

# The Dickens Nightcap

Celebrating in Scrooge style!

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## The Verbiage:

K = knit

P = purl

K2tog = knit 2 sts together



## Yarns to Needles

**Suggested yarn size to needles:**

**Yarn: Worsted Weight**

**Yardage/Weight: Approx. 20 yards / 9-14 grams handspun per cap**

**Needle Size: US 4 / 3.5 mm dpns**

**Gauge: 6 sts/inch**

**Approximate Finished Size:  
3.5" tall x 7" round**

**Picot Edging:**

Cast on 33 sts and join in the round.

Rnd 1 - 4: K

Rnd 5: (K1, yo, K2tog), repeat around.

Rnd 6-7: K

Rnd 8: Knit live sts with cast on sts to form the lining/picot edging.

**Body:**

Rnd 1: K

Rnd 2: P

Rnd 3: K

Rnd 4: P

Rnd 5-11: K

Rnd 12: K 15, K2tog, K 16. (32 sts)

**Decrease the Top:**

Rnd 1: (K2tog, K 6) repeat around. (28 sts)

Rnds 2, 4, 6, 8: K

Rnd 3: (K2tog, K 5) repeat around. (24 sts)

Rnd 5: (K2tog, K 4) repeat around. (20 sts)

Rnd 7: (K2tog, K 3) repeat around. (16 sts)

Rnd 9: (K2tog, K 2) repeat around. (12 sts)

Rnd 10-11: K

Rnd 12: (K2tog, K 1) repeat around. (8 sts)

Rnd 13-14: K

Rnd 15: (K2tog) repeat around. (4 sts)

Rnd 16-17: K

Rnd 18: K2tog. (2 sts)

Rnd 19-20: K

Rnd 21: K2tog. (1 sts)

Break yarn and run through remaining stitch, leaving a length to tack down the tip of the nightcap to one side.

Use a length of yarn to hang it.