

## “Little Bunny Ears”

Original worked with Kraemer’s Perfection DK  
My gauge on #5 needles was 4.5sts / inch.

I came up with this simple design for the **Click for Babies** hat knitting event.

Cast on 56 (64) sts onto double point needles or circular needle. Join being careful not to twist and knit around for approximately 4 ½ - 5 (5 ½ - 6) inches.

Begin top shaping as follows:

Round 1: K5, K2tog (K6, K2tog), repeat around.

Round 2 and all even number rounds: Knit

Round 3: K4, K2tog (K5, K2tog), repeat around.

Round 5: K3, K2tog (K4, K2tog), repeat around.

Round 7: K2, K2tog (K3, K2tog) repeat around.

Round 9: K1, K2tog (K2, K2tog), repeat around.

Round 11: K2tog (K1, K2tog), repeat around.

For larger size only Round 12: Knit

Round 13: K2tog, repeat around.

“Ears” You now have 8 stitches on your needles. Work I-cord\* on the first 4 stitches and a double point needle for about 3”, break yarn, run through the 4 loops with a blunt needle and then weave in yarn tail. Repeat with the remaining 4 stitches. Tie I-cord with a square knot. Weave in tail at beginning of knitting.

\*To work I-cord knit first 4 stitches, do not turn work and knit these 4 stitches again, bringing the yarn from behind the stitches, pulling a little snug to keep from laddering behind. Continue to knit these stitches in this way.

