



Knitted Christmas Tree Bauble

Instructions:

Cast on 9 stitches.

Row 1: Purl

Row 2: (K1, kfb) four times. K1. [13]

Row 3: Purl

Row 4: (K2, kfb) four times. [17]

Row 5: Purl

Row 6: (K3, kfb) four times. [21]

Row 7: Purl

Rows 8 to 15 inclusive: stocking stitch. [21]

Row 16: (K3, k2tog) four times. K1. [17]

Row 17: Purl

Row 18: (K2, k2tog) four times. K1. [13]

Row 19: Purl

Row 20: (K1, k2tog) four times. K1. [9]

Row 21: P2tog 4 times, P1. [5]

Finishing:

Cut the yarn leaving a long tail.

Thread the tail through a wool needle and draw the needle through the remaining stitches.

Draw up and fasten off securely.

Sew up the sides of the ball. When near the top, start to fill the ball with stuffing.

When the sewing and stuffing are complete draw up, fasten off and make a hanging loop.

Materials:

- 1 ball Heirloom Merino Magic 8 ply (makes 8 baubles)
- 3.25 mm knitting needles
- Wool needle
- Polyester stuffing

Abbreviations:

kfb: knit through front and back of stitch to make a stitch