

BENYUAN BEANIE



XIAOWEI ♥ DESIGN

Benyuan Beanie is matched with the Benyuan sweater, knitted in rib stitches.

Please read through the entire pattern before beginning.

SIZE

Head Circumference child: 34 cm or 13½ in.

Head Circumference adult: 42 cm or 16½ in.

The pattern is designed with a negative ease, you can adjust the number of stitches if you prefer.

MATERIAL

Yarn: approximately 90 meters or 98 yards of Bulky weight yarn for child version, approximately 128 meters or 140 yards for adult version.

The sample is knitted with Cardo (100% wool, Bulky, 100m/100g, colourway: Putty) of Manos del Uruguay.

Needles: 5mm/US8 circular needles. Adjust needle size to obtain the correct gauge.

Other: markers, tapestry needle.

GAUGE

18 sts and 13 rows = 10cm/4'' in stockinette stitch, washed and blocked.

ABBREIATIONS

1/1 rib st: *K1, p1* repeat ** to end of row.

BO: bind off

CO: cast on

K: knit

K2tog: knit 2 stitches together

m: marker

pm: place marker

rep: repeat

rnd(s): round(s)

st(s): stitch(es)

St st: stockinette stitch

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INSTRUCTIONS

CO 78 (64) sts with the method Elastic Cast On for 1/1 Rib, see *tutorial* on <https://xiaowei-design.com/blog/montage-elastique-pour-cotes-1-1/>, pm (the beginning of the rnd). Join in the rnd.

Work 18 (15) rnds en in 1/1 rib sts.

Rnd1: K to end.

Rnd2: *K1, P1*, rep ** to end.

Rnd3: *K1, P1*, rép ** to end.

Rep Rnd1 to Rnd3 11 (8) times more.

Next rnd: rep K2tog to end.

You now have 39 (32) sts in total.

ADULT VERSION ONLY

Work 2 rnds in St st.

Next rnd: ep K2tog to last 1, K1.

You now have 20 sts in total.

TWO VERSIONS

Work 2 rnds in St st.

Next rnd: ep K2tog to end.

You now have 10 (16) sts in total.

Work 1 rnd in St st.

Cut yarn, leaving a 10 cm tail. Draw the yarn tail through the remaining live stitches and pull taut closing the hole.