



Elf Style Beanie

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<http://cats-rockin-crochet.blogspot.com/>

Video tutorial - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DBoPhowrDVY>



EASY

Hook size 4.00 mm / G

Yarn, 8 ply/DK/Sports weight Yarn

OR

Medium worsted weight yarn and a 5.5mm / I
hook

US terms used throughout pattern

St's used:

Sl st = slip stitch

Ch = chain

Sc= single crochet

Hdc= half double crochet

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

Head Measurements

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 •

0 to 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 to 3 years - Hat height = 8" Head Circumference: 18" to 20"

3 -to 10 years - Hat height = 8.5" Head Circumference: 19" - 20 1/2"

Teenager Hat height – 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"

Beginning at top tail of the hat: ch 5, join with sl st to first ch to form a ring, ch 1

Round 1: work 6 hdc into the ring, do not join round

Round 2: work 1 hdc in each hdc around (6 hdc)

Repeat Round 2, for a length of approx 30 cm's (12 inches) long, or length desired. Upon completion count your st's, you should still have 6 hdc, if not adjust accordingly (increase or decrease)

Begin hat part: Use a stitch marker to keep track of your rounds, place stitch maker in last stitch of each round

Round 1: work 2 hdc's in each hdc around; do not join round, (12 hdc)

Round 2: *1 hdc into the next hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (18 hdc)

Round 3: *1 hdc into each of the next 2 hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (24 hdc)

Round 4: *1 hdc into each of the next 3 hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (30 hdc)

Round 5: *1 hdc into each of the next 4 hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (36 hdc) **If you are making an infant hat check your measurements for your hat to make sure you have made enough increase rounds**

Round 6: *1 hdc into each of the next 5 hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (42 hdc) **Check your measurements for your hat to make sure you have made enough increase rounds**

Round 7: *1 hdc into each of the next 6 hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (48 hdc)

Round 8: *1 hdc into each of the next 7 hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (54 hdc) **Check your measurements for your hat to make sure you have made enough increase rounds**

Round 9: *1 hdc into each of the next 8 hdc, work 2 hdc into the next hdc* repeat from *to* to end of round, do not join round (60 hdc)

Round 10: 1 hdc into each hdc to end of round, do not join round

Repeat Round 10 until you have your height

To finish - when round complete work 1 sc in next st, then sl st next 2 st's. Attach a pompom for the final touch

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Thank you for choosing my pattern, happy crochet, Clare xx