



**CY1873**

**PATO MULTI COLOURS CHUNKY**

**CARN LIATH HAT**

## Measurements

To fit head circumference 46 – 51 (53 – 58) cm

18 – 20 (21 – 23) in

Actual Circumference 43 (51) cm

17 (20) in

For a comfy fit choose a size 1" – 3" (3.75 - 6 cm) **smaller** than the head circumference of the intended wearer.

## Materials

Cygnnet Pato Multi Colours Chunky x 100g in 80020 Garden Pond x 1 ball (sufficient to make 1 hat of each size)

A set of 5.5mm dpns / short circular **or size needed to achieve tension.**

1 Stitch marker

Tape measure

Scissors

Tapestry needle to sew in ends

Pompom (optional)

Small button (if attaching pompom with elastic loop)

## Abbreviations

K – Knit

P – Purl

st(s) - stitch(es)

rep – repeat

beg – beginning

K2tog – Knit 2 together

## TENSION

16 sts and 28 rows to 10 cm (4 ins) measured over seeded rib check stitch using 5.5 mm needles. If your tension is too tight use a larger needle, if too loose use a smaller needle.

## PATTERN NOTES

Carn Liath broch is an Iron Age settlement which sits between the main road and the shoreline around 35 miles up the coast from where I live. Last November we took visitors from overseas up there and, with a cold wind blowing straight off the choppy grey sea, we commented on how hardy those early settlers must have been. As I began to knit this hat I was reminded of that day, partly because the stitch pattern reminded me of the drystone walls, and partly because a cosy hat like this would've been very welcome!

This hat is knit in the round from the brim up using an easy to memorise stitch pattern; the resulting fabric is stretchy and warm.

It can be knitted on dpns, by magic loop, or on a short circular (in which case you will still need dpns for the crown decreases).

The stitch pattern is both charted and written out; the chart is read from right to left working from the bottom to the top. Please read the chart carefully.

Work your tension swatch in the round over at least 28 sts and 42 rows using Rounds 1-2 of the Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern (given below).

## SEEDED RIB CHECK STITCH PATTERN

Round 1: \*K3, P1; rep from \* to end of round.

Round 2: \*P1, K1, P2; rep from \* to end of round.

Round 3: \*K1, P1, K2; rep from \* to end of round.

Round 4: \*P3, K1; rep from \* to end of round.

### PATTERN:

### BRIM:

Cast on 68 (80) sts using the long tail cast on.

Join in the round being careful not to twist sts, and place marker for beg of round.

Rounds 1- 2: Work Rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern (above).

Rounds 3 – 8 (12): Rep rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

### BODY:

#### Size 1:

Rounds 9-14: Work rounds 3-4 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 15-20: Rep rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 21-26: Rep rounds 3-4 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 27-32: Rep rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 33-38: Rep rounds 3-4 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 39-41: Rep rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

#### Size 2:

Rounds 13-18: Work rounds 3-4 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 19-24: Rep rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 25-30: Rep rounds 3-4 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 31-36: Rep rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 37-42: Rep rounds 3-4 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

Rounds 43-48: Rep rounds 1-2 of Seeded Rib Check Stitch Pattern.

### All sizes:

### CROWN DECREASES:

If using a short circular, switch to dpns when there are too few stitches to work comfortably around the circular needle.

Round 1: \*K2, k2tog; rep from \* to end of round - 51 (60) sts.

Round 2: \*K1, k2tog; rep from \* to end of round - 34 (40) sts.

Round 3: \*K2tog; rep from \* to end of round - 17 (20) sts.

#### Size 1:

Round 4: K1, \*k2tog; rep from \* to end of round - 9 sts.

Round 5: K1, \*k2tog; rep from \* to end of round - 5 sts.

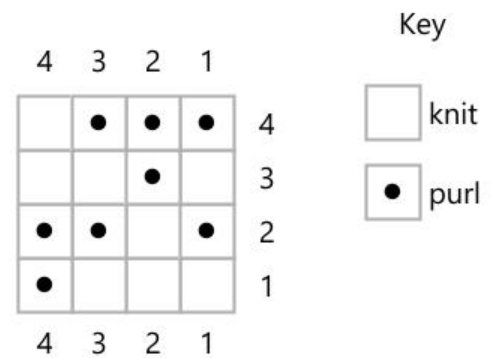
#### Size 2:

Round 4: \*K2tog; rep from \* to end of round - 10 sts.

Round 5: \*K2tog; rep from \* to end of round - 5 sts.

Cut yarn and thread through remaining stitches twice (this fills the loops of the sts to give a better finish). Pull tight and fasten off.

Sew in all ends, sew button on inside of hat and attach pompom (f desired). Enjoy your new hat!





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