

Bulky Messy Bun Beanie by Hooked Hazel



Materials needed:

Super bulky yarn (such as Hometown USA or Woolease Thick & Quick) – less than one skein

10 mm crochet hook

Yarn needle (for weaving in ends)

Hair elastic such as Goody Ouchless (the thick kind)

Abbreviations Used:

sc – Single crochet

hdc – Half double crochet

blo – Back loops only

ch – Chain

slst – Slip stitch

NOTE: Ch1 at beginning of each round does not count as a stitch. If ch1 does not provide you sufficient height, you may ch 2. Personally, ch1 gives me a cleaner look. First hdc of each round will be worked in the same stitch you slst the previous row in.

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Instructions (body of hat):

Round 1 – sc 16 around hair elastic, slst to first stitch, ch1 (16)

Round 2 – hdc blo in the first sc of previous round (the one you slst in), 2 hdc blo in next. *hdc blo in next, then 2hdc blo* repeat from * to *, join with slst to beginning hdc, ch1 (24)

Round 3 – hdc blo in the first two hdc of previous round (including the one you slst in), 2 hdc blo in third. *hdc blo in next 2, then 2hdc blo* repeat from * to *, join with slst to beginning hdc, ch1 (32)

Round 4 – hdc blo in the first three hdc of previous round (including the one you slst in), 2 hdc blo in fourth. *hdc blo in next 3, then 2hdc blo* repeat from * to *, join with slst to beginning hdc, ch1 (40)

Rounds 4-8 – hdc blo around, join with slst to beginning hdc, ch1 (40)

DO NOT FASTEN OFF – BRIM IS WORKED ADJOINED TO HAT

Instructions (brim):

With yarn still attached to body of the hat, ch 4 (you should have already ch1 at the end of the last row, for a total of 5 ch stitches).

Row 1: sc blo in first ch from hook, to the brim (4), sc in next two stitches along the bottom edge of hat, turn

Row 2: sc blo along the edge of the brim (4) ch1, turn

Row 3: sc blo to the brim (4), sc in next two stitches along the bottom edge of hat, turn

Repeat rows 2 & 3 around the hat. Slst your last row of the brim to the first. Fasten off and weave in ends.