

# Chunky Santa Hat

To fit average adult head

## Materials:

1 x 100g ball Seriously Chunky shade Cream 288

Needles 10mm

2 x 100g balls Cygnet Chunky shade Red 167

Needles 7mm

Cardboard discs to make Pom Pom (or a Pom Pom maker)

## Tension:

Hat - 10cm or 4in = 16sts and 16 rows (to pattern)

## Pattern:

Band - using Seriously Chunky, held double, cast on 5 stitches

Row 1: K1 P1, repeat to end (moss stitch)

Repeat this row until work measures 52cm

Cast off

## Hat (make two)

using Cygnet Chunky held double cast on 30 stitches

Work in K1 P1 in rib stitch for 36 rows decreasing 1 st at each end of rows 7, 11, 15, 21, 27, 33 (18sts)

Continue in rib decreasing 2 stitches at each end of rows 37, 41, 43, 45 (2sts)

Cast off



## Pom Pom

Cut out two discs of card measuring 8cm in diameter with a hole in the centre measuring 2cm in diameter. The size of the discs will determine the size of the Pom Pom. Begin wrapping the Seriously Chunky around the card through the centre hole until completely covered. Once tightly packed, cut the yarn by inserting the scissors between the two discs. Cut the whole way round securing the pieces by firmly knotting the loose ends around the strands. Remove the card and fluff out the Pom Pom and trim any stray ends.

## To make up

Put the two red pieces together with the RS facing out. Join both the side seams using mattress stitch. Place the band around the lower edge of the hat and stitch in place. Sew the Pom Pom to the top of the hat weaving in any loose ends.