

## MATERIALS

## Caron ${ }^{\circledR}$ Simply Soft ${ }^{\text {m }}$ ( $6 \mathrm{oz} / 170 \mathrm{~g} ; 315 \mathrm{yds} / 288 \mathrm{~m}$ )

Bone (39703) 1 ball
Size U.S. H/8 ( 5 mm ) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge. 1 stitch marker. Yarn needle.

## (c) 4 MEDUM CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

## ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg $=$ Begin(ning)
Ch = Chain(s)
Dc = Double crochet
Dcbp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work, inserting hook from left to right. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice.
Dcfp = 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 2 loops on hook) twice.

## One size to fit average Adult.

SIZE

## GAUGE

13 sc and 14 rows $=4$ " $[10 \mathrm{~cm}$ ].

## INSTRUCTIONS

Ch 72 loosely. Join with sl st to first ch, taking care not to twist chain.
1st rnd: Ch 2 (does not count as st here and throughout). 1 dc in each ch around. Join with sl st to first dc. 72 dc .
2nd rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around each of first 2 dc . *Dcbp around next dc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dc . Rep from * to last dc. Dcbp around last dc. Join with sl st to first dcfp.

3rd rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around each of first 2 dcfp. *Dcbp around next dcbp. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. Rep from * to last dcbp. Dcbp around last dcbp. Join with sl st to first dcfp. Rep last rnd 3 times more.
Next rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around each of first 2 dcfp. 1 hdc in next dcbp. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. *1 hdc in next dcbp. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp .2 dcfp around next dcbp. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. (1 hdc in next dcbp. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp) twice. Rep from * to last 7 sts. 1 hdc in next dcbp. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. 2 dcfp around next dcbp. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. 1 hdc in last dcbp. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 78 sts.

Proceed in Cable Twist Pat as follows:
1st rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around each of first 2 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp . ${ }^{* 1}$ hdc in next hdc. Skip next 3 dcfp. Dcfp around each of next 3 dcfp . Working behind last 3 dcfp worked, dcfp around each of 3 skipped sts - Cr6F made. (1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp ) twice. Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Cr6F over
next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with $s l$ st to first dcfp.
2nd to 5th rnds: Ch 2. Dcfp around each of first 2 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. *1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. (1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp) twice. Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp. Rep 1st to 5th rnds for Cable Twist Pat until Hat measures approx 6 " $[15 \mathrm{~cm}]$, ending on a 4th rnd of pat.

Shape top: 1st rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around each of first 2 dcfp. Skip next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. *1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. Skip next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 72 sts.
2nd rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around each of first 4 dcfp. *1 hdc in next hdc. Cr6F over next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 4 dcfp . Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Cr6F over next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp.
3rd rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around first dcfp. Dcfp2tog. Dcfp around next dcfp. *1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. Dcfp2tog. Dcfp around next dcfp. Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 66 sts.

4th rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around first 3 dcfp. *1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around next 3 dcfp. Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp.
5th rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp3tog. *1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp3tog. Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 6 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 54 sts.
6th rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around first dcfp. *1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. (Dcfp2tog) twice. Dcfp around next dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. Rep from * to last 8 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. (Dcfp2tog) twice. Dcfp around next dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 42 sts.
7th rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around first dcfp. *1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 4 dcfp. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. Rep from * to last 6 sts. 1 hdc in next hdc. Dcfp around each of next 4 dcfp. 1 hdc in last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp.

8th rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around first dcfp. *Skip next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. Dcfp2tog. Dcfp around next dcfp. Skip next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. Rep from * to last 6 sts. Skip next hdc. Dcfp around next dcfp. Dcfp2tog. Dcfp around next dcfp. Skip last hdc. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 24 sts.
9th rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around first dcfp. *Dcfp3tog. Dcfp around next dcfp. Rep from * to last 3 sts. Dcfp3tog. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 12 sts.
10th rnd: Ch 2. Dcfp around first dcfp. *Dcfp around next dcfp. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first dcfp. Break yarn leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem sts.

## FINISHING

Pompom: Wind yarn around 4 fingers approx 150 times. Remove from fingers and tie tightly in center. Cut through each side of loops. Trim to a smooth round shape. Sew to top of Hat.


