart B, begin working in the rnd, using #9 needle. Work even in 2 x 2 rib until cap measures 4.75” from CO edge (not the earflaps). Change to DPN’s when necessary.

Dec rnd 1: Keeping in pattern, work 2, \*p 2 tog, work 10\*, repeat from \* to \* around, end p 2.

Work 2 rnds in pattern.

Dec rnd 2: Keeping in pattern, work 5, \*p 2 tog, work 9\*, repeat from \* to \* around, end work 8.

Work 1 rnd in pattern.

Dec rnd 3: Keeping in pattern, \*work 8, p 2 tog\*, repeat from \* to \* around to last 4 sts, work 2, p 2 tog.

Work 1 rnd in pattern.

Remainder of hat is worked in St st.

Rnd 1: k 5, k 2 tog, k 23, k 2 tog, k 23, ssk, k to end.

Rnd 2: \*k 4, ssk\*, repeat around.

Rnd 3: \*k 3, ssk\*, repeat around.

Rnd 4: \*k 2, ssk\*, repeat around.

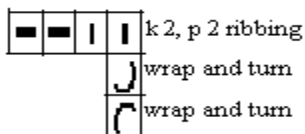
Rnd 5: \*k 1, ssk\*, repeat around.

Rnd 6: ssk, repeat around.

Rnd 7: ssk, repeat around.

Cut yarn, draw tail through remaining sts, and finish off.

## Key



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