

QD167. STRAWBERRY FIELDS LADY'S BEANIE FINAL

e EASY

What you'll need

- 'Abbey Road' Strawberry Fields 2 x 50g balls.
- 1 pair each 7mm and 8mm knitting needles or size required for correct tension
- Scissors, yarn needle, tape measure

MEASUREMENTS		
To Fit Head (approx)	cm	56

Tension

11sts and 14 rows to 10cm over stocking st using 8mm needles, or size required to give correct tension.

BEANIE

Using 7mm needles, cast on 43 sts loosely.

Beg Rib

1st row (WS when brim is turned back) - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end. Last 2 rows form rib.

Cont in rib until work measures 15cm from beg, ending with a 1st row.

Change to 8mm needles.

Work in stocking st, beg with a knit row, until work measures 30cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row (RS) - * K2, inc in next st, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 57 sts.

Work 7 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Shape Crown

1st row - K1, * K2tog, K3, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 46 sts.

2nd row - Purl.

3rd row - K1, * K2tog, K2, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 35 sts.

4th row - Purl.

5th row - K1, * K2tog, K1, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 24 sts.

6th row - Purl.

7th row - K1, * K2tog, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 13 sts.

8th row - P1, (P2tog) 6 times ... 7 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Thread yarn through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using mattress st, join side edges tog to form centre back seam, reversing seam for 15cm of rib rows from lower edge for brim. Turn back brim.

