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# What you will need:

**RED HEART**\* **Grande**™: 1 ball each 3927 Chianti **A** and 941 Barley **B** 

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 11.5mm [US P-16]

Yarn needle

**GAUGE:** 6 dc =  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " (11.5 cm); 4 rows = 4" (10 cm). **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain gauge.



RED HEART\* Grande™, Art. E826 available in 5.29 oz (150 g), 46 yd (42 m) balls



# Granny Stitch Hat

There are many reasons to love this hat: It is modern looking in thick yarn. It' crochets up quickly. It is a very easy pattern that is good for television watching. The style looks good on most everyone. It's a great gift choice.

Directions are for size Small. Changes for size Large are in parentheses.

Hat measures 20 (22½)" [51 (57) cm] circumference at brim.

## **Special Technique**

Adjustable-ring method = Wrap yarn into a ring, ensuring that the tail falls behind the working yarn. Grip ring and tail firmly between middle finger and thumb. Insert hook through center of ring, yarn over (with working yarn) and draw up a loop. Work stitches of first round in ring, working over both strands (the tail and the ring). After the first round of stitches is worked, pull gently, but firmly, on tail to tighten ring.

#### Notes

- 1. Hat is worked in joined rounds with right side facing.
- To change color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete stitch. Proceed with new color. Cut old color.

#### HAT

With **A**, make an adjustable ring. **Round 1:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), 8 (9) dc in ring; join with slip st in top of beginning ch—9 (10) dc. Pull gently on tail to close ring. **Round 2:** Ch 3, dc in same st as join, 2 dc in each dc around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch—18 (20) dc. **Round 3:** Ch 3, 2 dc in next dc, \*dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch; change to **B**—27 (30) dc.

#### Size Small only:

**Round 4:** Ch 3, dc in same st as join, skip next dc, \*2 dc in next dc, skip next dc; repeat from \* around to last dc, dc in last dc; join with slip st in top of beginning ch—13 two-dc groups and 1 dc.

Rounds 5 and 6: Slip st in next dc, slip

st in space before next 2-dc group, ch 3, dc in same space, \*2 dc in next space between 2-dc groups; repeat from \* 11 times, 2 dc in space before last dc, dc in space between last dc and beginning ch; join with slip st in top of beginning ch.

Round 7: Slip st in next dc; change to A, slip st in space before next 2-dc group, ch 3, dc in same space, \*2 dc in next space between 2-dc groups; repeat from \* 11 times, 2 dc in space before last dc, dc in space between last dc and beginning ch; join with slip st in top of beginning ch. Fasten off.

#### Size Large only:

**Round 4:** Ch 3, dc in same st as join, skip next dc, \*2 dc in next dc, skip next dc; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch—15 two-2 dc groups.

Rounds 5-7: Slip st in next dc, slip st in space before next 2-dc group, ch 3, dc in same space, 2 dc in each space between 2-dc groups around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch.

**Round 8:** Slip st in next dc; change to **A**, slip st in space before next 2-dc group, ch 3, dc in same space, 2 dc in each space between 2-dc groups around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch. Fasten off.

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# **FINISHING**

Weave in all ends.

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

A, B = Color A, Color B; ch = chain(s); dc = double crochet; st(s) = stitch(es);

\* = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated.

