

A Hooker's World



Santa Claus Is Coming To Town
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This pattern is very similar to the Mojo Santa Hat pattern, except that there are two increases per round versus one. I've made this hat before with one increase per round, but because these hats were for children, I did not think an extra long point was appropriate.

As always, when constructing an item for children, I used acrylic yarn. You may substitute any yarn you choose with appropriate hook, as my measuring instructions below will allow you to create a hat for any age.

As long as you know the desired circumference. Once you have the circumference, you can use the [handy-dandy circumference calculator](#) I found to calculate the diameter for easier measuring.

Because measuring is so easy, this pattern may be used for any age.

Materials

- Sufficient Yarn for your hat
- Appropriate hook
- Tapestry Needle
- Pom Pom Maker (optional)
- Snippers

Legend

ch = chain

ss = slip stitch

hdc = half double crochet

st(s) = stitch(stitches)

Instructions

Hat

ch 1 + 2 (counts as hdc).

Round 1: 5 Hdc in first stitch. Ss in top of beginning ch 2

Round 2: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st, 1 hdc in next two sts, 2 hdc in next st, 1 hdc in next two hdc, ss in first hdc.

Round 3: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st, 1 hdc in next two sts, 2 hdc in next st, 1 hdc in next three hdc, ss in first hdc.

Round 4: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st, 1 hdc in next two sts, 2 hdc in next st, 1 hdc in next four hdc, ss in first hdc.

Repeat in pattern to desired diameter/circumference.

Fasten off.

Brim

Attach yarn with inside of hat facing you and outside of hat away from you.

Ch 1. Sc in same stitch and each stitch around closing round with ss in top of first sc. Repeat for six rows.

Fasten with tail long enough to baste around circumference of hat.

Turn brim up so that the first row of your brim is not visible from the outside of the hat, the second row of your brim is positioned so that it is the bottom of your hat, and the last four rows are visible around the outside of the hat.

Baste the first (inside hat) and third row (outside hat) together. This will prevent the brim from moving, keeping the bottom of the edge of your hat more presentable, and hiding the joining row inside the hat.

Tie ends together and sew in all ends if you have not already crocheted them in.

Pom Pom

The pom pom is optional, and here is a video tutorial on how to make a pom pom with your hands. if you don't own a pom pom maker. Affix to hat.

Proviso

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