

Daisy Farm Crafts

Annie's Crochet Purple Hat



Pattern by Tiffany Brown

MATERIALS

Patons Classic Wool Roving (100% wool, 100 g/3.5 oz, 109 m/120 yds)

2 skeins Frosted Plum

Size J/6.0mm hook, scissors, tapestry needle

Pom pom (optional)

SIZE

Medium women's hat

STITCHES

Slip Stitch (SL ST): Insert your hook, (yarn over) YO, pull up a loop and pull directly through loop on hook.

Half Double Crochet (HDC): YO, insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through three loops.

PATTERN

Chain 30. (Measure this chain from your eyebrows to the crown of your head and if it is too short for you add 2 or more or, if it's too long, take 2 chains off. You need any even number to make this pattern work.)

Row 1: *Slip stitch into the second chain from hook. Half Double Crochet (HDC) into the next stitch. Repeat from * until there are 3 chain spaces left. Slip Stitch into the last 3 chain spaces. CH 1 and turn.

Row 2: Slip Stitch into the first 3 sts working into the back loops only. *HDC into the next HDC, slip stitch into the next slip stitch (under both loops). Repeat from * to the end of the row. CH 1 and turn. (Your last stitch of the row should be a slip stitch.)

Row 3: *Slip Stitch into the first st. HDC into the next HDC. Repeat from * to the last 3 sts. Slip Stitch into the back loops of the final 3 sts of the row. CH 1 and turn.

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until hat measures 2.5 inches shorter than the measured head circumference. For example, an average woman's head size is 22 inches, make your hat 19.5 inches wide.

With a tapestry needle, use the starting tail, or cut a long tail from your last stitch to gather the end with the 3 slip stitches together to close the top of the hat. Then continue to sew the two sides together. Weave in the ends.

Attach a pom pom if desired. (I purchased a faux fur pom pom from my local craft store.)

xo, Tiffany