



Brown Sheep Company, Inc.

## Lil' Sis/Big Sis Hats

Designed Exclusively for Brown Sheep Company by Lorna Miser

Pattern

FREE

**SIZES:** Kids (Adult)

**FINISHED SIZE:**

18" (20)" circumference

**GAUGE:** 14 sts and 12 rows = 4" on #10 needles in stockinette stitch

**MATERIALS:** 2 skeins Brown Sheep Shepherd's Shades (100% wool [131 yards/skein]). Shown in SS692 Tropical Turquoise (A) and SS653 Modest Magenta (B)

**NEEDLES:** Size 10 (6mm) needles, 16" circular, double pointed set **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

**NOTIONS:** Stitch markers

**NOTES:**

Adult size hat and coordinating cowl can be made using above yarn quantities. Begin hat using the circular needle and change to dpn when necessary, or knit the entire hat on dpns.



### HAT

#### Cuff

Using A, cast on 64 (72) sts. Join in the round being careful not to twist stitches. Place marker for beg of round.

Rnds 1 & 5: Using A purl.

Rnds 2 & 6: Using B knit.

Rnds 3 & 7: Using B purl.

Rnds 4 & 8: Using A knit.

Rnd 9: Using A purl.

#### Fairisle Section

Rnds 10-12: Using B knit.

Rnd 13: \*Using B k3, using A k1; rep from \* around.

Rnds 14-16: Using B knit.

Rnd 17: \*Using B k1, using A k1, using B k2; rep from \* around.

Rnds 18-20: Rep rnds 10-12. For small size cont to crown.

For large size rnds 21-24: Rep rnds 13-16.

#### Crown

Rnd 1 (decrease rnd): \*Using B k6, using A k2tog; rep from \* around.

Rnd 2: \*Using B k6, using A k1; rep from \* around.

Rnd 3: \*Using B k5, using A k2tog; rep from \* around.

Rnd 4: \*Using B k5, using A k1; rep from \* around.

Rnd 5: \*Using B k4, using A k2tog; rep from \* around.

Rnd 6: \*Using B k4, using A k1; rep from \* around.

Rnd 7: \*Using B k3, using A k2tog; rep from \* around.

Rnd 8: \*Using B k3, using A k1; rep from \* around.





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Rnd 9: \*Using B k2, using A k2tog; rep from \* around.

Rnd 10: \*Using B k2, using A k1; rep from \* around.

Rnd 11: \*Using B k1, using A k2tog; rep from \* around.

Rnd 12: \*Using B k1, using A k1; rep from \* around.

Rnd 13: Using A k2tog around.

Cut yarns and fasten off tightly.

### Earflaps

Place markers 10 sts on each side of beg of round.

Using A, pick up and knit 10 (12) sts beginning at marked st.

Rows 1, 3 & 5 (WS): K2, p 6 (8), k2.

Rows 2 & 4: Knit.

For Adult size only:

Rows 6 & 7: work rows 1 & 2.

Row 8: K1, ssk, k6, k2tog, k1.

Row 9: K2, p6, k2.

For both sizes:

Row 6 (10): K1, ssk, k4, k2tog, k1.

Row 7 (11): Knit.

Row 8 (12): K1, ssk, k2, k2tog, k1.

Row 9 (13): Knit.

Bind off.

### Finishing

Weave in ends. Block.