



Bucket Full of Bows Hat

Crochet Pattern

Materials Used:

Worsted weight yarn, in your choice of colors (Models made in Red Heart Super Saver, and Red Heart Gumdrops)
Size I/9 (5.50mm) crochet hook

Sizes/Gauge:

Newborn
0-6 mos.
Toddler (6 mos.-2 yrs)
Child (3-10 yrs)
Teen/Adult
Gauge: 7 hdc sts=2"
4 hdc rows=2"

Stitches Used/Abbreviations:

Ch-chain
Rnd-round
Hdc-half double crochet
Fphdc-front post half double crochet~work hdc sts around the front of the post of indicated st(s)
Dc-double crochet
Trc-triple (or treble) crochet
Sl st-slip stitch

Instructions:

Hat:

Rnd 1: ch 2. Work 12 hdc in 1st ch. Join. (12 sts)
Rnd 2: ch 1. Work 2 hdc in each st around. Join. (24 sts)
Rnd 3: ch 1. *Hdc in next st, work 2 hdc in next st*. Repeat (*) around. Join. (36 sts) *Stop here for Newborn. Go to Pattern section.
Rnd 4: ch 1. *Hdc in each of the next 2 sts, work 2 hdc in next st*. Repeat (*) around. Join. (48 sts) *Stop here for 0-6 mos. Go to Pattern section.
Rnd 5: ch 1. *Hdc in each of the next 3 sts, work 2 hdc in next st*. Repeat (*) around. Join. (60 sts) *Stop here for Toddler. Go to Pattern section.
Rnd 6: ch 1. *Hdc in each of the next 4 sts, work 2 hdc in next st*. Repeat (*) around. Join. (72 sts) *Stop here for Child. Go to Pattern section.

Rnd 7: ch 1. *Hdc in each of the next 5 sts, work 2 hdc in next st*. Repeat (*) around. Join. (84 sts) *Stop here for Teen/Adult. Go to Pattern section.

Pattern Section:

Rnd 1: *ch 3. Skip the next 3 sts. Hdc in each of the next 3 sts*. Repeat (*) around. Join.

Rnd 2: ch 1. *Work 5 hdc in next ch 3 space. Skip next st. Hdc in next st. Skip next st*. Repeat (*) around. Join.

Repeat rnds 1-2 until approximately ½“ before finished desired length is reached. (Use sizing guide for suggested sizes.) Go to Brim.

Brim:

Rnd 1: ch 1. Fphdc in each st around. Join.

Rnd 2: ch 1. *Skip next st. Work 3 hdc in next st*. Repeat (*) around. Join.

Rnd 3: ch 1. Skip next st. Work 3 hdc in next st. Skip next 2 sts*. Repeat (*) around. Join. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Color Bands:

Using a contrasting color, ch 40(52,64,76,88). Sl st in 2nd ch from hook, and each remaining ch. Fasten off, leaving a tail.

Make 1 color band for each row of “holes”, adding 3 chs to the length of each consecutive band, to allow for a better fit on the head. Weave 1 color band through the holes of each row, beginning with the shortest one in the top row, and ending with the longest one in the bottom row, and using the tail to tie the ends together.

Bow:

Ch 2. Work {1 hdc, 1 dc, ch 1, 1 trc, ch 1, 1 dc, 1 hdc, sl st} all in 2nd ch from hook. (First side of bow created) Ch 1. Work {1 hdc, 1 dc, ch 1, 1 trc, ch 1, 1 dc, 1 hdc, sl st} all in same ch as previous sts were worked. (Second side of bow created) Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Wrap tail 2-3 times around center of bow, and tie tightly in back. (Center wrap of bow created)

Make 1 Bow for each row of color bands, to coordinate, and fasten them securely to each row.

Head Sizing Chart

To Fit	Newborn	3 months	6 months	12 months	2 years	3-5 years	6-10 years	Adult Small	Adult Medium	Adult Large
CIRCUMFERENCE										
inches	13.5	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
centimeters	34	41	43	46	48	51	53	56	58	61
LENGTH (CROWN TO BASE OF EAR)										
inches	5	6	6.25	6.75	7	7.5	8	8.25	8.75	9
centimeters	13	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23

Use this handy Head Sizing Chart for suggested sizing!