



MATERIALS

Bernat® Baby Sport™ (12.3 oz/350 g; 1256 yds/1148 m)

Sizes	Preemie	Newborn	3/6 mos	6/12	18/24	mos
Baby Taupe (21011)	1	1	1	1	1	ball

Note: 1 ball will make approx **28 (23-17-13-8)** Hats.

Size U.S. G/6 (4 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Beg = Beginning

Ch = Chain(s)

Dc = Double crochet

Hdc = Half double crochet

Hdc2tog = Yoh and draw up a loop around each of next 2 stitches. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

Hdcbp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work, inserting hook from right to left. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

Hdcfp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work, inserting hook from right to left. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat(ing)

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

Sc = Single crochet

Sl st = Slip stitch

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Yoh = Yarn over hook

SIZES

To fit head circumference

Preemie 9¾-10½" [25-26.5 cm]

Newborn 11-12" [28-30.5 cm]

3/6 mos 13-14" [35.5 cm]

6/12 mos 15-16" [39.5-40.5 cm]

18/24 mos 17-18" [43-45.5 cm]

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (.). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

GAUGE

16 sc and 19 rows = 4" [10 cm]

Ch **36 (42-54-60-66)**. Join with sl st to first ch, taking care not to twist ch.

1st rnd: Ch 2 (does not count as st here and throughout). 1 hdc in each ch around. Join with sl st to first hdc.

2nd to 4th rnds: Ch 2. *1 hdcfp around next st. 1 hdcbp around next st. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdcfp.

5th rnd: Ch 1. Skip next 2 sts. *(3 dc in next st) twice. Skip next 4 sts. Rep from * to last 4 sts. (3 dc in next st) twice. Skip last 2 sts. Join with sl st to first dc.

6th rnd: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each dc around. Join with sl st to first hdc.

7th rnd: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc around. Join with sl st to first hdc. Rep 7th rnd until work from beg measures **3** (**3½-4½-5½-6½**)" [**7.5 (9-11.5-14-16.5)** cm].

Shape top: 1st rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next **4** (**5-7-8-9**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. **30** (**36-48-54-60**) hdc.

2nd rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next **3** (**4-6-7-8**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. **24** (**30-42-48-54**) hdc.

3rd rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next **2** (**3-5-6-7**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. **18** (**24-36-42-48**) hdc.

4th rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next **1** (**2-4-5-6**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. **12** (**18-30-36-42**) hdc.

Sizes Newborn, 3/6 mos, 6/12 mos and 18/24 mos only: Next rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next (**1-3-4-5**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. (**12-24-30-36**) hdc.

Sizes 3/6 mos, 6/12 mos and 18/24 mos only: Next rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next (**2-3-4**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. (**18-24-30**) hdc.

Next rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next (**1-2-3**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. (**12-18-24**) hdc.

Sizes 6/12 mos and 18/24 mos only: Next rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in each of next (**1-2**) hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. (**12-18**) hdc.

Size 18/24 mos only: Next rnd: Ch 2. *1 hdc in next hdc. Hdc2tog. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first hdc. 12 hdc.

All sizes: Fasten off, leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem sts and fasten securely.

