



## **Cozy, Easy, Ribbed Hat Crochet Pattern**

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### **Materials**

Yarn: size 6, super bulky: ~ 150 to 200 yards  
 Hook: 8.00 mm / US L or 11/ UK 0 or desired size  
 Scissors, Yarn Needle  
 Pompom

### **Stitch Legend**

r – row  
 st(s) – stitch(es)      sp(s) – space(es)  
 ch(s) – chain(s)      sl st – slip stitch  
 sc – single crochet      hdc – half double crochet  
 blo – back loops only



### **Notes (Important! Read these before starting)**

- the number of stitches you have in each row will always be the same
- stitch count will be 1 less than your foundation chain number
- you can use single crochet OR half double crochet, **but stick to the same stitch throughout**
- measure from forehead up to top middle of head, add 7.5 cm (3”), this measurement is your Row Length
- measure around your head (over your ears), this circumference measurement is your Total Rows Height

### **Common Hat Measurements:**

Row length: Babies 22.5 cm (9”), Kids 25.0 cm (10”), Teens/Ladies 27.5 cm (11”), Men 32.5 cm (13”)  
 Total rows height: Babies 43 cm (17”), Kids 50 cm (20”), Teens/Ladies 57.5 cm (23”), Men 63 cm (25”)

### **Pattern – Chain a length that matches your target Row Length (see above) Err on the long side!**

**R1:** using sc OR hdc, crochet into the 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from the hook, crochet into each ch across. Ch 1, turn

**R2:** using blo, crochet in each st across. Ch 1, turn

**R3 – End Row:** repeat Row 2. Continue the pattern until the height of your fabric measures the target circumference measurement (see Notes above or Common Hat Measurements: Total Rows Height).

**Seam:** hold foundation row and last row edges together. Working through each set of sts, sl st down the edge to create a seam. Fasten off and leave a long tail (60 cm or 24 inches).

**With yarn needle:** thread up long tail and weave it, in and out, through an edge loop of each row around, cinching as you go to close in top of hat. Cinch it as tight as you can, then weave it in and out through a few more stitches around opening to cinch the hole in completely, pull end through to inside of hat, knot and weave in ends.

**Attach Pompom (or Hat Dongle):** with long tails left on Pompom, pull tails down through either side of the cinched top of hat, knot tightly on the inside, weave in ends.

Turn up the bottom edge for a brim.

### **Fun Ideas:**

- Add appliques to personalize the hat
- Try self-striping yarn for easy stripes
- No super bulky yarn? Try 2 strands of medium held together!
- Do every row a different colour for a wild rainbow effect!