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# Easy Slouchy Hat (Crochet)

with YouTube Help Video

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Learn how to crochet an easy slouchy hat beanie with this pattern and tutorial video. It uses Tunisian crochet and works up quickly! Check out the how-to video on the Naztazia YouTube channel here: <a href="https://youtube.com/naztazia">https://youtube.com/naztazia</a> And feel free to Pin photos or check out other info at: <a href="https://naztazia.com">https://naztazia.com</a>

### **Terminology:**

CH = Chain	TSS = Tunisian Simple	TRS = Tunisian Reverse
	Stitch	Stitch

#### Size/Gauge:

Women's Size (22" head circumference). Changes for Toddler, Child, and Men's sizes are listed at the end of the pattern. Gauge 16 STs and 12 ROWs = 4" SQ

#### **Materials:**

175 yards of worsted weight yarn. Sample used Red Heart Super Saver in the color Oatmeal. Tunisian crochet hook, size H 5 mm, minimum 10" size. Yarn needle. Scissors. Measuring tape. Optional pompom, tag, button for decoration.

#### **Instructions:**

Watch the YouTube tutorial video here: <a href="https://youtube.com/naztazia">https://youtube.com/naztazia</a> Look for "Easy Slouchy Hat."

**CH 48** 

#### **ROW 1:**

<u>forward pass</u> - Draw up loops in each CH across. Total = 48 loops (1 already on hook plus 47 drawn up loops)

return pass - CH 1. Yarn over and remove 2 loops at a time across row.

#### **ROW 2:**

<u>forward pass</u> - Draw up loops using the Tunisian Reverse Stitch technique in the next 9 stitches. (Total = 10 loops). Mark the 10th loop with a stitch marker. This section forms the "brim" part of the hat. Draw up loops for the remaining stitches using the Tunisian Simple Stitch technique. (Total = 38 loops). This section forms the "crown" part of the hat.

<u>return pass</u> - CH 1. Yarn over and remove 2 loops at a time across row.

#### **ROWs 3-63:**

Repeat ROW 2's forward and return passes until hat measures 21". Add or subtract from the 63 rows as needed to achieve the 21". You can omit marking every single row with a stitch marker in the forward pass. Just continue to watch where the brim part ends, and the crown part begins. Continue to count loops every now and then to avoid a misshapen rectangle. Before getting too far along, measure your work. For a woman's size, the width should be about 12 inches. Any less than that and it will not really have a slouchy look to it. Anything above 12 inches will just make the hat slouch a bit more.

Once completed, fasten off and weave in ends. Seam the beginning and ending sides together to form a tube. Note where the brim part is. On the other end (the crown end) cinch up the top to form a hat shape. Sew on optional pompom and/or tag or button to hat for decoration.

#### **OTHER SIZES:**

Make the following adjustment to the above pattern to accommodate these other sizes.

## Toddlers (to fit an 18" head)

Use 120 yards of yarn. CH 40 (or 10 inches). Brim = total of 8 loops. Make 51 rows (or 17 inches).

## Children (to fit a 20" head)

Use 145 yards of yarn. CH 44 (or 11 inches). Brim = total of 9 loops. Make 57 rows (or 19 inches)

## Mens (to fit a 24" head)

Use 215 yards of yarn. CH 52 (or 13 inches). Brim = total of 11 loops. Make 69 rows (or 23 inches)

