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A SHAPELY SHETLAND HAT  
WITH A SIMPLE, ELEGANT LACE  
REPEAT AND A HEALTHY DOSE  
OF SLOUCH.

## GAUGE

5.5 STS PER INCH WITH  
SMALLER NEEDLE IN  
STOCKINETTE STITCH

## SIZE

AVERAGE ADULT (21")

## MATERIALS

APPROX. 190 YARDS OF  
DK-WEIGHT WOOL

YARN SHOWN: JAMIESON'S  
DOUBLE KNITTING (100%  
SHETLAND WOOL)

## NEEDLES

TWO 16" CIRCULARS  
SUGGESTED SIZES:  
US6 (4MM) & US8 (5MM)

ONE SET OF DOUBLE  
POINTED NEEDLES IN  
LARGER SIZE

## NOTIONS

STITCH MARKER, TAPESTRY  
NEEDLE

## PATTERN

WITH SMALLER CIRCULAR  
NEEDLE, CAST ON 96 STS.  
PLACE MARKER AND JOIN INTO  
ROUND, BEING CAREFUL NOT  
TO TWIST WORK.

**FIRST ROUND:** \*K2, P1\*  
REPEAT BETWEEN \*'S TO END  
OF ROUND

REPEAT PREVIOUS ROUND, ES-  
TABLISHING 2X1 RIB, UNTIL HAT  
MEASURES 1.5" FROM CO  
EDGE.

**NEXT ROUND:** \*K2, M1, P1\*  
REPEAT BETWEEN \*'S TO END OF  
ROUND [128 STS ON NEEDLE]

**NEXT ROUND:** \*K1, M1, K1,  
P2\* REPEAT BETWEEN \*'S TO  
END OF ROUND. [160 STS ON  
NEEDLE]

SWITCH TO LARGER NEEDLE &  
WORK ROUNDS 1-4 OF CHART A  
ONE TIME. CHART A REPEATS  
ITSELF 32 TIMES ON EVERY  
ROUND.





REPEAT **CHART A** UNTIL WORK MEASURES BETWEEN 6" & 6.5" FROM CD EDGE, ENDING WITH **ROUND 4** OF **CHART**. THIS LENGTH MEASUREMENT DETERMINES THE AMOUNT OF "SLOUCH" IN THE HAT. FOR LESS SLOUCH, WORK A SHORTER LENGTH. (HAT SHOWN WAS WORKED TO JUST OVER 6" IN THIS SECTION.) [160 STS ON NEEDLE]

WORK ROUNDS 1-18 OF **CHART B** ONE TIME, SWITCHING TO DOUBLE POINTED NEEDLES WHEN NECESSARY. **CHART B** REPEATS ITSELF 8 TIMES ON EVERY ROUND [16 STS ON NEEDLE]

**NOTE:** MARKER PLACEMENT WILL CHANGE AT THE END OF EVERY ODD ROUND IN **CHART B** WITH THE EXCEPTION OF **ROUND 17**. ON EACH OF THESE ROUNDS, WORK TO 1 STITCH BEFORE MARKER, SLIP STITCH TO RIGHT NEEDLE, REMOVE MARKER, RETURN SLIPPED ST BACK TO LEFT NEEDLE, PLACE MARKER. THIS INDICATES NEW BEGINNING OF ROUND.

BREAK YARN LEAVING A 5" TAIL. USING TAPESTRY NEEDLE, THREAD YARN TAIL THROUGH REMAINING STITCHES AND PULL SNUGLY TO CLOSE TOP. WEAVE IN ALL ENDS ON WS.

#### **BLOCKING:**

FILL SINK WITH LUKEWARM WATER AND A DASH OF YOUR FAVORITE WOOLWASH. IMMERSE COMPLETED HAT IN WATER AND GENTLY SQUEEZE TO RELEASE EXCESS AIR. SOAK HAT FOR 10-15 MINUTES. REMOVE HAT AND GENTLY SQUEEZE OUT EXCESS WATER (DO NOT WRING OR TWIST WORK). ROLL IN A DRY TOWEL AND APPLY PRESSURE FOR FURTHER DRYING. BLOCK HAT OVER INFLATED BALLOON OR MEDIUM SALAD BOWL SO LACE PATTERN IS SLIGHTLY STRETCHED (DO NOT BLOCK SEVERELY), BEING SURE NOT TO STRETCH RIBBED BRIM. AIR DRY. WEAR PROUDLY!





# POROM CHARTS

WORK ALL CHARTS FROM R TO L. HAT IS KNIT IN THE ROUND ON CIRCULAR NEEDLES - ALL ROUNDS ARE SHOWN ON RS. MARKER PLACEMENT WILL CHANGE AT THE END OF ALL ODD ROUNDS (EXCEPT ROUND 17) OF CHART B (SEE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS FOR DETAILS)

## CHART A

	5	4	3	2	1	
	—	—		○	/	4
	—	—				3
	—	—	\	○		2
	—	—				1

## LEGEND

□	knit
—	purl
/	k2tog
○	yo
⌋	k3tog tbl
■	No Stitch
\	ssk
⌈	k3tog
⌋	sl1 k2tog pssso

CHART A IS A 5-STITCH MOTIF THAT REPEATS ITSELF 32 TIMES ON EVERY ROUND FOR A TOTAL OF 160 STS PER ROUND.

## CHART B

20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
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CHART B REPEATS ITSELF 8 TIMES ON EVERY ROUND, BEGINNING WITH A TOTAL OF 160 STS AT OUTSET OF ROUND 1, AND ENDING WITH 16 STS AFTER COMPLETION OF ROUND 18.

