

Aviator Hat, Beanie and Scarf

BM 508



AVIATOR HAT, BEANIE & SCARF

BM 508

in 5 sizes

MEASUREMENTS

SIZE	XS	S	M	L	XL	
Hats fit head (approx)	40	45	50	55	60	cm
	15 ³ / ₄	17 ³ / ₄	19 ³ / ₄	21 ³ / ₄	23 ³ / ₄	ins
Scarf length	80	100	120	140	160	cm
	31 ¹ / ₂	39 ¹ / ₄	47 ¹ / ₄	55	63	ins
Scarf width	10	12	14	16	18	cm
	4	4 ³ / ₄	5 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₄	7	ins

REQUIREMENTS

Blizzard Merino x 50g balls

Aviator Hat	1	1	2	2	2
Beanie	1	1	1	2	2
Scarf	1	2	2	3	3

One pair 5.00mm (US 8) knitting needles

Two stitch holders for Aviator Hat

Sewing up needle

TENSION

18 sts to 10cm (4 ins) over stocking stitch using 5.00mm (US 8) needles. This pattern has been designed exclusively for use with *Blizzard Merino* yarn. Any other yarn may give unsatisfactory results.

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt – alternate; **approx** – approximately; **beg** – beginning; **cm** –centimetres; **cont** – continue; **dec** – decrease; **foll** – following; **gst** – garter stitch (every row knit); **inc** – increase (by knitting into the front and back of next stitch; **ins** – inches; **K** – knit; **K2tog** – knit 2 stitches together; **K2togtbl** – knit 2 stitches together through back of loops; **meas** – measures; **mm** – millimetres; **P** – purl; **P2tog** – purl 2 stitches together; **patt** – pattern; **rem** – remain; **rep** – repeat; **RSF** – right side facing; **Sl 1**, - slip one stitch; **st/s** – stitch/stitches; **stst** – stocking stitch (knit one row, purl one row); **WSF** – wrong side facing; **yfwd** – yarn forward (bring yarn to front of work).

© Designed and published by *Possum Merino*.

WARNING – COPYRIGHT. This leaflet is protected by the law of copyright. No part of this leaflet may be reproduced, transmitted in any form or by any means, electronic, mechanical, photocopying, recording or otherwise without written permission.

AVIATOR HAT

EARFLAPS (Make 2)

Using 5.00mm (US 8) needles cast on 4 sts and work in gst as follows:

Row 1: K1, inc, inc, K1. ...6 sts.

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: K1, inc, K2, inc, K1.
...8 sts.

Row 4: Knit.

Row 5: K1, inc, K to last 2 sts, inc, K1.

Row 6: Knit.

Rep 5th and 6th rows 0(1:2:3:4) times more. 10(12:14:16:18) sts. Continue in gst without further shaping until earflap measures 5(6:7:8:8) cm [2(2¼:2¾:3¼:3¼) ins] from beg.

Break off yarn and leave on a stitch holder.

MAIN SECTION

Using 5.00mm (US 8) needles cast on 10(11:12:13:14) sts, slip sts from first 'earflap' stitch holder back on to needle and knit across these 10(12:14:16:18) sts, cast on a further 24(26:28:30:32) sts, slip sts from second 'ear flap' stitch holder back on to needle and knit across these 10(12:14:16:18)sts, cast on a further 10(11:12:13:14) sts.

...64(72:80:88:96) sts.

Work 5(5:7:7:7) rows in K1, P1 rib.

Row 1: (RSF) *K3, P1; rep from * to end.

Row 2: *K1, P3; rep from * to end.

Rep last 2 rows until hat meas 12(13:14:15:16) cm [4¾(5¼:5½:6:6¼) ins] from start of main section ending with Row 2.

SHAPE CROWN

Note: Hat is worked in stst from this point onwards.

Row 1:(RSF) *K2tog, K6 sts; rep from * to end. ...56(63:70:77:84) sts.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: *K2tog, K5 sts; rep from * to end. ...48(54:60:66:72) sts.

Row 4: Purl.

Row 5: *K2tog, K4 sts; rep from * to end. ...40(45:50:55:60) sts.

Row 6: Purl.

Row 7: *K2tog, K3 sts; rep from * to end. ...32(36:40:44:48) sts.

Row 8: Purl.

Row 9: *K2tog, K2 sts; rep from * to end. ...24(27:30:33:36) sts.

Row 10: Purl

Row 11: (K2tog) 12(13:15:16:18) times, P0(1:0:1:0) sts.

Break off yarn, run end through rem sts, draw up and fasten off.

FINISHING

Using back-stitch, join seam.

OPTIONAL PLAITS

Cut 6 lengths of yarn, each 36cm (14 ins) long.

Thread the 6 ends through the cast on edge of the earflap and pull through half way (12 strands). Divide these strands into 3 groups of 4 and plait to desired length. Using a short length of yarn, wrap securely

around plait just above the last twist and fasten. Trim ends.
Repeat for 2nd earflap.

BEANIE

Using 5.00mm (US 8) needles cast on 64(**72:80:88:96**) sts.
Work in K1,P1 rib for 5(**5:7:7:7**) rows.

Work in patt as follows:

Row 1: (RSF) *K3, P1; rep from * to end.

Row 2: *K1, P3; rep from * to end.

Rep last 2 rows until work meas 12(**13:14:15:16**) cm [4¾(**5¼:5½:6:6¼**) ins] from beg ending with Row 2.

SHAPE CROWN

Note: Hat is worked in stst from this point onwards.

Row 1:(RSF) *K2tog, K6 sts; rep from * to end. ...56(63:70:77:84) sts.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: *K2tog, K5 sts; rep from * to end. ...48(54:60:66:72) sts.

Row 4: Purl.

Row 5: *K2tog, K4 sts; rep from * to end. ...40(45:50:55:60) sts.

Row 6: Purl.

Row 7: *K2tog, K3 sts; rep from * to end. ...32(36:40:44:48) sts.

Row 8: Purl.

Row 9: *K2tog, K2 sts; rep from * to end. ...24(27:30:33:36) sts.

Row 10: Purl

Row 11: (K2tog) 12(13:15:16:18) times, P0(1:0:1:0) sts.

Break off yarn, run end through

rem sts, draw up and fasten off.

FINISHING

Using back-stitch join seam.

SCARF

Using 5.00mm (US 8) needles cast on 21(**25:29:33:37**) sts.

Row 1: K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Row 2: P1, *K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Row 3: K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Row 4: (RSF) P1, *K3, P1; rep from * to end

Row 5: K1, *P3, K1; rep from * to end.

Rep 4th and 5th rows until work meas 78(**98:118:138:158**) cm [31(**38½:46½ :54¼:62¼**) ins] from beg. ending with 4th row.

Row 1: (WSF) K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Row 2: P1, *K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Row 3: K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

(RSF) Cast off in rib.

OPTIONAL FRINGING

Cut lengths of yarn 20cm (8 ins) long. Attach to cast on and cast off edges of scarf in groups of three.

FINISHING

Sew in ends. Refer to ball band for care instructions.