



Crochet Spider web Hat

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Video tutorial – https://youtu.be/L_bRfVMLefA



Colour A – Main part of hat

Colour B - Lines

8 Ply/Double Knit/Sports weight yarn and a 4mm/G hook

Medium worsted weight yarn and a 5.5mm/I hook

Measuring tape and stitch marker

Scissors and Yarn needle



- If you do not know how to make a hat to fit, there are instructions at the end of the pattern
- Crochet stretches so keep this in mind when making hats. If you make a hat ½ inch smaller than given measurements it will stretch to fit
- **Important – make sure your slip stitches are snug (I kept crocheting into it on my first version, if you do this you will gain stitches ☹)**
- **Use a stitch marker to mark you first half double crochet of the round**
- Mathematical formula to make your hat fit
- Head circumference measurement divided by 3.14 = the measurement from 1 edge to the other. Keep increasing until you have that measurement

For example:

58cm divided by 3.14 = 18 cm (The answer is 18.4cm, you need to round down your answer to nearest whole number)

Keep increasing the hat crown until it is 18cm

- The formula will also work for inches
1. With colour B - Magic ring or chain 4 and join with a slip stitch. Ch 1, (does not count as a stitch here and throughout the pattern) 10 hdc into the ring (if you want it a firmer fit do 8 hdc into the ring) join with a slip stitch to the first hdc, finish off
 2. With colour A - Ch 1, 2 hdc into the same stitch, 2 hdc into each stitch around, join with a slip stitch to the first hdc
 3. Ch 1, hdc into same stitch, 2 hdc into the next stitch, *hdc into next stitch, 2 hdc into the next stitch* repeat from * to * round and join with a slip stitch into the 1st hdc, finish off

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4. With colour B - Ch 1, hdc into same stitch, 1 hdc into the next 3 stitches, dtr (double treble) around the post of the hdc 3 rows below (round 1) The dtr counted as our increase, when you do the next hdc on this round it will be in the next stitch, no stitches are skipped
1 hdc into the next 3 stitches, dtr around the post of the next available hdc 3 rows below (round 1) repeat from * to * round and join with a slip stitch into the 1st hdc, finish off

Remember to measure your hat as you go to make sure you have enough rounds ☺

If at any time you have enough increase rounds you can skip to row 9 or 10 – depending if your next row is a hdc round or a dtr round

5. With colour A - Ch 1, hdc into same stitch, 1 hdc into the next 2 stitches *2 hdc into next stitch, 1 hdc into the next 3 stitches* repeat from * to * round and join with a slip stitch into the 1st hdc
6. Ch 1, hdc into same stitch, 1 hdc into the next 3 stitches * 2 hdc into the next stitch, hdc into next 4 stitches* repeat from * to * round and join with a slip stitch into the 1st hdc, finish off
7. With colour B – ch 1, hdc into the same stitch, hdc into the next 5 stitches, dtr around the post of the dtr crochet 3 rows below *1 hdc into the next 6 stitches, dtr around the post of the dtr from round 4* repeat from * to * round and join with a slip stitch into the 1st hdc, finish off
8. With colour A – ch 1, hdc into the same stitch, 1 hdc into the next 5 stitches, 2 hdc into the next stitch *1 hdc into the next 6 stitches, 2 hdc into the next stitch* * repeat from * to * round and join with a slip stitch into the 1st hdc

If you need to make more increase continue with pattern, each row will have 1 more hdc in between each increase-remember to change colour every 3rd row

9. Ch 1 hdc into the same stitch, hdc into each stitch around, join with a slip stitch to the 1st hdc, finish off
10. With colour B - Ch 1, hdc into the same stitch *hdc into each stitch around until you get to the stitch that lines up with the dtr from 3 rows below (see image 1) dtr around the post of the dtr from 3 rounds below, skip the stitch that is underneath the dtr (see image 2) *repeat from * to * join with a slip stitch to the 1st hdc, finish off



11. With colour A - Ch 1, hdc into the same stitch, hdc into each stitch around, join with a slip stitch to the 1st hdc
12. Ch 1, hdc into the same stitch, hdc into each stitch around, join with a slip stitch to the 1st hdc, finish off
13. With colour B - Ch 1, hdc into the same stitch *hdc into each stitch around until you get to the stitch that lines up with the dtr from 3 rows below (see image above) dtr around the post of the dtr from round 7, skip the stitch that is underneath the dtr (see image below)*repeat from * to * join with a slip stitch to the 1st hdc
14. As we work around the starting point for the double treble round naturally shifts, just make sure you are skipping that stitch when doing a double treble otherwise you will increase you hat

Repeat rounds 11 – 13 until you have desired length – finish on row 13 - use the information at the end of the pattern if you are unsure of sizing

If you need to make the hat smaller around the brim, evenly work single crochets and singles crochet decreases to make it fit

Finish off and sew in any loose ends

Thank you for choosing my pattern

Happy Crochet

Clare xx

Head Measurements

0-3 months

Hat height = 5.5 to 6"
Head Circumference 13" - 14"

3 to 6 months

Hat height= 6.5 - 7"
Head Circumference: 14" - 17"

6 to 12 months

Hat height = 7.5"
Head Circumference: 16" - 19"

12 months - 3 years

Hat height = 8"
Head Circumference: 18" to 20"

3 - 10 years

Hat height =8.5"
Head Circumference: 19" - 20 1/2"

Teenager

Hat height 9-10"
Head Circumference: 20 1/2" - 22"

Adult Woman

Hat height 9-10"
Head Circumference: 21.5" - 22.5"

Adult Man

Hat height 9-10"
Head Circumference: 23" - 24"

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