

# Natasha

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**FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**  
Approximately 20" / 51 cm around  
x 14" / 36 cm high

## YARN

**BERROCO LANAS QUICK** (100 grs):  
2 hanks #77102 Steel Cut Oats

## NEEDLES and NOTIONS

Knitting needles, size 10½ / 6.5 mm  
or size to obtain gauge  
2 double-pointed needles, size 10½  
/ 6.5 mm  
2 removable stitch markers  
Optional: 2½" / 6.5 cm pompom  
maker

## GAUGE

11 sts and 16 rows = 4" / 10 cm in  
Basketweave Pattern  
*Gauge shown is after blocking.*  
*To save time and ensure accurate  
measurements, take time to check  
gauge.*

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## NOTE

Hood is knit flat with attached I-Cord ties and pompoms.

## HOOD

Cast on 74 sts. Work even in Garter St for 1" / 2.5 cm.

**Establish Basketweave Pattern: Row 1 (RS):** Knit.

**Row 2 and all WS rows:** Purl.

**Rows 3 and 5 (RS):** \* K2, p4; rep from \* to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 7 (RS):** Knit.

**Rows 9 and 11 (RS):** P3, \* k2, p4; rep from \* to last 5 sts, k2, p3.

**Row 12 (WS):** Purl.

Rep these 12 rows until piece measures 7" / 18 cm from cast-on edge, end on WS.

**Shape Back of Head: Short Rows:** Short Row 1 (RS): K48, SSK, mark resulting stitch with removable stitch marker, turn.

**Short Row 2 (WS):** Sl 1, p18, p2tog, mark resulting stitch with removable stitch marker, turn.

**Short Row 3 (RS):** Sl 1, knit to marker, remove marker, SSK, mark resulting stitch with removable marker, turn.

**Short Row 4 (WS):** Sl 1, purl to marker, remove marker, p2tog, mark resulting stitch with removable marker, turn.

Rep Short Rows 3 and 4 until all side stitches have been decreased and 20 sts remain in center, end on WS. Bind off.

## FINISHING

**I-Cord:** With dpns, cast on 6 sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** K6, do not turn. Slide stitches back to beginning of needle to work next row from RS. Rep this row until cord measures 10" / 25.5 cm from cast-on.

With RS facing, starting at the lower right corner of the lower edge of hood, begin attaching I-Cord as follows: K5, slip the last stitch as if to purl, yo, insert needle into the first stitch at lower edge of hood, pick up and knit 1 st, slip yo and the slipped stitch over picked-up stitch. Continue in this manner, picking up stitches around the entire lower edge of hood. When end of hood has been reached, work I-Cord as at beginning for 10" / 25.5 cm. Bind off.

Make two 2½" / 6.5 cm pompoms and sew to cast-on and bound-off edges of I-Cord.

Weave in all ends and block as desired.





## STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

**beg:** beginning  
**CC:** contrasting color  
**CDD:** Centered Double Decrease—Slip 2 together (as if to k2tog), knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over  
**cn:** cable needle  
**cont:** continue  
**ch:** chain  
**dec:** decrease **dc:** double crochet  
**dtr:** double treble crochet  
**dpn(s):** double pointed needle(s)  
**end on WS:** end having just completed a Wrong Side row.  
**end on RS:** end having just completed a Right Side row  
**est:** established  
**hdc:** half double crochet  
**inc:** increase  
**Garner St:** Knit EVERY row when working back and forth in rows. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working in the round.  
**inc:** increase  
**k:** knit  
**k tbl:** knit through the back loop(s)  
**k2tog:** knit 2 stitches together  
**k3tog:** knit 3 stitches together  
**kfb:** knit in the front and back of the next st  
**LH:** left hand  
**LLI:** Left Lifted Increase—Insert LH needle into the purl bump one row below the st just worked on the RH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)  
**M1:** Make 1—Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).  
**M1L:** Make 1 Left—Work as for M1.  
**M1p:** Make 1 purl—Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).  
**M1pL:** Make 1 purl Left—Work as for M1p.  
**M1pR:** Make 1 purl Right—Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).  
**M1R:** Make 1 Right—Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).  
**MC:** main color  
**p:** purl  
**p tbl:** purl through the back loop(s)  
**p2tog:** purl 2 stitches together  
**p3tog:** purl 3 stitches together  
**pat(s):** pattern(s)  
**pm:** place marker  
**psso:** pass slipped stitch over knit stitch

**rep:** repeat  
**Rev St st:** Reverse Stockinette Stitch—Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round.  
**RH:** right hand  
**RLI:** Right Lifted Increase—Insert RH needle into the purl bump of the next st on the LH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)  
**rnd(s):** round(s)  
**RS:** right side  
**sc:** single crochet  
**sl:** slip  
**sliding loop:** Form a loop of yarn around your fingers, with the end attached to the ball on the right and the tail on the left. Insert hook into the loop under both pieces of yarn and draw up a loop onto hook. (This does not count as your first stitch.) Work first row into the original loop. Pull up the yarn tail after your first row is complete to close the loop.  
**sm:** slip marker  
**sp:** space  
**SSK:** Slip 2 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 2 stitches and knit 2 together.  
**SSP:** Slip 2 stitches knitwise, transfer these 2 stitches back to left hand needle, purl 2 together through the back loops.  
**SSSK:** Slip 3 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 3 stitches and knit 3 together.  
**st(s):** stitch(es)  
**St st:** Stockinette Stitch—Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round.  
**tbl:** through back loop(s)  
**tog:** together  
**tr:** treble  
**w&t:** wrap and turn, a method of concealing a hole created in short row shaping. On RS rows: With yarn held in front, slip next stitch purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the back. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle. Turn your work. On WS Rows: With yarn held in back, slip next stitch purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the front. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle. Turn your work. Unless otherwise indicated, each time you come to a wrapped stitch when working subsequent rows, slip the wrap back over stitch and onto needle, then work the wrap together with its accompanying stitch.  
**WS:** wrong side  
**wyib:** with yarn in back  
**wyif:** with yarn in front  
**yo:** yarn over

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