

# Trekking

by Woolly Wormhead



This is a Hat *inspired* by Scotty's Hat from the recent Star Trek movie. The '[Nerdy Knitters](#)' Ravelry group asked me to help them create a Hat, and this is what I came up with.

Although the Hat in the film appears to be constructed from alternate panels of vertical and sideways garter stitch, this pattern isn't a true Scotty's Hat - instead it is a Hat *similar* in style, and ideal for those not keen on short rows or seaming.

For a version with sideways garter stitch and short row shaping try '[Scotty's Hat](#)' by Nicole Lorenz.

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## Materials:

200g/436yds/399m Rowan RYC Silk Wool DK (50% Merino, 50% Silk)

4mm DPN's or size needed to obtain gauge

Tapestry needle

Stitch markers as necessary

## Gauge:

20 sts 10cm/4" on 4mm needles over St.St

## Sizes:

To fit size: S (M, L), 17, (20, 23) inches, 43 (51, 58) cm

Finished size: 13.5 (16.75, 20) inches, 34.5 (42.5, 51) cm

## Abbreviations:

- K – knit  
P – purl  
K2tog – knit next 2 sts together  
ssk – slip next 2 sts knitwise, then knit these 2 sts together

## How to:

Cast on 68 [84, 100] sts  
Join in the round, being careful not to twist sts.  
Place stitch marker to indicate start of round.

## Body:

*Rnd 1:* \*K17 [21, 25], [K1, P1](8, 10, 12) times, K1; rpt from \* to end  
*Rnd 2:* \*P17 [21, 25], [K1, P1](8, 10, 12) times, K1; rpt from \* to end

These 2 rnds form the pattern for the main body.  
Work in pattern until the body of the Hat measures approx. 18 [19, 20] inches/ 45.5 [48, 51] cm (or desired length) ending after a 1<sup>st</sup> rnd.

## Crown shaping:

*Small size jump to rnd 9, Medium size jump to rnd 5, Large size start at rnd 1.*

*Rnd 1:* \*P25, ssk [K1, P1] 10 times, K1, K2tog [96 sts]  
*Rnd 2:* \*ssk, K21, K2tog, K1, [K1, P1] 10 times, K2; rpt from \* to end [92 sts]  
*Rnd 3:* \*P23, ssk, P1, [K1, P1] 9 times, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [88 sts]  
*Rnd 4:* \*ssk, K19, K2tog, [K1, P1] 10 times, K1; rpt from \* to end [84 sts]  
*Rnd 5:* \*P21, ssk [K1, P1] 8 times, K1, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [80 sts]

*Rnd 6:* \*ssk, K17, K2tog, K1 [K1, P1] 8 times, K2, rpt from \* to end [76 sts]  
*Rnd 7:* \*P19, ssk, P1, [K1, P1] 7 times, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [72 sts]  
*Rnd 8:* \*ssk, K15, K2tog [K1, P1] 8 times, K1; rpt from \* to end [68 sts]  
*Rnd 9:* \*P17, ssk [K1, P1] 6 times, K1, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [64 sts]  
*Rnd 10:* \*ssk, K13, K2tog, K1, [K1, P1] 6 times, K2; rpt from \* to end [60 sts]  
*Rnd 11:* \*P15, ssk, P1, [K1, P1] 5 times, K2tog;

rpt from \* to end [56 sts]  
*Rnd 12:* \*ssk, K11, K2tog, [K1, P1] 6 times, K1; rpt from \* to end [52 sts]  
*Rnd 13:* \*P13, ssk [K1, P1] 4 times, K1, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [48 sts]  
*Rnd 14:* \*ssk, K9, K2tog, K1, [K1, P1] 4 times, K2; rpt from \* to end [44 sts]  
*Rnd 15:* \*P11, ssk, P1, [K1, P1] 3 times, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [40 sts]  
*Rnd 16:* \*ssk, K7, K2tog, [K1, P1] 4 times, K1; rpt from \* to end [36 sts]  
*Rnd 17:* \*P9, ssk, [K1, P1] 2 times, K1, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [32 sts]

*Rnd 18:* \*ssk, K5, K2tog, K1, [K1, P1] 2 times, K2; rpt from \* to end [28 sts]  
*Rnd 19:* \*P7, ssk, P1, K1, P1, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [24 sts]  
*Rnd 20:* \*ssk, K3, K2tog, [K1, P1] 2 times, K1; rpt from \* to end [20 sts]  
*Rnd 21:* \*P5, ssk, K1, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [16 sts]  
*Rnd 22:* \*ssk, K1, K2tog, K3; rpt from \* to end [12 sts]  
*Rnd 23:* \*ssk, K2, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [8 sts]  
*Rnd 24:* \*ssk, K2tog; rpt from \* to end [4 sts]

Break yarn and thread through remaining 4 sts and tighten to close.

## Finishing:

Weave in all ends. This Hat doesn't need blocking, but if you wish block lightly. Put on your Hat and start talking geek speak with a light Scottish accent.

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