



LW4062B



EASY

crochet

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## What you will need:

RED HEART® With Love®: 1 ball  
1505 Peacock

Susan Bates® Crochet Hooks:  
5.5mm [US I-9] (for single crochet  
sections) and 6.5mm [US K-10.5]  
(for texture pattern sections)

Stitch marker, pompom maker,  
Yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** 12 sts = 4" (10 cm); 13  
rounds = 4" (10 cm) in single  
crochet with smaller hook. 10 sts =  
4" (10 cm); 10 rounds = 4" (10 cm)  
in texture pattern with larger hook.  
**CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size  
hook(s) to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® With  
Love®, E400B  
available in solid color  
6 oz (170 g), 315 yd (288 m) and  
multicolor 4.5 oz (127 g), 180 yd  
(164 m) balls



# Winter Blast Hat

*When the air chills your bones, you'll love the  
stylish warmth of this comfy crochet hat! This  
is a great style to give in their favorite color.*

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

**Finished Circumference:** 20 (22)" (51 (56) cm)

**Finished Height:** 11" (28 cm)

## Special Technique

**Adjustable-ring** = Wrap yarn into a ring,  
ensuring that the tail falls behind the working  
yarn. Grip ring and tail 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 the ring.  
After the first round of stitches is worked, pull  
gently on tail to tighten ring.

## Notes

1. Hat is worked in rounds beginning at  
top of hat. Sections of single crochet are  
alternated with sections of a texture pattern  
created with half double crochet and slip  
stitches. In single crochet sections, the last  
stitch of each round is joined to the first  
stitch with a slip stitch. In texture pattern  
sections, only the first and last rounds are  
joined. Pay careful attention to instructions  
to know when to join and when not.
2. The texture pattern is created by working  
half double crochet stitches into the slip  
stitches and slip stitches into the half  
double crochet stitches of the previous  
round. When working increase rounds not  
all half double crochet stitches are worked  
into slip stitches and not all slip stitches are  
worked into half double crochet stitches,  
but half double crochet stitches are always  
alternated with slip stitches.
3. Only turn rounds when instructed to do  
so. Single crochet sections are worked  
with right side facing, and texture pattern  
sections are worked with wrong side facing.

4. A stitch marker is used to indicate the end  
of the round. Move marker up as each  
round is completed. Use of stitch marker  
is particularly useful in the texture pattern  
sections because texture pattern sections  
are worked in continuous rounds.

## HAT

**With smaller hook, make an adjustable ring.**

**Note:** If preferred, a beginning ring can be  
made as follows: With smaller hook, ch 4; join  
with slip st in first ch.

## First Single Crochet Section

**Round 1 (right side):** Ch 1, 8 sc in ring; join  
with slip st in first sc—8 sc. Place a marker  
in the last sc made. Move marker up as each  
round is completed.

**Note:** Work first stitch of every round in the  
same stitch as joining.

**Round 2:** Ch 1, 2 sc in each st around; join  
with slip st in first sc—16 sc.

**Round 3:** Ch 1, \*sc in next st, 2 sc in next st;  
repeat from \* around; join with slip st in first  
sc—24 sc.

## Size Small Only

**Round 4:** Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with  
slip st in first sc, TURN.

## Size Large Only

**Round 4:** Ch 1, \*sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next  
st; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in  
first sc, TURN—32 sts.

## Both Sizes

First Texture Pattern Section  
Change to larger hook.

**Round 5 (wrong side):** Ch 1, \*hdc in next st,  
slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; do not  
join—24 (32) sts.

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**Size Small Only**

**Round 6:** \*Slip st in next st, hdc in next st, (slip st, hdc) in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join—32 sts.

**Size Large Only**

**Round 6:** \*Slip st in next st, hdc in next st, slip st in next st, (hdc, slip st) in next st, hdc in next st, slip st in next st, hdc in next st, (slip st, hdc) in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join—40 sts.

**Both Sizes**

**Round 7:** \*Hdc in next st, slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join—32 (40) sts.

**Round 8:** \*Slip st in next st, hdc in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join.

**Round 9:** \*Hdc in next st, slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in first hdc, TURN.

**Second Single Crochet Section**

Change to smaller hook.

**Round 10 (right side):** Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc—32 (40) sts.

**Round 11:** Ch 1, \*sc in next 3 (4) sts, 2 sc in next st; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in first sc—40 (48) sts.

**Round 12:** Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc.

**Round 13:** Ch 1, \*sc in next 4 (5) sts, 2 sc in next st; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in first sc—48 (56) sts.

**Rounds 14 and 15:** Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc, TURN.

**Second Texture Pattern Section**

Change to larger hook.

**Round 16 (wrong side):** Ch 1, \*hdc in next st, slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join.

**Round 17:** \*Slip st in next st, hdc in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join.

**Size Small Only**

**Round 18:** \*Hdc in next st, [slip st in next st, hdc in next st] twice, (slip st, hdc) in next st, slip st in next st, [hdc in next st, slip st in next st] twice, (hdc, slip st) in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join—56 sts.

**Size Large Only**

**Round 18:** \*[Hdc in next st, slip st in next st] 3 times, (hdc, slip st) in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join—64 sts.

**Both Sizes**

**Round 19:** \*Slip st in next st, hdc in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join—56 (64) sts.

**Round 20:** \*Hdc in next st, slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in first hdc, TURN.

**Third Single Crochet Section**

Change to smaller hook.

**Rounds 21–24 (right side):** Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc. TURN at end of Round 24.

**Third Texture Pattern Section**

Change to larger hook.

**Round 25 (wrong side):** Ch 1, \*hdc in next st, slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join.

**Round 26:** \*Slip st in next st, hdc in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join.

**Round 27:** \*Hdc in next st, slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; do not join.

**Round 28:** Repeat Round 26.

**Round 29:** \*Hdc in next st, slip st in next st; repeat from \* around; join with slip st in first hdc, TURN.

**Fourth Single Crochet and Texture Pattern Sections**

Work same as Third Single Crochet and Texture Pattern Sections.

**FINISHING****Pompom**

Following manufacturer instructions, make a pompom of any size you prefer. Tie pompom to top of hat.

Weave in ends.

**ABBREVIATIONS**

**ch** = chain; **hdc** = half double crochet; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **()** = work directions in parentheses into same st; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; **\*** = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated.



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