



Directions:

PATTERN NOTES

Hats can be knit or crocheted. If desired knit hat in child and adult sizes can be started on 16" circular, switch to dpns during crown when sts no long comfortably fit on circular needle.

HAT

Knit Version

Hat

With B, cast on 42 (54, 60) sts.

Place marker (pm) and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts.

Rnd 1: Purl.

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rep Rnds 1-2, 2 more times, cut B.

With A, knit even in St st for 4 (5½, 6)".

SIZES

Infant (Child, Adult)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Circumference: 14 (18, 20)"

Height: 5 (7, 8)"

MATERIALS

Premier Yarns® Hush (100% polyester; 50gm/88 yds)

- #40-07 Celery (A) – 1 ball
- #40-03 Pastel Yellow (B) – 1 ball

Premier Yarns® Eversoft (100% acrylic; 85gm/158 yds)

- #70-34 Black (C) – 1 ball

Needle/Hook: US Size 9 (5.5 mm) double pointed needles (dpns) and optional 16" circular or J-10 (6mm) crochet hook *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, polyester stuffing

GAUGE

12 sts x 16 rows = 4" in St st

or

10 sc x 11 rows = 4"

Save time, check your gauge.

Crown

Rnd 1: *K7 (9, 10), pm; rep from * 4 more times, k to end.

Rnd 2: *Knit to 2 before m, k2tog; rep from * 5 more times – 6 sts dec'd.

Rnd 3: Knit.

Rep Rnds 2-3, 4 (5, 6) more times – 18 sts rem.

Rep Rnd 2, 2 more times – 6 sts rem.

Cut yarn and thread through rem sts. Pull snug.

Earflaps (make 2)

With B, cast on 24 sts.

Row 1 (WS): K12, pm, k12. Cut B.

Row 2 (RS): With S, ssk, knit to 2 before m, k2tog, ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 4 sts dec'd.

Row 3: Knit.

Rep Rows 2-3, 3 more times – 8 sts rem.

Rep Row 2, 1 more times – 4 sts rem.

Cut yarn and thread through rem sts. Pull snug.

Eyes (make 2)

Back

With A and dpns, cast on 3 sts.

Row 1: [Kfb] 3 times – 6 sts.

Pm and join to work in the round.

Rnd 1: [Kfb] 6 times – 12 sts.

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rnd 3: * Kfb, k1; rep from * 5 times – 18 sts.

Rnd 4: Bind off 4 sts, knit to end – 14 sts.

Begin working back and forth on 14 sts.

Knit 2 rows. Cut A.

Front

Row 1: With B, knit to end, cast on 4 sts – 18 sts.

Pm and join to work in the round.

Rnd 1: *K2tog, k1; rep from * 5 times – 12 sts.

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rnd 3: [K2tog] 6 times – 6 sts.

Cut yarn and thread through rem sts. Pull snug.

Crochet Hat

Crown

With A, ch 4, join to form a ring.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in ring. Pm in 1st st of rnd. Work in continuous spiral moving marker each rnd.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around – 12 sc.

Rnd 3: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 5 more times – 18 sc.

Rnd 4: *Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 5 more times – 24 sc.

Rnd 5: *Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 5 more times – 30 sc.

Rnd 6: *Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 5 more times – 36 sc.

Child Size Only

Rnd 7: *Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 5 more times – 42 sc.

Rnd 8: *Sc in each of next 13 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 2 more times – 45 sc.

Adult Size Only

Rnd 7: *Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 5 more times – 42 sc.

Rnd 8: *Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 5 more times – 48 sc.

Rnd 9: *Sc in each of next 15 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 2 more times – 51 sc.

All Sizes

Work even in sc until hat measures 4 (6, 7)". Cut A.

With B, work even in sc for 1". Fasten off.

Ear Flaps (make 2)

With A, ch 2.

Row 1: 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, 3 sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, turn – 7 sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc turn – 11 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc turn – 15 sc.

Cut A.

Row 5: With B, ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 6 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc turn – 19 sc.
Fasten off.

Eyes (make 2)

Back

With A, ch 4, join to form a ring.

Rnd 1: 8 sc in ring. Pm in 1st st of rnd. Work in continuous spiral moving marker each rnd.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around – 16 sc.

Rnd 3: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * 7 more times, turn – 24 sc.

Rows 4-5: Ch 1, sc in each of next 20 sc, turn. Cut A.

Front

Rnd 1: With B, sc in each sc across, ch 4 – 20 sc, 4 ch.

Join to work in the rnd.

Rnd 2: *Sc in next 2 sts, sk next st; rep from * 7 more times – 16 sc.

Rnd 3: *Sc in next sc, sk next sc; rep from * 7 more times – 8 sc.

Fasten off.

Use yarn end to sew closed hole at center Front.

Finishing

Sew Earflaps to bottom edges of Hat, on opposite sides, slightly closer to the back of the hat.

With C, embroider pupils onto eyes.
Place small amount of stuffing in eyes, sew to top of hat.

With C, embroider facial features onto hat using photo as a guide.
Weave in ends.

Tassels (*make 2*)

Cut 3, 9" long pieces of A.

Cut 2, 9" long pieces of B.

Fold in half. Using crochet hook pass fold through tip of Earflap from back to front. Pass ends through fold and pull snug.

Abbreviations

ch chain
dec('d) decrease(d)
dpn double point needle
hk hook
k knit
k2tog knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
kfb knit into front & back of next st (1 st inc'd)
m marker
pm place marker
rem remain(ing)
rep repeat(ing)
rnd(s) round(s)
RS right side
sc single crochet
ssk slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
st(s) stitch(es)
WS wrong side