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Easy Hat with Brim (Crochet)

with YouTube Help Video

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This crochet easy hat with brim pattern and tutorial video works great with the brim folded up as a beanie and folded down as a cloche. Check out the how-to video on the Naztazia YouTube channel here: <u>https://youtube.com/naztazia</u> And feel free to Pin photos or check out other info at: <u>https://naztazia.com</u>

Terminology:		
CH = Chain	DC = Double Crochet	RND = Round
RPT = Repeat	SC = Single Crochet	SLST = Slip Stitch
SP = Space	ST = Stitch	

Size/Gauge:

Sample shows an "average" woman's hat size for a 22" head. Changes for children and men are listed below pattern. Gauge is 10 SC x 11 RNDs = 4" SQ

Materials:

280 yards total of 100% acrylic worsted weight yarn. Sample used Crafters Secret. Since 2 strands are held together, you will need 140 yards from one skein and 140 yards from another. Size K 6.5 mm crochet hook. Yarn needle, scissors, tape measure.

Instructions:

Watch the YouTube tutorial video here: <u>https://youtube.com/naztazia</u> Look for "Crochet Easy Hat with Brim."

NOTES: Hold 2 strands of yarn together for the entire hat. This pattern uses SLSTs after each RND. Feel free to substitute working in spirals instead of SLSTs, using stitch markers to mark the first stitch of each RND.

CH 4. SLST to first ST to form ring.

RND 1: CH 3 (counts as 1 DC). Make 9 DCs in ring. SLST to first ST. Total = 10 STs. RND 2: CH 1 (does not count as a ST). Make 2 SC in each ST around. SLST to first ST. Total = 20 STs.

RND 3: CH 1. RPT [2 SC in next ST, SC in next ST] around. SLST to first ST. Total = 30 STs.

RND 4: CH 1. RPT [2 SC in next ST, SC in next 2 STs] around. SLST to first ST. Total = 40 STs.

RND 5: CH 1. RPT [2 SC in next ST, SC in next 3 STs] around. SLST to first ST. Total = 50 STs.

RND 6: CH 1. RPT [2 SC in next ST, SC in next 4 STs] around. SLST to first ST. Total = 60 STs.

Measure work. Diameter should be about 6.5"

RNDs 7+: CH 1. SC in next ST around. Total = 60 STs per RND.

Work until you have 8" from the top center of the hat to your last RND. Sample hat needed a total of 19 RNDs.

BRIM: You have a choice.

If you like a more flared-out brim, for RND 1 do: CH 1, turn (work with the inside of the hat facing you). Work in the back loops only. RPT [2 SC in next ST, SC in next 4 STs] around. SLST to first ST.

If you prefer a less flared-out brim (as in sample hat), for RND 1 do: CH 1, turn (work with the inside of the hat facing you). Work in the back loops only. RPT [2 SC in next ST, SC in next 9 STs] around. SLST to first ST.

RNDs 2-4 (for either brim): CH 1. SC in each ST around. SLST to first ST.

Feel free to add another RND or two of SC STs.

Once completed, fasten off and weave in all ends.

Adjustments for other sizes:

Children: Work 5 RNDs. Eliminate RND #6. Work RNDs 7+ for a total of 7.25" instead, noting that each RND will have 50 STs on it. Follow BRIM as is.

Man's: Work all 6 RNDs. Add a RND in between RND 6 & 7, consisting of: CH 1. RPT [2 SC in next ST, SC in next 5 STs] around. SLST to first ST. Total = 70 STs. Continue with RNDs 7+ for 8.5" instead, noting that each RND will have 70 STs on it. Follow BRIM as is.



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