

McCalls Pattern M8543 - Crochet Doll Hat

SUPPLIES FOR HAT:

- Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet Thread, size 10
- Crochet Hook, size B (or size to obtain gauge)
- 11-1/4" length of 1/8" wide Elastic

SUPPLIES FOR HAT TRIM:

- Strip of fabric measuring 8-1/4" long X 2" wide
- 6" length of 1/8" wide ribbon
- One purchased ribbon rosette

GAUGE: 8dc = 1"

INSTRUCTIONS:

Beginning at center, ch 2.

Round 1: Work 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook; join with sl st to 1st sc – 6 sc.

Round 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same sc in joining and in each sc all around; join – 12 sc.

Round 3: Ch 3 (chain counts as 1st dc now and throughout pattern), dc in same sc as joining. 2 dc in next sc, *dc in next sc, 2 dc in next sc; repeat from * all around, join with sl st in top of ch 3 – 18 dc.

Round 4: Ch 3, dc in next dc and all around. Join with sl st in top of chain – 36 dc.

Round 5: Repeat round 3, ending in 54 dc.

Round 6: Repeat round 5, ending in 81 dc.

Round 7: Ch 3, dc in next dc and all around. Join with sl st in top of chain – 81 dc.

Round 8: Ch 1, *2 sc in next dc, 27 sc; repeat from * twice. Join with sl st to 1st sc – 84 sc.

Round 9: Ch 5 (typical ch 3 plus 2), skip over next 2 sc, *dc in next 2 secs, ch 2: repeat from * all around. Join with sl st in 3rd ch of the 5 beginning the round – 84 dc.

Round 10: Ch 1, sc in next sl st. Sc all around. Join with sl st to 1st sc – 84 sc.

Round 11: Repeat round 9.

Round 12: Repeat round 10.

Round 13: Ch 1, *sc in next sc, ch 1, skip 1 sc; repeat from * all around. Join with sl st. Fasten off and weave in ends.

Weave elastic through gaps in last round and secure.

HAT TRIM INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Fray one long edge of fabric strip. Join short ends in 1/4" seam allowance.
2. Gather tightly along other long (not fringed) edge. Secure.
3. Hand stitch to hat as shown in photo.
4. Tack ribbon and rosette on top, tacking through all thicknesses.