

# TOBOGGAN SLOUCHY HAT

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# Classic Elite Yarns

## TOBOGGAN

Merino • Superfine Alpaca

Toboggan is a blend of merino wool and superfine alpaca twisted into a soft, weighty skein of bulky yarn. The double ply and unbelievably soft hand contribute to buttery soft and lofty winter garments and accessories.

## SKILL LEVEL

Easy

## SIZES

Child L (Adult S/M, Adult L/XL)

Shown in size Adult S/M.

## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Circumference at rib: 17½ (20¼, 23¼)"

## YARN

**Toboggan** by **Classic Elite Yarns**

(70% merino, 30% superfine alpaca;

100 g = approx 87 yards)

All sizes: 2 hanks 6758 Garnet

## NEEDLES

Circular knitting needle (16") and double pointed needles (dpn) in size US 10½ (6.5 mm) **or size to obtain gauge.**

Circular knitting needle (16") in size US 10 (6 mm) for ribbing.

## OTHER MATERIALS

Stitch marker

## GAUGE

11 sts and 16 rnds = 4" in St st. **Take time to save time, check your gauge.**



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## ABBREVIATIONS

**approx:** approximately  
**beg:** begin(ning)  
**BOR:** beg of rnd  
**CO:** cast on  
**dec('d):** decrease(d)  
**inc('d):** increase(d)  
**k:** knit  
**k2tog:** knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)  
**LH:** left hand  
**m1: (make 1)** insert LH needle under horizontal strand between st just worked and next st, from the front to the back, knit through the back loop (1 st inc'd)  
**meas:** measures  
**p:** purl  
**pc:** piece  
**pm:** place marker  
**rep:** repeat  
**rnd(s):** round(s)  
**st(s):** stitch(es)  
**WS:** wrong side

## PATTERN STITCHES

**2 x 2 Rib** (multiple of 4 sts)

All rnds: \*P1, k2, p1; rep from \*.

**Stockinette Stitch (St st):** Knit all sts, every rnd.

## HAT

With smaller circular needle, CO 48 (56, 64) sts. Pm for BOR and join to work in the rnd being careful not to twist sts.

Work 6 rnds in 2 x 2 Rib.

(Knit 1 rnd, purl 1 rnd) twice.

**Inc rnd:** \*K2, m1; rep from \* – 72 (84, 96) sts; 24 (28, 32) sts inc'd.

Change to larger circular needle and work even in St st until pc meas 7½" from beg.

**Dec rnd:** Knit and dec 0 (4, 0) sts evenly around – 72 (80, 96) sts.

**Shape top:** Change to dpn when there are too few sts to fit around circular needle.

**Adult size L/XL only:**

**Dec rnd:** \*K10, k2tog; rep from \* – 88 sts.

Knit 1 rnd even.

**Dec rnd:** \*K9, k2tog; rep from \* – 80 sts.

Knit 1 rnd even.

**Adult sizes S/M (L/XL) only:**

**Dec rnd:** \*K8, k2tog; rep from \* – 72 sts.

Purl 1 rnd even.

**All sizes:**

**Dec rnd:** \*K7, k2tog; rep from \* – 64 sts.

Knit 1 rnd even.

**Dec rnd:** \*K6, k2tog; rep from \* – 56 sts.

Purl 1 rnd even.

**Dec rnd:** \*K5, k2tog; rep from \* – 48 sts.

Knit 1 rnd even.

**Dec rnd:** \*K4, k2tog; rep from \* – 40 sts.

Purl 1 rnd even.

**Dec rnd:** \*K3, k2tog; rep from \* – 32 sts.

Knit 1 rnd even.

**Dec rnd:** \*K2, k2tog; rep from \* – 24 sts.

**Dec rnd:** \*P1, P2tog; rep from \* – 16 sts.

**Dec rnd:** \*K2tog; rep from \* – 8 sts.

Break yarn leaving an 8" tail. Thread tail through all sts, pull up tightly and fasten off on WS.