Elijah Slouch
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Materials: 1 skein of knitpicks chroma worsted (or any other worsted yarn appx 120-250yds), size 8 (5mm) dpn or circular needles, yarn needles

Gauge: appx 4.5sts/in in stockinette sts   *GAUGE IS VERY IMPORTANT! SWATCH FIRST!*

Appx Finished Measurements (wxh): baby (6.75inx7in), toddler (7.75inx8ins), child (8.75inx 9in), teen/small adult (10inx10in), large adult (11inx11in)

Stitch Key:
k – knit   p – purl
K2tog – knit 2 together

BABY
Cast on 60sts. Join in the round.
K1p1 around for 6 rounds.
Round 1 – knit around
Round 2 – [k5, p3, k2] repeat [to] around
Round 3 – [k4, p5, k1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 4-7 – [k3, p7] repeat [to] around
Round 8 – repeat round 3
Round 9 – repeat round 2
Round 10 – knit around
Round 11 – [p3, k7] repeat [to] around
Round 12 – [p4, k5, p1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 13-16 – [p5, k3, p2] repeat [to] around
Round 17 – repeat round 12
Round 18 – repeat round 11

Repeat rounds 1-18 until your work measures appx 6ins from cast on edge ending after completing a round 9 or 18.

Decrease
Round 1 – [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] around (54sts)
Round 2 – [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] around (48sts)
Round 3 – [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] around (42sts)
Round 4 – [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] around (36sts)
Round 5 – [k2tog, k4] repeat [to] around (30sts)
Round 6 – [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] around (24sts)
Round 7 – [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] around (18sts)
Round 8 – [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around (12sts)
Round 9 – [k2tog] repeat [to] around (6sts)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches and cinch the crown tight. Weave in end. Block if you please.

TODDLER
Cast on 70sts. Join in the round.
K1p1 around for 8 rounds.
Round 1 – knit around
Round 2 – [k5, p3, k2] repeat [to] around
Round 3 – [k4, p5, k1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 4-7 – [k3, p7] repeat [to] around
Round 8 – repeat round 3
Round 9 – repeat round 2
Round 10 – knit around
Round 11 – [p3, k7] repeat [to] around
Round 12 – [p4, k5, p1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 13-16 – [p5, k3, p2] repeat [to] around
Round 17 – repeat round 12
Round 18 – repeat round 11

Repeat rounds 1-18 until your work measures appx 7ins from cast on edge ending after completing a round 9 or 18.

Decrease
Round 1 – [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] around (63sts)
Round 2 – [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] around (56sts)
Round 3 – [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] around (49sts)
Round 4 – [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] around (42sts)
Round 5 – [k2tog, k4] repeat [to] around (35sts)
Round 6 – [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] around (28sts)
Round 7 – [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] around (21sts)
Round 8 – [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around (14sts)
Round 9 – [k2tog] repeat [to] around (7sts)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches and cinch the crown tight. Weave in end. Block if you please.

CHILD
Cast on 80sts. Join in the round.
K1p1 around for 8 rounds.
Round 1 – knit around
Round 2 – [k5, p3, k2] repeat [to] around
Round 3 – [k4, p5, k1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 4-7 – [k3, p7] repeat [to] around
Round 8 – repeat round 3
Round 9 – repeat round 2
Round 10 – knit around
Round 11 – [p3, k7] repeat [to] around
Round 12 – [p4, k5, p1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 13-16 – [p5, k3, p2] repeat [to] around
Round 17 – repeat round 12
Round 18 – repeat round 11

Repeat rounds 1-18 until your work measures appx 8ins from cast on edge ending after completing a round 9 or 18.

Decrease
Round 1 – [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] around (72sts)
Round 2 – [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] around (64sts)
Round 3 – [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] around (56sts)
Round 4 – [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] around (48sts)
Round 5 – [k2tog, k4] repeat [to] around (40sts)
Round 6 – [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] around (32sts)
Round 7 – [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] around (24sts)
Round 8 – [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around (16sts)
Round 9 – [k2tog] repeat [to] around (8sts)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches and cinch the crown tight. Weave in end. Block if you please.

TEEN/SMALL ADULT
Cast on 90sts. Join in the round.
K1p1 around for 8 rounds.
Round 1 – knit around
Round 2 – [k5, p3, k2] repeat [to] around
Round 3 – [k4, p5, k1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 4-7 – [k3, p7] repeat [to] around
Round 8 – repeat round 3
Round 9 – repeat round 2
Round 10 – knit around
Round 11 – [p3, k7] repeat [to] around
Round 12 – [p4, k5, p1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 13-16 – [p5, k3, p2] repeat [to] around
Round 17 – repeat round 12
Round 18 – repeat round 11

Repeat rounds 1-18 until your work measures appx 9ins from cast on edge ending after completing a round 9 or 18.

Decrease
Round 1 – [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] around (81sts)
Round 2 – [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] around (72sts)
Round 3 – [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] around (63sts)
Round 4 – [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] around (54sts)
Round 5 – [k2tog, k4] repeat [to] around (45sts)
Round 6 – [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] around (36sts)
Round 7 – [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] around (27sts)
Round 8 – [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around (18sts)
Round 9 – [k2tog] repeat [to] around (9sts)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches and cinch the crown tight. Weave in end. Block if you please.

LARGE ADULT
Cast on 100sts. Join in the round.
K1p1 around for 8 rounds.
Round 1 – knit around
Round 2 – [k5, p3, k2] repeat [to] around
Round 3 – [k4, p5, k1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 4-7 – [k3, p7] repeat [to] around
Round 8 – repeat round 3
Round 9 – repeat round 2
Round 10 – knit around
Round 11 – [p3, k7] repeat [to] around
Round 12 – [p4, k5, p1] repeat [to] around
Rounds 13-16 – [p5, k3, p2] repeat [to] around
Round 17 – repeat round 12
Round 18 – repeat round 11

Repeat rounds 1-18 until your work measures appx 10ins from cast on edge ending after completing a round 9 or 18.

Decrease
Round 1 – [k2tog, k8] repeat [to] around (90sts)
Round 2 – [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] around (80sts)
Round 3 – [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] around (70sts)
Round 4 – [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] around (60sts)
Round 5 – [k2tog, k4] repeat [to] around (50sts)
Round 6 – [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] around (40sts)
Round 7 – [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] around (30sts)
Round 8 – [k2tog, k1] repeat [to] around (20sts)
Round 9 – [k2tog] repeat [to] around (10sts)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches and cinch the crown tight. Weave in end. Block if you please.