

Voyager Cap (Tougue)

Variation One on a voyager cap by Evelyn Meyers

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Voyager Cap=

Materials needed... 4 oz 4 ply yarn

pair SINGLE POINT needles size 8 or 10

knit gauge.... SIZE 8 will make smaller sts and size 10 larger
best to measure around head of person making cap for.. then knit gauge.
knit a gauge... but for example.

small size on size 10 needles cast on 62 sts

medium size on 10 needles cast on 70 sts.

large size on size 8 needles cast on 78 sts.

NOTE; LARGE SHOULD BE KNITTED ON SMALLER NEEDLES.

Ribbing: k1, p1 for(8-10-12) rows.(small,medium,large)

** knit 1 row, turn work, purl 1 row . Repeat from ** for 24 rows or
til piece measures (3-4-4) inches excluding ribbing.

Begin decreases always decreasing on a K row.

1st decrease: K (12-14-16), K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (24-28-
32), K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (12-14-16)

+++++ P 1 row, K 1 row, P 1 row. (space three rows between decreases)

2nd decrease:K (11-13-15), K 2 tog, K3, K2 tog, K (22-26-30) K 2
tog, K 3, K 2 tog. K (11-13-15)

+++++P 1 row, K 1 row, P 1 row,

3rd decrease: K (10-12-14), K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K(20-24-28), K
2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (10-12-14)

+++++P 1 row, K 1 row, P 1 row

4th decrease; K (9-11-13)K 2 tog, K 3, K2 tog, K (18-22-26), K 2
tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (9-11-13)

+++++P 1 row, K 1 row, P 1 row,

5th decrease: K (8-10-12), K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (16-20-24), K
2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (8-10-12)

+++++P 1 row, K 1 row, p 1 row

6th decrease:K (7-9-11), K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (14-18-22), K 2
tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (7-9-11).

+++++ P 1 row, K 1 row, P 1 row

7th decrease : K (6-8-10), K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (12-16-20), K
2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (6-8-10)

+++++P 1 row, knit 1 row, p 1 row

8th decrease: K (5-7-9), K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (10-14-18)K 2
tog tog, k 3, k (5-7-9)

+++++P 1 row, K 1 row, P 1 row.

9th decrease;K (4-6-8), k 2 tog, k 3 k 2 tog, k (8-12-16) K 2
tog,K 3, K 2 tog ,K (4-6-8)

+++++P 1 row, NOTE begin decreases every 3rd row.

10th decrease. K (3-5-7), k 2 tog, k 3, k2 tog, k (6-10-14), k 2
tog, k 3, k (3-5-7)

+++++purl 1 row, CHECK AT 11th DECREASE SHOULD HAVE (22-30-38) sts.

11th decrease K (2-4-6),K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (4-8-12), K 2
tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K (2-4-6)

+++++P 1 row,

12th decrease .

12th decrease: (18-26-34) *stitches*

SMALL SIZE(on 18 sts) K 2, K 2 tog, K 2, k 2 tog, K 2, K 2 tog, K 2, K 2 tog, K 2, K 2 tog, K 2. (reducing to 14 sts)++++ P 1 row.

13th decrease K 2, K 2 tog, K 2, K 2 tog, K 2, K 2 tog, K 2.

++++ P 1 row. next row 14th decrease (11 sts) K 2 tog. K 2 tog, K 3, K 2 tog, K 2 tog reducing to 7 sts... Purl 1 row. 15th decrease row: K 1, K 2 tog, k 1, K 2 tog, K 1. (5 sts)P 1 row. 16th decrease: K 2 tog, K 1, K 2 tog. Bind off (leaving about 8 inches yarn) on the next row. THIS IS A PURL ROW.

MEDIUM SIZE (on 26 sts)

12th decrease -- Go back to 9th decrease where there are 26 sts on needles for small size. Follow directions USING SMALL size figures in () through to end of decreases and bind off.

