Little Girl's Adjustable Winter Hat



Skill Level: Beginner / Débutante / Novicecia

Supplies: As Shown-5" x 16" excluding ties, 3 oz Caron Simply Soft Eco (Peachy #0013), Size F/5/3.75mm Crochet Hook.

Stitches Used: ch (chain), slst (slip stitch), sc (single crochet), scdec (decrease single crochet).

Gauge: 7 sc = 2", 8 sc rows = 2".**** Directions: Rnd. 1: ch2, sc in 2nd ch from hook, ch1, turn. 1sc Rnd. 2: 2sc in first sc, ch1, turn. 2sc Rnd. 3: 2sc in first 2 sc, ch1, turn. 4sc Rnd. 4: sc in each sc, ch1, turn. 4sc Rnd. 5: 2sc in first sc, sc in next 2 sc, 2sc in next sc, ch1, turn. 6sc Rnd. 6: repeat rnd. 4. 6sc Rnd. 7: 2sc in first sc, sc in next 4 sc, 2sc in next sc, ch1, turn. 8sc Rnd. 8: repeat rnd. 4. 8sc Rnd. 9: 2sc in first sc, sc in next 6 sc, 2sc in next sc, ch1, turn. 10sc Rnd. 10: repeat rnd. 4. 10sc

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Rnd. 11: 2sc in first sc, sc in next 8 sc, 2sc in next sc, ch1, turn. 12sc

Rnd. 12: repeat rnd. 4. 12sc

Rnd. 13: 2sc in first sc, sc in next 10 sc, 2sc in next sc, ch1, turn. 14sc

Rnd. 14: repeat rnd. 4. 14sc

Rnd. 15: 2sc in first sc, sc in next 12 sc, 2sc in next sc, ch1, turn. 16sc

Rnd. 16: repeat rnd. 4. 16sc

Rnd. 17: 2sc in first sc, sc in next 14 sc, 2sc in next sc, ch1, turn. 18sc

Rnds. 18-49: repeat rnd. 4. 18sc

Note: if a longer hat is desired, repeat rnd. 4, four times for each additional inch that is desired.

Rnd. 50: scdec over first 2 sc, sc in next 14 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn.

Rnd. 51: repeat rnd. 4. 16sc

Rnd. 52: scdec over first 2 sc, sc in next 12 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn. 14sc

Rnd. 53: repeat rnd. 4. 14sc

Rnd. 54: scdec over next 2 sc, sc in next 10 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn. 12sc

Rnd. 55: repeat rnd. 4. 12sc

Rnd. 56: scdec over next 2 sc, sc in next 8 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn. 10sc

Rnd. 57: repeat rnd. 4. 10sc

Rnd. 58: scdec over first 2 sc, sc in next 6 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn. 8sc

Rnd. 59: repeat rnd. 4. 8sc

Rnd. 60: scdec over first 2 sc, sc in next 4 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn. 6sc

Rnd. 61: repeat rnd. 4. 6sc

Rnd. 62: scdec over first 2 sc, sc in next 2 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn. 4sc

Rnd. 63: repeat rnd. 4. 4sc

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Rnd. 64: scdec over first 2 sc, scdec over next 2 sc, ch1, turn. 2sc

Rnd. 65: scdec over first 2 sc, ch56, turn, slst in 2^{nd} ch from hook and slst in next 54ch, do not join, ch1, do not turn. (*Note: this creates first tie-if rows were added to the length of the hat, ch 66 instead of 56*)

Rnd. 66: working in the ends of rnds, sc in each rnd. to first sc on opposite side of hat, ch56, slst in 2^{nd} ch from hook and slst in next 54 ch, ch1, working in ends of rnds, sc in each rnd. to last sc on opposite side of hat, ch1, skip over tie, join with slst to front loop of next sc, ch1, do not turn. (Note: if the ruffle is not desired, join with slst to beginning sc, fasten off)

Rnd. 67: (*Ruffle*) working in front loops, sc, ch3, sc in first sc, sc, ch3, sc in each sc and ch-1 sp around hat, join with slst to beginning sc, fasten off, weave in end.

Hat can be decorated as desired with embroidery or buttons or appliqué or little bows or whatever strikes your fancy!