## Wise Baby Sun Hat



Yarn: Moda Vera Gelato (or any 4ply smooth cotton yarn), held double (MC=pink, CC=red)
Needles: Size 10 (3.25mm) straight needles.
Tension: 10cm = 18 stitches x 28 rows in stocking stitch.
To fit: 0-3mo approx.

This hat is worked flat and bottom up.

### Glossary of terms

k: knit
P:purl
St/sts: stitch/stitches
K2tog: knit 2 stitches together
Wyif: with yarn in front
Wyib: with yarn in back
Yif: yarn in front
Yib: yarn in back
Make butterfly: With right hand needle, pick up the five floats by inserting the needle under the floats from the bottom up, then knit the next stitch on the left hand needle.

### Brim

Using MC, cast on 128sts. Work in garter stitch for 15 rows.
Next row (WS): [K2tog] to end. 64 sts.

### Start of band

Work 4 rows in stocking stitch, starting with a P row.

### Butterfly stitch panel

Change to CC.
Rows 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, and 13 (WS): P all sts.
Rows 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10: [k1, yip, s5, yib, k2] to last st, k1.
Row 12: [k4, make butterfly, k4] to last st, k1.

### End of band

Change to MC. Work 8 rows in stocking stitch.

### Decrease for crown

Row 1: [K6, k2tog] to end. 56 sts
Row 2 and all even-numbered rows: P all sts.
Row 3: [K5, k2tog] to end. 48 sts.

Row 5: [K4, K2tog] to end. 40 sts.
Row 7: [K3, K2tog] to end. 32 sts.
Row 9: [K2, k2tog] to end. 24 sts.
Row 11: [K1, K2tog] to end 16 sts.
Row 13: [K2tog} to end. 8 sts.
Cut yarn, leaving a 60cm tail. Thread yarn through the 8 remaining live stitches.
Pull tightly. Sew up seam and weave in ends. Block or steam/press.

*You are welcome to knit this hat for loved ones, and to sell items made using this pattern. Please do not reproduce and sell the pattern itself.*