BASIC HAT PATTERN

This is a basic hat pattern that I have used for years for the hats I make. You can use this same pattern for a cloche or a brim hat with a few adjustments. I have tried to write it out so that it will make sense for anyone who wants to try one. Keep in mind that I am not a pattern writer so it will help if you have some crocheting experience but it is not absolutely necessary. Just feel free to make it work. This is an easy basic pattern to make changes to by using different stitches. You can also adjust it to make it larger or smaller. So here you go:

This pattern was made using an H crochet hook and worsted weight 4 yarn.



Chain 3. Slip Stitch (Sl St) to form a ring.

Round 1 – Chain (ch) 1. 10 single crochet (sc) in ring. Join with a sl st in top of 1st st.

Round 2 – Ch 3. Double crochet (dc) in the same stitch. 2 dc in each stitch around. (20 DC) SI st in top chain of 1st dc. (You will use this method to join after each round.)

Round 3 - Ch 3. Dc in same st. *1 dc in next st. 2 dc in following st. Repeat from *. (30 DC) Join.

Round 4 - Ch 3. Dc in same st. * 1 dc in each of next 2 sts. 2 dc in the following stitch. Repeat from * (40 DC). Join.

Round 5 - Ch 3. Dc in same st. * 1 dc in each of next 3 sts. 2 dc in the following stitch. Repeat from * (50 DC). Join.

Round 6 - Ch 3. Dc in same st. * 1 dc in each of next 4 sts. 2 dc in the following stitch. Repeat from * (60 DC). Join.

(For larger hats add another round here where you increase after 5 stitches. If that makes it too large try using a half dc instead of the dc. For a smaller size hat leave off round 6.)

Round 7 - Ch 3. 1 dc in each stitch around. Join.

Round 8 - 13. Repeat Round 7.

Round 14 – Ch 1. Sc in each st around. Join.

Round 15 – Repeat Round 14.

Round 16 – Ch 1. Sc in next st. *2 sc in following st. Sc in each of next 2 sts. Repeat from * around. Join.

Round 17 - Ch 1. * Sc in each of the following 5 sts. 2 sc in next. Repeat from * around. Join.

Round 18 – Repeat Round 14.

Round 19 - Ch 1. * Sc in each of the following 8 sts. 2 sc in next. Repeat from * around. Join.

Round 20 – Repeat Round 14.

(For a cloche. Stop the rounds here and go to Round 24.)

Round 21-23 – Repeat Round 14.

(To make a wider brim or roll, add another round here.)

Round 24 – Slip Stitch in each st around and finish off by knotting off and weaving in the end of yarn.

Roll up edge to shape.



