

Vivienne beanie

Cable knitted hat pattern by Sari Nordlund



#VivienneBeanie

The Vivienne beanie has a long ribbed brim and an all over cable pattern. The cable pattern matches my popular Vivienne tee and pullover patterns.

The Vivienne beanie is started with a tubular cast on, which makes the cast on edge neat and stretchy, although instructions are provided for the long tail cast on method as well. The cable pattern is both charted and written.

Size

One size

For head circumferences of 54–58 cm / 21–23 inches

Finished circumference: 54 cm / 21 inches

Length with brim folded double: 25.5 cm / 10 inches

Yarn

Note: The pattern uses a strand of fingering weight yarn held together with a strand of lace weight yarn, but they can be substituted for a single strand of DK weight yarn. If you wish to work a DK weight version, follow only the yarn amount requirements for the fingering weight yarn.

220 m / 240 yards of fingering weight yarn and 220 m / 240 yards of lace weight yarn.

Sample: 1 skein of LaMiel Linden Fingering (100% merino; 400 m / 437 yards per 100 g), shown in colorway Gandalf and 1 skein of LaMiel Thyme Alpaca (74% suri alpaca, 26% silk; 300 m / 330 yards per 25 g), shown in colorway Je Ne Sais Quoi

Gauge

24 sts and 30 rounds = 10 cm / 4 inches over cable pattern on larger needles

Needles

Note: Always use the needle size that gets you the right gauge!

- 3 mm / US 2.5 circular needles with a cable of 40 cm / 16 inches for the brim
- 3.5 mm / US 4 circular needles with a cable of 40 cm / 16 inches for the main part
- 3.5 mm / US 4 double pointed needles or a circular needle with a cable suitable for small circumference knitting for the top of the hat
- cable needle in size 3.5 mm / US 4 (if using)

Notions

- waste yarn for the tubular cast on
- sewing needle
- pom pom maker (optional)



Instructions

BRIM

For the fingering and mohair version, use both yarns throughout the whole project. For DK weight version, use single strand of yarn.

Note: If you do not wish to work the Tubular Cast On, CO 124 sts with the main yarn using the Long Tail Cast On method and continue straight to 1x1 ribbing.

With the waste yarn, CO 62 sts on the smaller needles loosely using the Long Tail Cast On method. Join in the round being careful not to twist the ring of sts and pm for BOR. Break the waste yarn and attach main yarns to the work.

Tubular Round 1: *K1, yo; repeat from * until end. (124 sts on needles)

Tubular Round 2: *Sl1 wyib, p1; repeat from * until end.

Tubular Round 3: *K1, sl1 wyif; repeat from * until end. You can now undo the waste yarn from the cast on edge.

Ribbing Round: *K1, p1; repeat from * until end.

Continue working the ribbing, until the brim measures 15 cm / 6 inches from the CO edge or the desired length.

MAIN PART

Change to larger needles.

Start the cable pattern as established on the Main chart or follow the written instructions. The 31-stitch pattern repeats 4 times on each round. Work rounds 1-8 of the chart a total of 5 times.

SHAPING THE TOP

Work according to the Top decrease chart or follow the written pattern. The chart repeats 6 times in each round. At the end of the chart 32 stitches remain on needles.

Decrease Round: *K2tog; repeat from * until end. 16 sts remain.

Cut the yarns and thread them through the remaining stitches. Pull tight and secure the ends on the wrong side of the work.

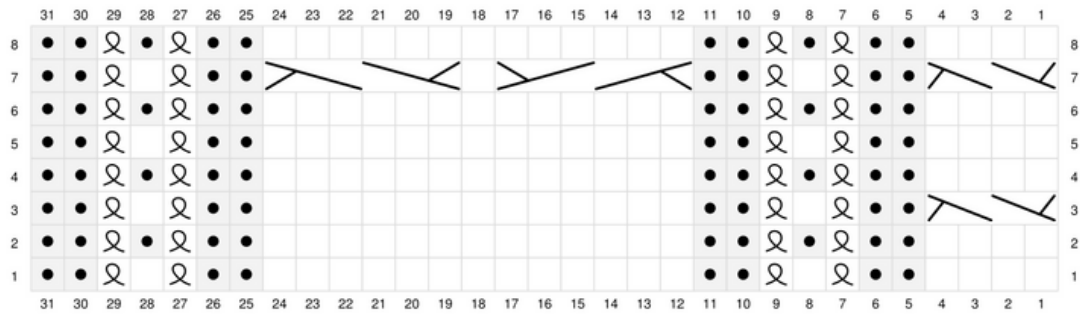
FINISHING

Weave in all remaining yarn ends. Wet block slightly or use the steam function on your iron. Optional: If you want you can attach a pom pom on the top of the hat.

Abbreviations

BOR	Beginning of the round
CO	Cast on
DPNs	Double pointed needles
k	Knit
k2tog	Knit 2 sts together
k3tog	Knit 3 sts together
p	Purl
pm	Place a marker
p2tog	Purl 2 sts together
sl	Slip
ssk	Slip, slip, knit the slipped sts together through the back loop
st(s)	Stitch(es)
wyib	With yarn in back
wyif	With yarn in front
yo	Yarn over
2/2 LC	2 over 2 left cable: slip 2 sts to cable needle at front, k2, k2 from cable needle.
2/2 RC	2 over 2 right cable: slip 2 st to cable needle at back, k2, k2 from cable needle.
3/3 LC	3 over 3 left cable: slip 3 sts to cable needle at front, k3, k3 from cable needle.
3/3 RC	3 over 3 right cable: slip 3 st to cable needle at back, k3, k3 from cable needle.

