



# Joon

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*'Joon' means 'Line' in Estonian. As you can see this hat has some stripes that are spiced up with some slipped stitches.*

**Size:** one size

**Material:** : I used Idena Bambino Ull (50 g = 175 m). Takes about 90 m / 99 yards of main color (MC) and 70 m / 77 yards of contrasting color (CC).

Also 1 stitch marker is required.

**Gauge:** 23 sts = 10 cm / 4"

**Needle size:** 3 mm (US 2.5) circular needles (50 cm/20") and double pointed needles (or other size for getting the right gauge)

**Pattern notes:**

K – Knit

P – Purl

Sl – slip stitch purlwise

K2Tog – Knit 2 together

Twisted rib – instead of usual knit stitch knit through back loop. Purl stitches are as usual.

MC - main color

CC - contrasting color

**Directions:**

Cast on 116 sts with your main color. Join in round. Be careful not to twist. Mark the beginning of the round. Knit 8 rounds in 1 k - 1 p twisted rib.

Knit 1 round in stockinette and increase evenly to 126 stitches.

Knit one more round in stockinette.

Switch to contrasting color.

Round 1-3. K3, Sl 1, K2. Repeat from the beginning until the end of the round.

Round 4-6. Knit

Switch to main color.

Round 7-9. Sl 1, K5. Repeat from the beginning until the end of the round.

Round 10-12. Knit

Continue until you have 4 stripes in contrasting color and your hat measures about 16 cm / 6.25". If your hat doesn't measure as much as required yet continue in MC in stockinette until required length.

Switch to MC. Knit one round.

Now decreasing starts.

\*K16, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

Knit 3 rounds.

\*K15, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

Knit 2 rounds.



\*K14, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

Knit 1 round.

\*K13, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

Knit 1 round.

\*K12, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

Knit 1 round.

\*K11, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

Knit 1 round.

\*K10, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

Knit 1 round.

Now start decreasing on every round. You can switch to double pointed needles if it's uncomfortable to continue knitting with circular needle.

\*K9, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K8, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K7, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K6, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K5, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K4, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K3, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K2, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

\*K1, K2Tog\*. Continue until the end of round.

K2Tog. Continue until the end of round.

You will have 7 sts on needles. Break the yarn and pull the end through all the stitches.

### **Finishing:**

Weave in the ends. Wash the hat and block it – that will make the stitches look more even and overall the hat will look nicer.