

Tyler Bonnet

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Materials: 80-200 yds of lace weight (size 0) mohair yarn (I used knitpicks aloft), size 7 (4.5mm) straight needles, yarn needle, 2 stitch markers

Gauge: 5sts/in ~ GAUGE IS VERY IMPORTANT~

Abbreviation Key:

K - knit P - purl

k2tog - knit 2 together

Head circumference: nb (13ins). 0-3mths (14ins), 3-6mth (15ins), 6-12mths (16ins)

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## NEWBORN

Cast on 158sts.

Work 7 rows in stockinette st (knit the right side, purl the wrong side) starting with a purl row.

Bind off loosely 54sts, knit 50sts, bind off loosely 54sts. cut yarn and finish off. Starting on a purl row, pick up the center 50sts. Work in stockinette st until your work measures appx 4ins from cast on edge ending after completing a purl row. Place a stitch maker at either end of the last row worked.

### **DECREASES**

Row 1 - k1 (k2tog, k4) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (42sts)

Row 2 - purl across

Row 3 - k1 (k2tog, k3) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (34ts)

Row 4 - purl across

Row 5 - k1 (k2tog, k2) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (26sts)

Row 6 - purl across

Row 7 - k1 (k2tog, k1) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (18sts)

Row 8 - purl across

Row 9 - k1 (k2tog) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (10sts)

Do not bind off.

Cut yarn leaving appx 12ins and pull through remaining stitches. Using this end sew the crown together to your stitch markers. (I like to use the mattress stitch since it is nearly invisible). Weave in all ends.

# 0-3 MONTHS

Cast on 164sts.

Work 7 rows in stockinette st (knit the right side, purl the wrong side) starting with a purl row.

Bind off loosely 54sts, knit 56sts, bind off loosely 54sts. cut yarn and finish off. Starting on a purl row, pick up the center 56sts. Work in stockinette st until your work measures appx 4.5ins from cast on edge ending after completing a purl row. Place a stitch maker at either end of the last row worked.

### **DECREASES**

Row 1 - k1 (k2tog, k4) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (47sts)

Row 2 - purl across

Row 3 - k1 (k2tog, k3) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (38sts)

Row 4 - purl across

Row 5 - k1 (k2tog, k2) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (29sts)

Row 6 - purl across

Row 7 - k1 (k2tog, k1) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (20sts)

Row 8 - purl across

Row 9 - k1 (k2tog) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (11sts)

Do not bind off.

Cut yarn leaving appx 12ins and pull through remaining stitches. Using this end sew the crown together to your stitch markers. (I like to use the mattress stitch since it is nearly invisible). Weave in all ends.

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# 3-6 MONTHS

Cast on 170sts.

Work 7 rows in stockinette st (knit the right side, purl the wrong side) starting with a purl row.

Bind off loosely 54sts, knit 62sts, bind off loosely 54sts. cut yarn and finish off. Starting on a purl row, pick up the center 62sts. Work in stockinette st until your work measures appx 5ins from cast on edge ending after completing a purl row. Place a stitch maker at either end of the last row worked.

### **DECREASES**

Row 1 - k1 (k2tog, k4) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (52sts)

Row 2 - purl across

Row 3 - k1 (k2tog, k3) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (42sts)

Row 4 - purl across

Row 5 - k1 (k2tog, k2) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (32sts)

Row 6 - purl across

Row 7 - k1 (k2tog, k1) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (22sts)

Row 8 - purl across

Row 9 - k1 (k2tog) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (12sts)

Do not bind off.

Cut yarn leaving appx 12ins and pull through remaining stitches. Using this end sew the crown together to your stitch markers. (I like to use the mattress stitch since it is nearly invisible). Weave in all ends.

## 6-12 MONTHS

Cast on 176sts.

Work 7 rows in stockinette st (knit the right side, purl the wrong side) starting with a purl row.

Bind off loosely 54sts, knit 68sts, bind off loosely 54sts. cut yarn and finish off. Starting on a purl row, pick up the center 68sts. Work in stockinette st until your work measures appx 5.5ins from cast on edge ending after completing a purl row. Place a stitch maker at either end of the last row worked.

#### **DECREASES**

Row 1 - k1 (k2tog, k4) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (57sts)

Row 2 - purl across

Row 3 - k1 (k2tog, k3) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (46sts)

Row 4 - purl across

Row 5 - k1 (k2tog, k2) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (35sts)

Row 6 - purl across

Row 7 - k1 (k2tog, k1) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (24sts)

Row 8 - purl across

Row 9 - k1 (k2tog) repeat (to) across to last st, k1 (13sts)

Do not bind off.

Cut yarn leaving appx 12ins and pull through remaining stitches. Using this end sew the crown together to your stitch markers. (I like to use the mattress stitch since it is nearly invisible). Weave in all ends.

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