



Dear Amsterdam

knit and crochet inspired by the city of bicycles



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Hertenvos

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Hertenvos is a playful quick-to-knit hat. Two pointy earflaps are made double sided so they can be worn down or up like a sly fox. Simple stranding in the body of the hat creates spots that will make you feel like a baby deer. Choose a chunky yarn and enjoy the speedy knitting.



Materials

Sizes: One Size

Finished Measurements:
23" / 58cm circumference.
Hat is designed to fit casually on an average 22-24"/56-61cm circumference head.

Yarn:
Super Bulky

Yardage:

Color A - 130yds / 119m

Color B - 35yds / 32m

Shown in:

Schoppel Wolle XL (100% Merino; 72yds / 66m per 100g skein)

Color A - 8295

Color B - 980

Needles:

47" US 11 / 8mm circular

47" US 13 / 9mm circular

Circular needles are used with the magic loop technique.

Notions:

1 stitch marker, tapestry needle

Gauge:

10 sts & 24 rows = 4" / 10cm in garter stitch



Abbreviations

CO: cast on

k: knit

k2tog: knit two together

p: purl

rnd/s: round/s

RS: right side

sl: slip

ssk: slip slip knit

st/s: stitch/es

w&t: (wrap and turn) Bring yarn to front as if you are about to purl, slip one stitch purl-wise. Turn work to other side. Strand of yarn is now in back of work. Bring yarn to the front, slip one stitch back to right needle. Continue to knit or purl the next stitch as instructed. **WS:** wrong side

wyif: with yarn in front

xAB: cross color A strand over color B

xBA: cross color B strand over color A



Instructions

Earflaps (make 2):

Using A and US 9 [11] / 5.5 [8]mm needles, CO 2 sts.

Next Row (WS): K2.

Row 1 (RS): Kfb, sl1 wyif. 3 sts.

Row 2 (WS): Kfb, k1, sl1 wyif. 4 sts.

Row 3 (RS): K3, sl1 wyif.

Row 4 (WS): K3, sl1 wyif.

Row 5 (RS): Kfb, k2, sl1 wyif. 5 sts.

Row 6 (WS): Kfb, k3, sl1 wyif. 6 sts.

Row 7 (RS): K5, sl1 wyif.

Row 8 (WS): K5, sl1 wyif.

Row 9 (RS): Kfb, k4, sl1 wyif. 7 sts.

Row 10 (WS): Kfb, k5, sl1 wyif. 8 sts.

Row 11 (RS): K3. Using B, k2. Using new strand of A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Row 12 (WS): K3, xAB. Using B, p2, xBA. Using A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Row 13 (RS): Kfb, k1, xAB. Using B, k to last 2 sts, xBA. Using A, k1, sl1 wyif.

Row 14 (WS): Kfb, k1, xAB. Using B, p to last 3 sts, xBA. Using A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Row 15 (RS): K3, xAB. Using B, k to last 3 sts, xBA. Using A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Row 16 (WS): K3, xAB. Using B, p to last 3 sts, xBA. Using A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Repeat last 4 rows 3 more times. 16 sts.

Row 29 (RS): K1, ssk, k1, xAB. Using B, k to last 4 sts, xBA. Using A, k1, k2tog, sl1 wyif.

Row 30 (WS): K3, xAB. Using B, p to last 3 sts, xBA. Using A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Row 31 (RS): K3, xAB. Using B, k to last 3 sts, xBA. Using A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Row 32 (WS): K3, xAB. Using B, p to last 3 sts, xBA. Using A, k2, sl1 wyif.

Repeat last 4 rows twice more. Then, repeat Rows 29 & 30 once more. 8 sts. Break color B and second strand of color A.

Rows 43 & 44: K7, sl1 wyif

Row 45 (RS): K1, ssk, k2, k2tog, sl1 wyif. 6 sts.

Rows 46-48: K5, sl1 wyif.

Row 49 (RS): K1, ssk, k2tog, sl1 wyif. 4 sts.

Rows 50-52: K3, sl1 wyif.

Row 53 (RS): Ssk, k2tog. Break yarn and pull strand through remaining 2 sts.

Make the second earflap.

Body

Using A and US 11 / 8mm needles, pick up and k14 sts across middle row earflap with RS facing, CO 12 sts using the cable CO method, pick up and k14 sts across middle row of second earflap, CO 24 sts using the cable CO method. Place marker and join to work in the rnd. 64 sts.

Set Up Rnd: P all sts.

Rnd 1: K all sts.

Rnd 2: P all sts.

Rnd 3: K26, w&t.

Next Row (WS): K12, w&t.

Next Row (RS): K to end of rnd knitting wrap together with wrapped stitch.

Rnd 4: P all sts.

Rnd 5: K28, w&t.

Next Row (WS): K16, w&t.

Next Row (RS): K to end of rnd knitting wrap together with wrapped stitch.

Rnd 6: P all sts.

Rnd 7: K30, w&t.

Next Row (WS): K20, w&t.

Next Row (RS): K to end of rnd knitting wrap together with wrapped stitch.

Rnd 8: P all sts.

Rnd 9: K32, w&t.

Next Row (WS): K24, w&t.

Next Row (RS): K to end of rnd knitting wrap together with wrapped stitch.

Rnd 10: P all sts.

Rnd 9: K34, w&t.

Next Row (WS): K28, w&t.

Next Row (RS): K to end of rnd knitting wrap together with wrapped stitch.

Rnd 10: P all sts.

Rnd 11: K36, w&t.

Next Row (WS): K32, w&t.

Next Row (RS): K to end of rnd knitting wrap together with wrapped stitch.

Rnd 12: P all sts.

Switch to US 13 / 9mm needles.

Rnd 13: (K3 with A, k1 with B) to end of rnd.

Rnd 14: K all sts with A.

Rnd 15: (K1 with A, k1 with B, k2 with A) to end of rnd.

Rnd 16: K all sts with A.

Repeat last 4 rows twice more.

Rnd 25: (K3 with A, k1 with B, k2, k2tog with A) to end of rnd. 56 sts.

Rnd 26 and all even numbered rnds: K all sts with A.

Rnd 27: (K1 with A, k1 with B, k3, k2tog with A) to end of rnd. 48 sts.

Rnd 29: (K3 with A, k1 with B, k2tog with A) to end of rnd. 40 sts.

Rnd 31: (K1 with A, k1 with B, k1, k2tog with A) to end of rnd. Break color B. 32 sts.

Rnd 33: (K2, k2tog with A) to end of rnd. 24 sts.

Rnd 35: (K1, k2tog) to end of rnd. 16 sts.

Rnd 37: K2tog to end of rnd. 8 sts.

Rnd 39: K2tog to end of rnd. 4 sts.

Finishing

Break yarn and pull strand through remaining 4 sts. Weave in ends and seam outside edges of earflaps closed. Sew a tassel or pom pom to top of hat with color B.



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