

# Daisy Farm Crafts

## Crochet Back Loop Mesh Stitch Hat



### MATERIALS

1 box of the Daisy Farm Crafts Curated Forever Fleece Box

Includes 5 skeins of Bernat Forever Fleece Yarn; (Balsam (2 skeins), Matcha, Patchouli, Bergamot)

- Content: 100% polyester
- Each skein is 280g / 9.9oz, 177m / 194yd
- Total: 1400g / 49.5oz, 885m / 970yd
- Gauge: 6 Super Bulky

9mm hook, tapestry needle, scissors, stitch markers

Pom pom, button

### SIZE

Newborn - Adult

### STITCHES

Single Crochet (SC): Insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through two loops on hook.

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

Chain (CH): YO and pull through loop on hook.

## HAT SIZING

Hat Sizing by Age	If your head circumference measures this...	...then make the hat height (base chain) this...	...and make the width of your hat this...
Preemie	12-13 in	6 in	9-10 in
Newborn-3 Months	13-14 in	7 in	10-11 in
3-6 Months	14-15 in	8 in	11-12 in
6-12 Months	15-16 in	9.5 in	12-13 in
12-24 Months	16-18 in	10 in	13-15 in
Child (3-10 years)	19-20 in	11 in	16-17 in
Teen/Small Adult	21 in	11 in	18 in
Medium Adult	22 in	11.5 in	19 in
Large Adult	23 in	12 in	20 in

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For a snug fitting beanie you'd measure from the top of your eyebrows, to the crown of your head. A medium adult size is about 8.5 to 9 inches. You'd make your chain any odd number to 8.5 to 9 inches.

To make it slouchy, add 2 inches to that number. To make a wide brim, add 3 inches or maybe even 4 inches. My favorite with this yarn was to make it more like a beanie or slightly slouchy beanie.

I'll give you a size chart and you can decide the length that you'd like to make it. For the width, you want to make it 2 inches less than the head circumference. That will allow for some stretch.

So for example, a medium adult head circumference is 22 inches, so you'd crochet the width to be 20 inches.

The above chart is for snug fitting beanie hats. Please add inches for the height for a slouchy look, or add inches for the amount of brim you'd like to fold up.

## PATTERN

Chain 26 (Or any even number for the height of hat you'd like)

**ROW 1:** SL ST into the second chain from the hook and the next 2 sts. SC into the next st. \*CH 1, skip one chain, SC into the next st. Repeat from \* across the row until there is one chain left. SC into final chain. CH 1 and turn.

Tip: at the end of the row, the final 2 sts are SC.

**ROW 2:** SC under both loops of the first SC of the row. SC into the back loop of the next SC. \*CH 1, skip over ch from previous row, SC into the back loop of the next SC. Repeat from \* across the row until all SC are worked. SL ST into the back loop of the remaining 3 sts. CH 1 and turn.

**ROW 3:** SL ST into the back loop of each SL ST. Work SC into the back loop of SC, \*CH 1, skip over ch from previous row, SC into the back loop of the next SC. Repeat from \* across the row. Work under both loops of final SC of the row. CH 1 and turn.

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until you have the width you need. (Approximately 42 to 44 rows for adult medium)

On the last row of row 3 instructions, tie off with a long tail to use for sewing up the side and cinching in the top of the hat.

Use a tapestry needle to sew the two sides of the hat together and then weave the tail in and out of the slip stitches on the top of the hat. Work the needle a few more times around the top to further cinch it tight.

Attach a button on the underside of the hat. With a crochet hook, reach up through the middle of the hat and pull the elastic of the pom pom through. Twist a few times around the button.

Weave in all ends.

Please watch the video tutorial if you have questions:

Note, the video tutorial the starting chain is 35 for a longer hat.

[https://youtu.be/k\\_InOlcoaKA](https://youtu.be/k_InOlcoaKA)

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