

# Classic Elite Yarns

## Aspen Hat and Neck Tie



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**SIZES:** One Size

**Finished Measurements:**

**Hat**—18" circumference;

**Tie**—31¼" length

**MATERIALS:**

**Aspen** by **Classic Elite** (50% alpaca, 50% wool; 100 gram hank = approx 51 yards)

- 2 hanks 1503 Mogul

**Needles**

- One pair US size 17 (12.75 mm)

**Or size to obtain gauge**

- Stitch markers

**GAUGE:** 8 sts and 10 rows = 4" in Stockinette Stitch (St st). **Take time to save time, check your gauge**

**SPECIAL TERMS:**

**k2tog:** Knit 2 sts together (1 st decreased).

**k1-f/b:** Knit into the front loop, then the back loop of next st (1 st increased).

**ssk: (slip, slip, knit)** Slip 2 sts, 1 at a time, knitwise to the RH needle; return sts to LH needle in turned position and knit them together through the back loops (1 st decreased).

**p2tog:** Purl 2 sts together (1 st decreased).

**PATTERN STITCHES:**

**Seed Stitch: (multiple of 2 sts)**

Row 1: (RS) \*K1, p1; rep from \* to end.

Row 2: Knit the purl sts and purl the knit sts.

Rep Row 2 for Seed St.

**Stockinette Stitch (St st):** Knit on RS, purl on WS.

**NOTES:**

1. Work inc sts on Neck Tie as follows: (RS) K1, k1-f/b, work to last st, k1-f/b, k1.

2. Work dec sts on Neck Tie as follows: (RS) Ssk, work across to last 2 sts, k2tog.

**HAT**

CO 36 sts. (RS) **Begin Seed St;** work 6 rows even, end WS row. **Change to St st;** work 2 rows even, end WS row. **Shape Crown:** K1, \*place marker (pm), k2tog, k7, rep from \* 3 times, end k2tog, k6—32 sts rem. Work 1 row even. **Dec Row:** \*Work to marker, slip marker, k2tog; rep from \* across, work to end—4 sts dec'd. Work Dec Row EOR 4 more times—12 sts rem. Break yarn leaving 15" tail.

**FINISHING**

Thread tail through rem sts. Block piece to measurements. Pull tail tight. Sew side seam.



**NECK TIE**

CO 1 st. **Shape Leaf 1, inc:** (RS) K1-f/b—2 sts.

(WS) **Begin St st;** work 1 row even. Next Row:

(RS) [K1-f/b] 2 times—4 sts. Work 1 row even.

(RS) Beg this row, inc 1 st each side EOR 2

times—8 sts. Work even for 2 rows, end WS

row. **Shape Leaf 1, dec:** (RS) Beg this row,

dec 1 st each side EOR 2 times—4 sts rem.

**Change to Seed St;** work even for 20", end RS

row. **Change to St st;** work 1 row even. **Shape**

**Leaf 2, inc:** (RS) Beg this row, inc 1 st each

side EOR 2 times—8 sts. Work even for 2 rows,

end WS row. **Shape Leaf 2, dec:** (RS) Beg this

row, dec 1 st each side EOR 3 times—2 sts

rem, end on last dec row. Next Row: (WS)

P2tog—1 st rem. Fasten off.

**FINISHING:**

Block piece to measurements.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**approx**—approximately

**beg**—begin(ning)

**CO**—cast on

**dec('d)**—decrease(d)

**EOR**—every other row

**inc**—increase

**k**—knit

**k1-f/b**—see Special Terms

**k2tog**—see Special Terms

**LH**—left hand

**meas**—measures

**p**—purl

**pm**—place marker

**p2tog**—see Special Terms

**rem**—remain(ning)

**rep**—repeat

**RH**—right hand

**RS**—right side

**ssk**—see Special Terms

**st(s)**—stitch(es)

**St st**—Stockinette Stitch

**WS**—wrong side