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**SIZE** small

**RATING** easy crochet

### MEASUREMENTS

Small to fit Head: 56 cm

Large to fit head: 59 cm

### TENSION

This Beret has been designed at a tension of 14 tr and 8.5 rows to 10cm over tr fabric, using 5.00mm hook.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**alt** = alternate; **cm** = centimetres; **fol** = follows, following; **K** = knit; **O** = (zero) - no sts, times or rows; **P** = purl; **rem** = remain/ing; **rep** = repeat; **st/s** = stitch/es; **stocking st** = knit right side rows, purl wrong side rows; **tog** = together.

**Turning Chain** = one, or more chains, depending upon the length of stitch required, worked at the beginning of a row.

### BERET

Using 5.00mm hook and C1, make 5ch and join with a sl st to form a ring.

*NOTE Always count turning ch as 1tr.*

**1st Round** 3ch, 13tr in ring, sl st in 3rd ch at beg... 14tr.

**2nd Round** 3ch, 1tr in same place as sl st, 2tr in each tr to end, sl st in 3rd ch at beg ... 28tr.

**3rd Round** 3ch, 1tr in same place as sl st, 1tr in next tr, \* 2tr in next tr, 1tr in next tr, rep from \* to end, sl st in 3rd ch at beg ... 42tr.

### MATERIALS

**Main colour (MC)** 2x Cleckheaton Country 8ply 0006 (black)

**1st Contrast (C1)** 1x Cleckheaton Country 8ply 2160 (purple)

**2nd Contrast (C2)** Cleckheaton Country 8ply 1872 (red) small quantity

**3rd contrast (C3)** Cleckheaton Country Prints 8ply 3 (red-dish) small quantity

5.00mm crochet hook or THE REQUIRED SIZE TO GIVE CORRECT TENSION; wool needle for sewing in ends.

*NOTE: When changing colour, work last lp of previous st in new colour.*

### Change to MC.

**4th Round** 3ch, 1tr in same place as sl st, 1tr in each of next 2tr, \* 2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 2tr, rep from \* to end, sl st in 3rd ch at beg... 56tr.

**5th Round** 3ch, 1tr in same place as sl st, 1tr in each of next 3tr, \* 2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 3tr, rep from \* to end, sl st in 3rd ch at beg... 70tr.

**6th Round** 3ch, 1tr in same place as sl st, 1tr in each of next 4tr, \* 2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 4tr, rep from \* to end, sl st in 3rd ch at beg ... 84tr.

**Cont** inc in this manner until beret measures approx 25 (28) cm across.

- CONTINUED OVERLEAF -



**Beg Dec:**

**1st Round** Using C2, 3ch, \* miss 2tr, 1tr in sp before next tr, rep from \* to last 2tr, miss 2tr, sl st in 3rd ch at beg.

**2nd Round** Using C1, 3ch, \* miss 1tr, 1tr in sp before next tr, rep from \* to last tr, miss 1tr, sl st in 3rd ch at beg.

**Using MC, rep 2nd round.**

**4th Round** Using MC, 3ch, \* miss 2tr, 1tr in sp before next tr, (miss 1tr, 1tr in sp before next tr) 5 times, rep from \* to end, sl st in 3rd ch at beg.

**Rep 4th round 2 (3) times.**

**Try on beret** - if too loose, work 4th round once more. If too tight, undo last round.

**Change to C3 and rep 2nd round twice.**

**Change to C1 and rep 2nd round once.**

**Change to MC and rep 2nd round once.**

**Fasten off.**

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<b>Performers</b>	Annie Byron Paula Delaney Nazarski
<b>Composer</b>	Brett Collery
<b>Set Designer</b>	Simone Romaniuk
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