## PAULA'S CUPCAKE HAT

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Size 6-9 months Size 7 & 8 DPN's or magic loop Worsted weight yarn and a stitch marker to mark start of round.



Cast on 54 stitches (18 stitches on 3 needles if using DPN's); place marker and join for knitting in round. Rounds 1-11 knit 1x1 ribbing. Change to "cake" color yarn. Rounds 12-13, knit. Change needles to size 8. Rounds 14-18 purl. Change to size 7 needles Round 19, knit Round 20, knit decreasing 6 stitches evenly around. (16 stitches on each needle) Change to "frosting" color. Round 21, knit. Rounds 22-26, purl. Round 27, knit. Round 28, knit decreasing 9 stitches evenly around. (13 stitches on each needle) Rounds 29-33, purl. Round 34, knit. Round 35, knit decreasing 9 stitches evenly around. (10 stitches on each needle) Rounds 36-40, purl. Round 41, knit decreasing 9 stitches evenly around. (7 stitches on each needle) Round 42, knit decreasing 3 stitches evenly around (6 stitches on each needle) Cut yarn leaving 10 inch. Thread yarn needle

and pass through all 18 stitches on needle. Pull tight to close and secure on inside.

Make 1 inch pompom for Cherry Top and sew in place.