

## Leftovers Striped Hat in 2 sizes

(Circular knit, rolled brim)

Pull out your size 9 or 10, 16 inch circular needle, grab about 3 balls of leftover yarn and with your first color cast on 60 (70) stitches. To prevent having to weave in that starting yarn tail when you are done, carry it with the working yarn when knitting your first row. Being a rolled brim hat you will never know it's there!

Knit every row with this first color for about 3 inches (about 18 rows). Change to color # 2 and work about 12 rows. Then with the last color work about 8 rows and begin decreases as follows.

(At this point I added back in my first color for the finish. You may continue with that 3<sup>rd</sup> color)

### Decreases:

Place a marker after each 10 stitches around the hat.

**Row 1:** Knit to within 2 stitches of each marker, knit 2 stitches together.

**Row 2 and all even numbered rows:** Knit.

**Row 3 and each uneven numbered rows:** Same as row 1.

When stitch count reaches 6 (7) remaining, cut yarn, draw tail through remaining stitches, weave in all ends.

### OR:

Knit 2 together 3 times (on larger hat knit 2 together, knit remaining stitch). With these stitches work I-cord to desired length.

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