

MATERIALS & INFO

Materials – appx 65-150yds sport weight (size 3) yarn (I used <u>KnitPicks Heatherly Sport</u> <u>328yd</u>, <u>100g</u>), size 5 (3.75mm) straight AND dpns, 2 stitch markers, yarn needle

Gauge -6sts/in

Sizes - newborn, baby, toddler/child

Appx Finished Measurements - (measurements are for bonnet when laid flat)

Newborn 5x5ins or 12.5x12.5cms baby 6.5x6.5ins or 16x16cms toddler/child 7.5x7.5ins 19x19cms

Ocean Bonnet is a classic styled bonnet with a ripple and picot edge.

I chose to use a soft wool blend yarn to make it a new-mom friendly bonnet.

Abbreviations can be found on the last page.

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Cast on 57, 75, 93 sts using long tail cast on Row 1 - Purl across Row 2 - Knit across Row 3 - Purl across Row 4 (picot row) - K2 [k2tog, yo] repeat [to] across to last 2sts, k2 Row 5 - Purl across Row 6 - Knit across Row 7 - Purl across Row 8 - fold cast on edge with wrong sides together, knitting 1 stitch from cast on edge together with the corresponding stitch on your needles across (this creates a folded picot hem) Row 9 - purl across Row 10 - k2 [k2tog 3 times, yo, (k1, yo) 5 times, ssk 3 times, k1] across to last st, k1 Row 11 - purl across Row 12 - knit across Row 13 - purl across Row 14 - k2 [k2tog 3 times, yo, (k1, yo) 5 times, ssk 3 times, k1] across to last st, k1 Row 15 - purl across Row 16 - knit across Row 17 - purl across Row 18 - k2 [k2tog 3 times, yo, (k1, yo) 5 times, ssk 3 times, k1] across to last st, k1

Work in stockinette stitch until your work measures 4, 5.25, 6.25ins or 10, 13, 15.5cms from the picot row. End after completing a purl row. Place a marker on either end of this last row. This will be where your seam ends to form the crown.

DECREASES

Row 1 - k2, [k2tog, k7] repeat [to] across to last st, k1 (51, 67, 83sts)

- Row 2 purl across
- Row 3 k2, [k2tog, k6] repeat [to] across to last st, k1 (45, 59, 73sts)
- Row 4 purl across

Row 5 - k2, [k2tog, k5] repeat [to] across to last st, k1 (39, 51, 63sts)

Row 6 - purl across

Row 7 - k2, [k2tog, k4] repeat [to] across to last st, k1 (33, 43, 53sts)

Row 8 - purl across

Row 9 - k2, [k2tog, k3] repeat [to] across to last st, k1 (27, 35, 43sts) Row 10 - pure across

Row 10 - purl across

Row 11 - k2, [k2tog, k2] repeat [to] across to last st, k1 (21, 27, 33sts)

Row 12 - p1 [p1, p2tog] repeat [to] across to last 2 sts, p2 (15, 19, 23sts)

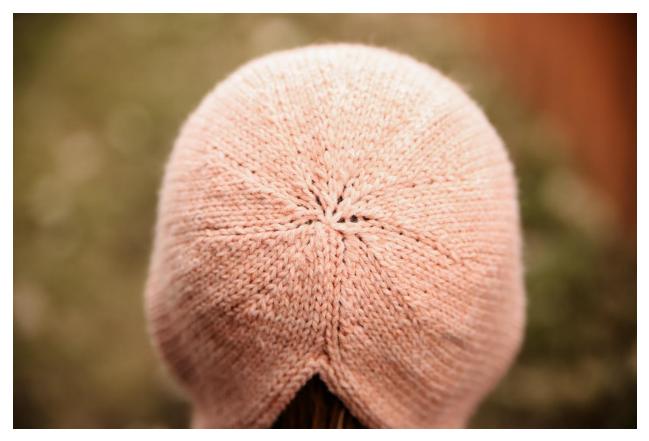
Row 13 - k2 [k2tog] across (9, 11, 13sts)

Baby and toddler/Child sizes only. Newborn size skips row 14.

Row 14 - p1 [p2tog] across to last 2sts, p2 (x, 7, 8sts)

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). Sew your hemmed edge folding it on the picot row. I do a simple whip stitch here. This is a great video for this: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SRIFVhfOKTU Pick up 3sts along the front corner of your bonnet and work an i-cord for 12ins. Do the same on the opposite front corner. Weave in ends and block

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ABBREVIATIONS

k - knit
P - purl
k2tog -knit 2 stitches together
p2tog - purl 2 stitches together
ssk - slip next st knitwise, slip next st knitwise, place stitches back onto left needle, knit both slipped sts together
yo - yarn over
st - stitch
sts - stitches

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