

## Purl and Rib Stitch Hat, designed by Ms Yarn (Catherine)

You only need to know how to knit and purl to make this hat. It comes with a [step by step video](#) too! I've used a 46 peg extra large gauge Martha Stewart loom for the instructions and tutorial, but you can adapt this pattern for a large gauge loom, like I've done with the 48 peg large gauge CinDWood loom. More photos are available on the [Ravelry page](#).



### Materials

- Wool Ease Thick and Quick in the colour Peacock (87 yd. / 80 m)
- 46 extra large gauge  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch Martha Stewart loom; other round looms will work well, see Ravelry for photos of hat made on 48 peg large gauge  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch CindWood loom
- Hook
- Scissors
- Yarn needle
- Stitch markers or loom markers

### Finished size

- Circumference of body of hat when lying flat: 16 inches or 40 centimetres
- Circumference of rib brim when lying flat: 14 inches or 36 centimetres
- Length: 10.5 inches or 27 centimetres

### Gauge

- 11 stitches and 17 rows for 4 inches or 10 centimetres of the purl and rib stitch pattern

### Instructions

[Link to YouTube video.](#)

### Mark loom

You might find it helpful to mark:

- Peg 1
- Either knit stitches or purl stitches; this may help you with several rows of the rib stitch
- Sets of four pegs; this may help you with the crown decrease

## Cast on

Do a round of e-wraps, then alternate e-wraps and purl stitches.

## Brim

Round 1: E-wrap Knit 1, Purl 1. Repeat.

Repeat Round 1 a total of 8 times to complete the brim.

## Body

Round 9: Purl entire round.

Rounds 10 and 11: E-wrap Knit 1, Purl 1. Repeat.

Repeat this three-row repeat until you have completed Round 36 which is a Purl row. You can finish earlier on another Purl row if you want your hat to be shorter in height, such as Round 33, or even Round 30. The decrease will add 2 inches to the top of your hat.

## First crown decrease

Divide your loom into sets of 4 pegs for the decrease. It's OK if your loom is not a perfect multiple of 4. Follow the instructions as applicable.

You want to go from 46 stitches to 35 stitches.

### Round 37

- E-wrap knit on peg 1
- Purl on peg 2
- Move stitch from peg 4 to peg 3
- E-wrap knit on peg 3. You will knit over both bottom loops.

### Round 38

- E-wrap knit on peg 1
- Purl on peg 2
- E-wrap knit on peg 3

## Second crown decrease

You want to go from 34 stitches to 23 stitches.

### Round 39

- Move stitch on peg 2 to peg 1
- E-wrap knit on peg 1; knit over both bottom loops
- E-wrap knit on peg 3

### Round 40

- E-wrap knit on peg 1
- E-wrap knit on peg 3

## Bind off

Use the gather bind off method. First wrap loom once with working yarn and cut it off. Then pull yarn up each peg. Pull to gather. Weave in ends.

## Knitting chart

This knitting chart shows the stitches for your first 4 pegs only – no room for the whole chart.

	Bind off	Bind off	Bind off	Bind off	
<-----	skip	k	skip	k	40
<-----	skip	k	move 2 to 1	ssk	39
<-----	skip	k	<b>p</b>	k	38
<-----	move 4 to 3	ssk	<b>p</b>	k	37
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	36
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	35
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	34
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	33
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	32
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	31
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	30
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	29
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	28
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	27
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	26
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	25
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	24
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	23
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	22
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	21

<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	20
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	19
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	18
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	17
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	16
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	15
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	14
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	13
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	12
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	11
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	10
<-----	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	<b>p</b>	9
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	8
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	7
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	6
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	5
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	4
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	3
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	2
<-----	<b>p</b>	k	<b>p</b>	k	1
<-----	cast on	cast on	cast on	cast on	
	peg 4	peg 3	peg 2	peg 1	

**Done!**

If you make this hat, please consider sharing it on Instagram #msyarn and tagging me @hellomsyarn.

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