Main chart



WRITTEN PATTERN FOR THE MAIN CHART

Round 1: K4, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, k13, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 2: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 3: 2/2 LC, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, k13, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 4: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 5: K4, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, k13, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 6: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 7: 2/2 LC, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, 3/3 RC, k1, 3/3 LC, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 8: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.



Knit



Purl



K1 tbl



no stitch



Slip knitwise, slip knitwise, knit stitches together



K3tog



Knit 2 together



P2tog



2/2 LC



2/2 RC

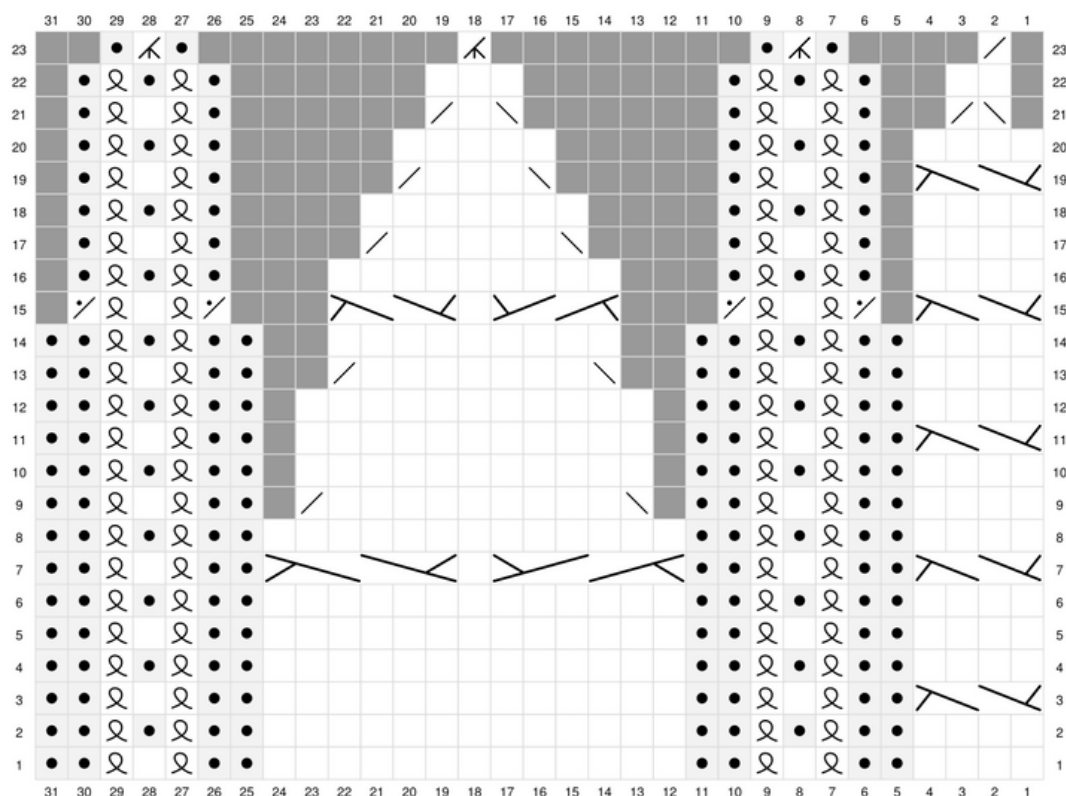


3/3 LC



3/3 RC

Top decrease chart



WRITTEN PATTERN FOR THE TOP DECREASE CHART

Round 1: K4, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, k13, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 2: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 3: 2/2 LC, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, k13, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 4: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 5: K4, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, k13, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 6: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 7: 2/2 LC, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, 3/3 RC, k1, 3/3 LC, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 8: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k13, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 9: K4, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, ssk, k9, k2tog, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 10: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k11, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 11: 2/2 LC, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, k11, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 12: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k11, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 13: K4, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2, ssk, k7, k2tog, p2, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2.

Round 14: K4, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2, k9, p1, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p2.

Round 15: 2/2 LC, p2tog, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2tog, 2/2 RC, k1, 2/2 LC, p2tog, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p2tog.

Round 16: K4, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1, k9, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1.

Round 17: K4, p1, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p1, ssk, k5, k2tog, p1, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p1.

Round 18: K4, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1, k7, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1.

Round 19: 2/2 LC, p1, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p1, ssk, k3, k2tog, p1, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p1.

Round 20: K4, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1, k5, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1.

Round 21: ssk, k2tog, p1, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p1, ssk, k1, k2tog, p1, k1 tbl, k1, k1 tbl, p1.

Round 22: K2, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1, k3, (p1, k1 tbl) x 2, p1.

Round 23: K2tog, p1, k3tog, p1, k3tog, p1, k3tog, p1.



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