

# Apple Cider Beanie Pattern by Amanda Morse

**Materials needed:** 55-150yds of worsted weight yarn in main color and a few yards for the stem and leaf, size 8 dpn (or circular for magic loop method or larger sizes) a yarn needle

Sizes (head circumference) [finished measurements] -newborn (13ins)[5x5ins], infant (14.5ins)[5.75x5.75ins], sitter (16ins)[6.5x6.5ins], toddler (17ins)[7x7ins], child (19ins)[7.5x7.5ins]

Gauge - 4sts/1in in stockinette st - ~Gauge is very important!~

# Stitch Key:

K - knit P - purl

k2tog - knit 2 together p3tog - purl 3 together

vdd - vertical double decrease - Insert right needle through the first 2 sts on the left needle as if to knit and slip both together to the right hand needle. Knit the next stitch. Insert the left hand needle through the front of the 2 slipped stitches and pull the slipped stitches over the knitted stitch

#### **NEWBORN**

With red cast on 54sts. Join in the round.

K1P1 around for 5 rounds.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 3.5ins from cast on edge.

#### **DECREASES**

Round 1 - [k2tog, k4] around (45sts)

Round 2-3 - knit around

Round 4 - [k2tog, k3] around (36sts)

Round 5 - knit around

Round 6 - [k2tog, k2] around (27sts)

Round 7 - knit around

Round 8 - [k2tog, k1] around (18sts)

Round 9 - knit around

Cut red and join brown

Round 10 - [k2tog] around (9sts)

Round 11 - [k2tog, k1] around (6sts)

Knit 5 more rounds in stockinette sts. Bind off.

#### Leaf

Cast on 3sts in green.

Row 1 - purl across

Row 2 - k1, yo, k1, yo, k1 (5sts)

Row 3 - purl across

Row 4 - k2, yo, k1, yo, k2 (7sts)

Row 5 - purl across

Row 6 - k3, yo, k1, yo, k3 (9sts)

Row 7 - purl across

Row 8 - k4, yo, k1, yo, k4 (11sts)

Row 9 - purl across

Row 10 - knit across

Row 11 - purl across

Row 12 - k4, vdd, k4 (9sts)

Row 13 - purl across

Row 14 - k3, vdd, k3 (7sts)

Row 15 - purl across

Row 16 - k2, vdd, k2 (5sts)

Row 17 - purl across

Row 18 - k1, vdd, k1 (3sts)

Row 19 - P3tog (1st)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn and pull through remain stitch. Weave in this end. Use the cast on tail to tack your leaf unto the hat near the base of the stem.

## **INFANT**

With red cast on 60sts. Join in the round.

K1P1 around for 5 rounds.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 4.25ins from cast on edge.

#### DECREASES

Round 1 - [k2tog, k4] around (50sts)

Round 2-3 - knit around

Round 4 - [k2tog, k3] around (40sts)

Round 5 - knit around

Round 6 - [k2tog, k2] around (30sts)

Round 7 - knit around

Round 8 - [k2tog, k1] around (20sts)

Round 9 - knit around

Cut red and join brown

Round 10 - [k2tog] around (10sts)

Round 11 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around to last st, k1(7sts)

Knit 5 more rounds in stockinette sts. Bind off.

#### Leaf

Cast on 3sts in green.

Row 1 - purl across

Row 2 - k1, yo, k1, yo, k1 (5sts)

Row 3 - purl across

Row 4 - k2, yo, k1, yo, k2 (7sts)

Row 5 - purl across

Row 6 - k3, yo, k1, yo, k3 (9sts)

Row 7 - purl across

Row 8 - k4, yo, k1, yo, k4 (11sts)

Row 9 - purl across

Row 10 - knit across

Row 11 - purl across

Row 12 - k4, vdd, k4 (9sts)

Row 13 - purl across

Row 14 - k3, vdd, k3 (7sts)

Row 15 - purl across

Row 16 - k2, vdd, k2 (5sts)

Row 17 - purl across

Row 18 - k1, vdd, k1 (3sts)

Row 19 - P3tog (1st)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn and pull through remain stitch. Weave in this end. Use the cast on tail to tack your leaf unto the hat near the base of the stem.

#### SITTER

With red cast on 66sts. Join in the round.

K1P1 around for 5 rounds.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 5ins from cast on edge.

