

Nuts to You!



Knit Picks Palette 100% Peruvian Highland Wool, 231 yards/50 grams

One skein each dark colors: Clove Heather, Rooibos Heather, Merlot Heather and Brindle Heather

One skein each light colors: Turmeric, Cornmeal, Custard, and Oyster Heather

US No. 3 Circular Needles and /or set of DPNs or size necessary to achieve gauge

Gauge: 30 stitches to 4 inches and 30 rows to 4 inches

Cast on 168 stitches using Clove Heather

Knit 2 rows 2 X 2 rib in Clove Heather

Add Turmeric Knit 5 rows 2 X 2 rib with knit stitches using Clove Heather and purl stitches using Turmeric.

Add Cornmeal Knit 4 rows 2 X 2 rib with knit stitches using Clove Heather and purl stitches using Cornmeal.

Add Custard Knit 3 rows 2 X 2 rib with knit stitches using Clove Heather and purl stitches using Custard.

Add Cornmeal Knit 4 rows 2 X 2 rib with knit stitches using Clove Heather and purl stitches using Cornmeal.

Add Turmeric Knit 5 rows 2 X 2 rib with knit stitches using Clove Heather and purl stitches using Turmeric.

Knit 1 row 2 X 2 rib in Clove Heather

Begin charted pattern A and work each row 4 times around so as to get 4 sets of squirrels side by side

At row 1 continue with Clove Heather and Cornmeal Knit as charted through row 7.

Color changes are listed on charts.

Chart A

	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
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7							\	/							7
6							\	/							6
5							\	/							5 Custard
4							\	/							4
3							\	/							3
2							\	/							2
1							\	/							1 Oyster Heather and Clove Heather
	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	

On the 14th row of the chart, you will only have Clove Heather (the dark yarn) left.

After completing Chart B you will have 12 stitches on your needle.



K2tog (6 times) – 6 stitches on needle.

Break yarn leaving a 12-inch tail. Using a yarn needle, thread yarn tail through remaining 6 sts and pull yarn tight to close top of hat. Weave in ends.

Notes: These directions are written as I made the pattern. However, there are certain things that I would have done different.

I would have used a smaller needle on the ribbing. (I used a 3 – I would use a 2 if I did it again)

I would have made a shorter section of ribbing. (I would cut the number of rows of each color in half or there about)

Please contact me if you have any problems with the pattern. If you find an error, please let me know by commenting.

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