



 CRAFT | SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

### SIZE

One size to fit baby 1-2 yrs.

### INSTRUCTIONS

#### Notes:

- Right side of work is facing at all times.
- 'Working yarn' is held **behind** stitches throughout.
- Loops from working yarn are always pulled through stitches from back to front of work.
- Move safety pin at end of each round to mark end of round.

### HAT

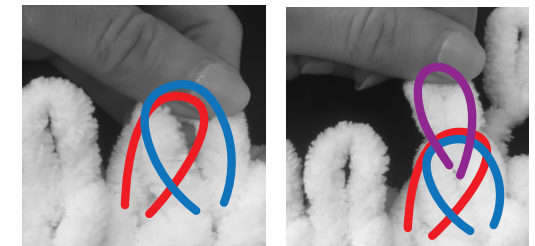
Cut first loop of yarn close to base to create a tail approximately 3" [7.5 cm] long. Count 24 loops for foundation round. Tie tail to yarn between 24th and 25th loops to create ring. Place all loops facing upwards.

**1st round:** Working from **right** to **left**, pull first loop from working yarn up through first loop of round (first loop to the left of tie) to create a knit stitch. Pull

next loop from working yarn up through next loop of foundation round. Continue in this manner to end of round. Place safety pin between first and last stitches of round to mark end of round.

**2nd round:** Working from **right** to **left**, pull first loop from working yarn up through first stitch of round. Pull next loop from working yarn up through next stitch of round. Continue in this manner to end of round. Repeat last round 6 times more (8 rounds worked in total).

### Shape Top



**1st round:** \*Place first loop of round **on top** of second loop creating double loop – treat this double loop as 1 stitch. Pull next loop from working yarn up

### MATERIALS

**Bernat® Alize® Blanket-EZ™** (6.4 oz/180 g; 18 yds/16 m)  
Cream (37013) **1 ball**

Safety pin. Sewing thread and needle.

through double stitch – decrease made. Work next 2 stitches as usual. Repeat from \* around. 6 stitches have been decreased. 18 stitches remain.

**2nd round:** \*Make decrease. Work next stitch as usual. Repeat from \* around. 6 stitches have been decreased. 12 stitches remain.

**3rd round:** \*Make decrease. Repeat from \* around. 6 stitches have been decreased. 6 stitches remain.

**Close Top:** Cut between next 2 loops of working yarn. Cut next loop from working yarn to create tail approximately 3" [7.5 cm]. Pull tail through remaining 6 stitches and pull to close top, bringing tail to inside of Hat. Tie to any stitch at inside of Hat.

### **EARS** (make 2)

Cut first loop of yarn close to base to create a tail approximately 3" [7.5 cm] long. Count 6 loops for foundation round. Tie tail to yarn after 6th loop to create ring. Place all loops facing upwards.

**1st and 2nd rounds:** Work as given for Hat.

**3rd round:** \*Make decrease. Repeat from \* around. 3 stitches remain.

Cut yarn, closing top as given for Hat.

Using sewing thread, sew Ears to Hat as seen in picture.

