



### **Golden Autumn Head Band**

Celebrate chilly Autumn days and festive events wearing this soft, easy to knit head band created with soft Shetland Wool, and Baby Alpaca naturally dyed in various shades of brown and gold and spun by Lusy, Classic Spinner on Etsy.com. The inspiration for this wonderful fiber came from the Wild Tennessee Turkeys and their beautiful feathers.

The head band can also be worn loosely around the neck.

**Easy** (basic knitting knowledge required)

#### **Finished Size**

X19"/48.3 cm

Adult Medium – approximately 22"/55.9cm (yarn will stretch)

Gauge not important for this project.

**Materials**

US size 8 (5.0 mm) Straight Knitting Needles  
2 oz, 54 grms, 63 yds, 2ply blend, 50% Soft Shetland Wool and 50% Baby Alpaca, Autumn Series, gold and brown.  
Tapestry Needle  
Stitch Marker

**Abbreviations**

k knit  
p purl  
c/o cast on  
b/o bind off  
st(s) stitch(es)

c/o 14 sts

Row 1: k1, \*k2, p2, repeat from \* to last st, k1.

Row 2: Same as Row 1.

Row 3: k1, \*p2, k2, repeat from \* to last st, k1.

Row 4: Same as Row 3.

Continue rows 1-4 for 19"/48.3cm

**Finishing**

B/o by using 3 needle bind off technique or basic bind off technique and then seam together the two ends.

Weave in all ends. The head band pictured has a single crocheted edging which is optional. Block if desired.

**To Block**

Always check the yarn's washing, drying, and ironing instructions before blocking. Dampen your knitted project and lay flat on blocking board or surface. Smooth to desired size and shape, and pin. Let dry undisturbed overnight or until dry.

**Resources:**

Purchase Yarn at Lusy, Classic Spinner on Etsy.com

<http://www.etsy.com/people/Lusy>

**Knittinghelp.com tutorials:**

**Cast On** <http://www.knittinghelp.com/videos/cast-on>

**Knit and Purl** Video Demos that include Continental, English, and Combination Methods

<http://www.knittinghelp.com/videos/knit-stitch>

<http://www.knittinghelp.com/videos/purl-stitch>

**Basic Knit Bind Off (BO)** along with various other methods, including the **3 Needle Bind Off**

<http://www.knittinghelp.com/videos/casting-off>

Visit **yarndex.com** (<http://www.yarndex.com/>) for help substituting yarn for this project. I do urge you to use the yarn suggested, you will love the look and feel of it. Remember to always substitute with yarns of similar weight for best results.



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