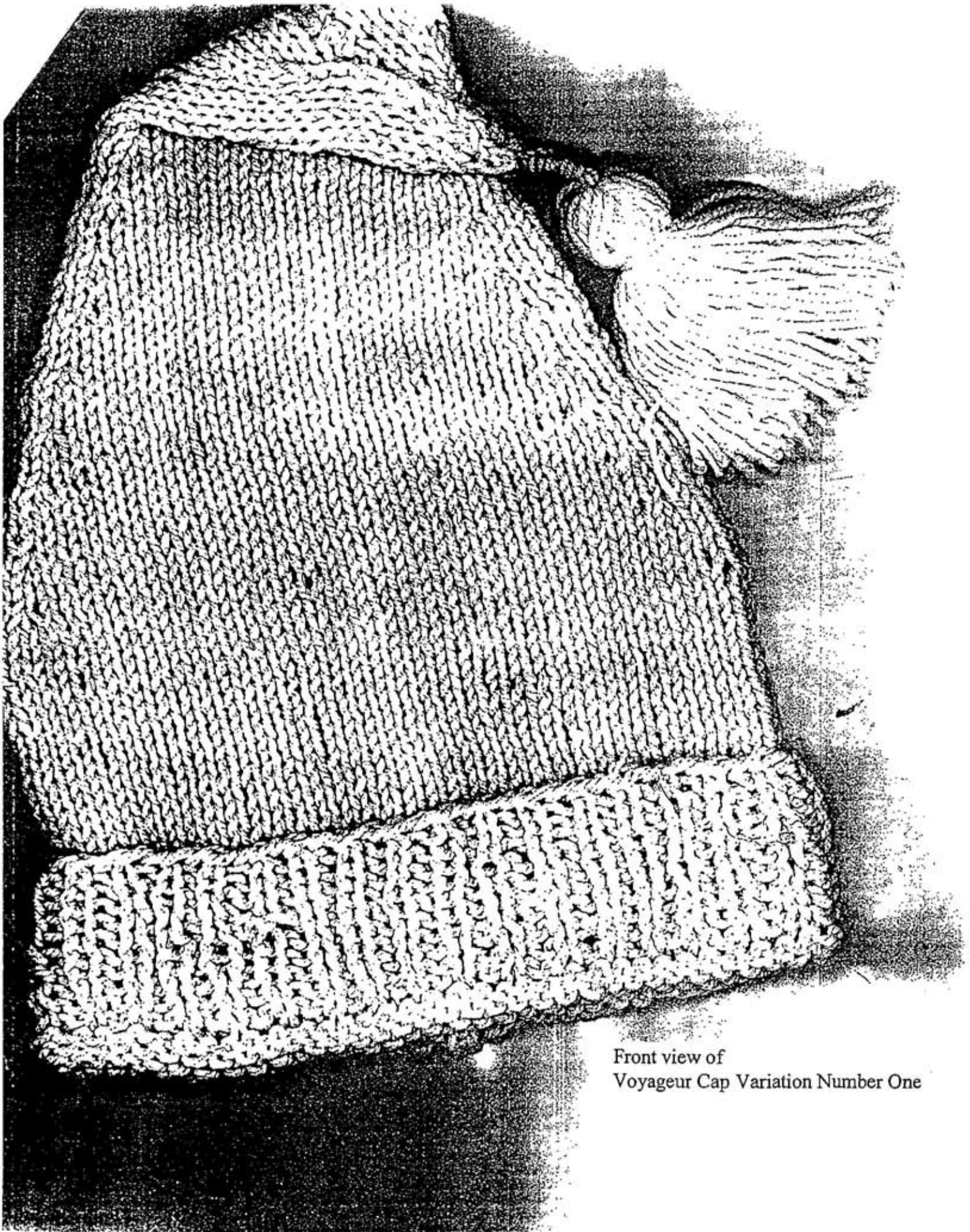
LARGE SIZE (on 34 sts)

12th decrease-- Go to 6th decrease where there are 34 sts on needles for small size. Follow directions USING SMALL size figures in () through to end of decreases and bind off.

FINISHING FOR ALL SIZES: make tassel:

Wind same kind of yarn as used to knit cap around your palm with fingers slightly spread for 40-50 times.. Now with piece of yarn about 12 inches long, tie through the loops.. This tie, should be double now and about 6 inches long will be used to tie the tassel to the cap at top. Wrap and tie another piece of yarn about 8 inches long around the loops down about 1 1/2 inches from the 6 inch tie. Place the now double ends of yarn down to be trimmed along with loops. Cut through yarn loops to make it fringe.. Even up ends. Take yarn that was used as tie through loops and place them hanging out of cap on wrong side when you sew seams of cap with tassel in top of hat between the two right sides that you are going to sew.

With end of yarn from casting on, thread tapestry needle, and sew from ribbing to top. When cast on yarn runs out, tie in new yarn and continue to sew to top. Tie in yarn ends of tassel to yarn on tapestry needle. Tie loose ends of yarns and weave remaining yarn ends inside of cap.



Front view of
Voyageur Cap Variation Number One