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CROCHET SKILL LEVEL BEGINNER

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What you will need:

RED HEART[®] Heads Up[™]: 1 ball 565 Grape A and 1 ball 689 Bright Green B

Susan Bates[®] Crochet Hook: 6.5mm [US K-10.5]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: Rounds 1-4 = 4" (10 cm) diameter. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART[®] Heads Up[™], Art. E821 available in 3.5 oz (100 g), 106 yd (97 m) balls



Snappy Stripe Hat

This unisex hat looks great on everyone! It's easy to crochet in any two colors for one-of-a-kind style.

Hat measures about 22" (56 cm) circumference.

Notes

- 1. To make a smaller hat, use a hook one size smaller. To make a larger hat, use a hook one size larger.
- Hat is worked in joined rounds, beginning at top of hat. Join but do not turn rounds. The join serves as back seam of hat.
- 3. Following Round 1, all stitches are worked in front loops only. This includes the joining slip stitches at the end of each round.
- Stripes are worked in the following color sequence: 4 rounds with A, 2 rounds with B, [3 rounds with A, 2 rounds with B] 3 times, 4 rounds with A, 2 rounds with B.
- 5. To change color, fasten off old color and draw up a loop of new color in indicated stitch. The new color is joined in different stitches to help keep back seam straight.

HAT

With **A**, ch 4; join with slip st in first ch to form a ring.

Round 1 (right side): Work 8 sc in ring; join with slip st in front loop of first sc—8 sc.

Notes

- 1. Work all stitches in front loops only throughout.
- Work first stitch of each round in same stitch as joining slip stitch unless otherwise instructed.

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

Round 3: Ch 1, [sc in next st, 2 sc in next st] 8 times; join with slip st first sc—24 sc. Round 4: Ch 1, [sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next

st] 8 times; join with slip st in first sc—32 sc. Fasten off **A**.

Round 5: With right side facing, draw up a loop of **B** in 2nd sc of Round 4, ch 1, [sc in

next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st] 8 times; join with slip st in first sc—40 sc.

Round 6: Ch 1, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts] 8 times; join with slip st in first sc—48 sc. Fasten off **B**.

Round 7: With right side facing, draw up a loop of **A** in last sc of previous round, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc. Rounds 8 and 9: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc.

Fasten off **A**.

Round 10: With right side facing, draw up a loop of **B** in the first sc of previous round, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc. **Round 11:** Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off **B**.

Rounds 12–16: Repeat Rounds 7–11. Round 17: Repeat Round 7.

Round 18: Ch 1, [sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st] 12 times; join with slip st in first sc—60 sc. Round 19: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off **A**. Rounds 20 and 21: Repeat Rounds 10 and 11.

Round 22: Repeat Round 7.

Rounds 23–25: Repeat Round 8 three times. Fasten off A.

Round 26: Repeat Round 10.

Round 27: With **B**, sc in first st, *ch 1, skip next st, sc in next st; repeat from * around to last st, ch 1, skip last st; working through both loops, join with slip st in first sc—30 sc and 30 ch-1 spaces. Fasten off **B**.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

A and B = Color A and Color B; ch = chain; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch (es); [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

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