

Half Double Crochet Hat



Supplies:

- Size I crochet hook
- 2 skeins worsted weight Sugar and Cream all cotton yarn (2.5 oz)
- Yarn needle for sewing the hat

Directions:

HDC (also know as short double) Yarn over, insert hook in work pull up loop, yarn over (3 loops on hook), yarn over and pull through all loops at once

Chain 74

Row 1: 1 Half Double Crochet (HDC) in 3rd chain from hook (first 2 chains count as a stitch) 1 HDC in each chain to end turn. 73 stitches

Row 2 – 15: Chain 2. skip first HDC, 1 HDC in each HDC to the end

Row 16: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 10 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (66 stitches)

Row 17: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 9 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (60 stitches)

Row 18: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 8 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (55 stitches)

Row 19: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 7 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (49 stitches)

Row 20: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 6 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (42 stitches)

Row 21: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 5 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (35 stitches)

Row 22: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 4 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (30 stitches)

Row 23: Chain 2. *skip next HDC, 1 HDC in each of the next 3 HDC; repeat from * to the end of row. (23 stitches)

Row 24 & 25: Ch1, *Draw up a loop in the next 3 stitches, YO – draw loop through all 4 loops on hook. Repeat from * across row. Fasten off. Sew back seam with yarn needle.