#### DECREASES

Round 1 - [k2tog, k4] around (55sts)

Round 2-3 - knit around

Round 4 - [k2tog, k3] around (44sts)

Round 5 - knit around

Round 6 - [k2tog, k2] around (33sts)

Round 7 - knit around

Round 8 - [k2tog, k1] around (22sts)

Round 9 - knit around

Cut red and join brown

Round 10 - [k2tog] around (11sts)

Round 11 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around to last 2sts, k2tog (7sts)

Knit 5 more rounds in stockinette sts. Bind off.

#### Leaf

Cast on 3sts in green.

Row 1 - purl across

Row 2 - k1, yo, k1, yo, k1 (5sts)

Row 3 - purl across

Row 4 - k2, yo, k1, yo, k2 (7sts)

Row 5 - purl across

Row 6 - k3, yo, k1, yo, k3 (9sts)

Row 7 - purl across

Row 8 - k4, yo, k1, yo, k4 (11sts)

Row 9 - purl across

Row 10 - knit across

Row 11 - purl across

Row 12 - k4, vdd, k4 (9sts)

Row 13 - purl across

Row 14 - k3, vdd, k3 (7sts)

Row 15 - purl across

Row 16 - k2, vdd, k2 (5sts)

Row 17 - purl across

Row 18 - k1, vdd, k1 (3sts)

Row 19 - P3tog (1st)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn and pull through remain stitch. Weave in this end. Use the cast on tail to tack your leaf unto the hat near the base of the stem.

#### **TODDLER**

With red cast on 72sts. Join in the round.

K1P1 around for 5 rounds.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 5.5ins from cast on edge.

#### DECREASES

Round 1 - [k2tog, k4] around (60sts)

Round 2-3 - knit around

Round 4 - [k2tog, k3] around (48sts)

Round 5 - knit around

Round 6 - [k2tog, k2] around (36sts)

Round 7 - knit around

Round 8 - [k2tog, k1] around (24sts)

Round 9 - knit around

Cut red and join brown

Round 10 - [k2tog] around (12sts)

Round 11 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around (8sts)

Knit 5 more rounds in stockinette sts. Bind off.

#### Leaf

Cast on 3sts in green.

Row 1 - purl across

Row 2 - k1, yo, k1, yo, k1 (5sts)

Row 3 - purl across

Row 4 - k2, yo, k1, yo, k2 (7sts)

Row 5 - purl across

Row 6 - k3, yo, k1, yo, k3 (9sts)

Row 7 - purl across

Row 8 - k4, yo, k1, yo, k4 (11sts)

Row 9 - purl across

Row 10 - knit across

Row 11 - purl across

Row 12 - k4, vdd, k4 (9sts)

Row 13 - purl across

Row 14 - k3, vdd, k3 (7sts)

Row 15 - purl across

Row 16 - k2, vdd, k2 (5sts)

Row 17 - purl across

Row 18 - k1, vdd, k1 (3sts)

Row 19 - P3tog (1st)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn and pull through remain stitch. Weave in this end. Use the cast on tail to tack your leaf unto the hat near the base of the stem.

## **CHILD**

With red cast on 78sts. Join in the round.

K1P1 around for 5 rounds.

Work in stockinette st until your work measures 7ins from cast on edge.

**DECREASES** 

Round 1 - [k2tog, k4] around (65sts)

Round 2-3 - knit around

Round 4 - [k2tog, k3] around (52sts)

Round 5 - knit around

Round 6 - [k2tog, k2] around (39sts)

Round 7 - knit around

Round 8 - [k2tog, k1] around (26sts)

Round 9 - knit around

Cut red and join brown

Round 10 - [k2tog] around (13sts)

Round 11 - [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around to last st, k1 (9sts)

Knit 5 more rounds in stockinette sts. Bind off.

#### Leaf

Cast on 3sts in green.

Row 1 - purl across

Row 2 - k1, yo, k1, yo, k1 (5sts)

Row 3 - purl across

Row 4 - k2, yo, k1, yo, k2 (7sts)

Row 5 - purl across

Row 6 - k3, yo, k1, yo, k3 (9sts)

Row 7 - purl across

Row 8 - k4, yo, k1, yo, k4 (11sts)

Row 9 - purl across

Row 10 - knit across

Row 11 - purl across

Row 12 - k4, vdd, k4 (9sts)

Row 13 - purl across

Row 14 - k3, vdd, k3 (7sts)

Row 15 - purl across

Row 16 - k2, vdd, k2 (5sts)

Row 17 - purl across

Row 18 - k1, vdd, k1 (3sts)

Row 19 - P3tog (1st)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn and pull through remain stitch. Weave in this end. Use the cast on tail to tack your leaf unto the hat near the base of the stem.