## **SnowFlake Hat**

Size 8 circular needle, you could also use straight needles for this pattern. You would need to purl the odd rows starting with row 7.

1 skein worsted weight Sugar and Cream all cotton yarn (3 oz)

~ 1oz - contrasting color yarn for snowflake

Choose Pattern 1 or Pattern 2 to follow. Cast on 100 stitches.

Hint: I use a 4-5 inch of scrap yarn with a slip knot tied in it to mark the beginning of the row instead of buying a row marker.

Row 1-6 (ribbing): knit 1, purl 1 across the row to create ribbing.

Row 7-11: Knit across row.

Row 12: At the beginning of the row tie in you contrast color yarn to the main color. The patterns below expect you to carry the yarns together. To accomplish this, I usually pull the yarn that I am not working with over the working yarn every 3<sup>rd</sup> stitch, then work the next stitch catching the 2<sup>nd</sup> strand of yarn against the work. This prevents you from creating large unmanageable loops of yarn inside the hat. (see photo) Depending on the pattern you chose, repeat the pattern five times across the row carrying both stands as you go. The X's on the



pattern indicates a knit stitch in your contrasting color. A blank square indicates a knit stitch using your main color.



Row 13-27 Knit as per chart below repeating the pattern 5 times across the row. Pattern 1 completes at row 22, knit in main color only for rows 22-27. Pattern 2 completes at row 27.

Rows 28, 29 knit

Row 30:\* knit 10, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 92 stitches

Row 31: knit

Row 32: \* knit 9, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 84 stitches

Row 33: knit

Row 34: \* knit 8, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 76 stitches

Row 35: knit

Row 36: \* knit 7, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 68 stitches

Row 37: knit

Row 38: \* knit 6, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 60 stitches Row 39: knit

Row 40: \* knit 5, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 52 stitches

Row 41: knit

Row 42: \* knit 4, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 44 stitches

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Row 43: knit

Row 44: \* knit 3, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 36 stitches

Row 45: knit

Row 46: \* knit 2, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 27 stitches

Row 47: knit

Row 48: \* knit 1, knit 2 together; repeat from \* across row, 18 stitches

Row 49: knit 2 together across row, 9 stitches

Cut yarn ~4 inches from the hat. With a yarn needle thread remaining stitches through the end yarn twice. Turn hat inside out and weave in remaining end. Weave in any loose ends.

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