

# shiri designs



## BASIC STRIPED HAT

### SIZES

Baby, Child, Adult

**Brim:** 14", 17", 20" (35.5, 43, 51 cm)

All sizes are flexible and stretchy.

### MATERIALS

- 70, 85, 100 yds (64, 78, 91 m) of heavy worsted weight yarn in main color (A)
- 30, 40, 50 yds (27, 37, 46 m) in contrasting color (B)
- 16" (40.5 cm) circular knitting needle size US 8 (5mm) *or size to obtain gauge*
- Double pointed needles in the same size

- Stitch markers
- Darning needle

Shown here in Lion Brand Yarn's "Vanna's Choice" in color #158 Mustard and #126 Chocolate

### GAUGE

16-17 sts = 4" (10 cm) in stockinette st

## HAT

Using color A and circular needle, cast on 56 (68, 80) sts. Join round, being careful not to twist cast-on edge, and mark 1<sup>st</sup> st.

**Rnd 1:** \* K2, p2; rep from \* around.  
Rep this rnd 5 more times.

## Work Stripe Pattern

Change to color B, and knit 6 rnds.  
Change to color A, and knit 2 rnds.  
Change to color B, and knit 4 rnds.  
Change to color A, and knit 2 rnds.  
Change to color B, and knit 2 rnds.  
Change to color A, and knit 2, 6, 10 rnds.

## Shape Crown

Work crown decreases as follows, slipping all sts onto double pointed needles when work begins to feel too tight.

### Next 4 rnds:

**Rnd 1:** \* K12, 15, 18, k2tog; rep from \* 3 more times.

**Rnd 2:** \* K11, 14, 17, k2tog; rep from \* 3 more times.

**Rnd 3:** \* K10, 13, 16, k2tog; rep from \* 3 more times.

**Rnd 4:** \* K9, 12, 15, k2tog; rep from \* 3 more times.

Continue in this manner, decreasing 4 sts each rnd, until there are 8 sts left in total.

Knit evenly on these 8 sts for 3.5" (9cm) to form a cord.

## FINISHING

Cut yarn, leaving a long tail.

Use a darning needle to slide tail through all open sts. Pull tight.

Weave in all loose ends on inside of hat.

Tie cord into a knot.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**beg** – begin(ning)

**k** – knit

**k2tog** – knit 2 stitches together

**p** – purl

**pm** – place marker on needle

**rep** – repeat

**rnd** – round

**st** – stitch

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