A unisex hat perfect for the gift giving season. Cables twist and turn amongst panels of texture making this hat a classic for years to come. Sure to be a hit for all the deserving knit lovers in your life.

pattern
Using larger needles and Alternating Cable Cast On Method (alternate a knit st and then a purl st back and forth throughout), cast on 120 (120, 130, 130) sts.

Note: If you are unfamiliar with the Alternating Cable Cast On Method a good replacement would be the Tubular Cast On, a simple Long Tail Cast On, or other cast on of your choice.

brim
Switch to smaller needles. Place marker and join in the round. *P1, K1; rpt from * to end.

Repeat last rnd until work measures 1” (1 ¼”, 1”, 1 ¼”)

body and crown of hat
Switch to larger needles. Begin the chart that matches your size and length. Work the entire chart and switch to DPN’s when needed.

finishing
Cut yarn leaving a 6” tail. Sew tail through remaining live stitches and secure. Weave in all ends. Block hat lightly.

stitch glossary

1/1 RC
Sl1 to cable needle, hold to back, k1; k1 from cable needle.

2/2 LC
Sl2 to cable needle, hold to front, k2; k2 from cable needle.

2/2 LPC
Sl2 to cable needle, hold to front, p2; k2 from cable needle.

2/2 RC
Sl2 to cable needle, hold to back, k2; k2 from cable needle.

2/2 RPC
Sl2 to cable needle, hold to back, k2; p2 from cable needle.

DPN’s
Double Pointed Needles

k1tbl
Knit 1 through back loop.

K2tog
Knit 2 stitches together.

kfb
Knit in the front and back of stitch.

P
Purl.

rnd(s)
Round(s).

rpt
Repeat.

SSK
Slip, slip, knit.

st(s)
Stitch(es).
FATHER CABLES

S/M fitted

Stop one st before end of rnd and place new beginning of rnd marker. Beginning of rnd marker has now shifted one st to the right.

Stop two sts before end of rnd and place new beginning of rnd marker. Beginning of rnd marker has now shifted two sts to the right.

key

S/M slouch

Stop one st before end of rnd and place new beginning of rnd marker. Beginning of rnd marker has now shifted one st to the right.

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materials
Approximately 220 (220, 220, 440) yards of worsted weight yarn.
1 (1, 2) skeins of YOTH Yarns Father
The yardage is close to using the entire 1 skein for the first two bracketed sizes.
Recommendation is to purchase an extra skein, if you are concerned.
Sample shown is Sea Salt (S/M Slouch version) & Saba (L Fitted version)

gauge
22 stitches / 26 rows = 4 inches in Twisted Moss Stitch on US 7
needles (blocked)

Twisted Moss Stitch (in the round): Cast on even number of sts. Join in the
rnd. Rnds 1 & 2: K1 tbl, P1 to end. Rnds 3 & 4: P1, K1 tbl to end.

needles
US 5 (3.75 mm) - 16” circular needles (smaller needles)
US 7 (4.5 mm) - 16” circular needles (larger needles)
US 7 (4.5 mm) – DPN’s

tools
Blunt tapestry needle and place markers

sizes
S/M Fitted (S/M Slouch, L Fitted, L Slouch)
S/M to Fit Head: 19”-21”
L to Fit Head: 21”-23”

finished dimensions
18” (18”, 20”, 20”) width at brim unstretched
7 ¾” (9 ¼”, 7 ¾”, 9 ¾”) high at center of brim to crown
Sample shown is size S/M Slouch in Sea Salt on female model & size
L Fitted in Saba on male model.