Alpacas in Wildcat Hollow 100% Alpaca Yarn

Romantic Cloche

This feminine cloche is quick to crochet and economical, too—one 200 yd skein of Alpacas in Wildcat Hollow sport weight yarn will yield two caps, making excellent holiday gifts! Version shown uses Tino yarn and pink ribbon.

Yarn & Materials

- H/8 crochet hook
- 1.5 yd narrow ribbon
- 1.5 yd matching wider ribbon
- 1 skein Alpacas in Wildcat Hollow Sportweight Yarn (100% alpaca, 200 yd)

Gauge: 4" = 14 st in DC

To save time, always check gauge!

Size: Women's S (M/L)

Crown

Ch 4. Join with sl st.

Rnd 1: Ch 2, dc 11 (13) into ring, finishing with sl st through 2nd ch to end md.

Rnd 2: Ch 2, dc into 1st st, then dc twice into each st, finishing with sl st through 2nd ch to end md.

Rnd 3: Ch 2, dc 1, then dc twice into the next and every third st of md (and dc once into all other st), finishing with sl st through 2nd ch to end md.

Rnd 4: Ch 4, *sl st into 2nd st (skipping every other st), ch 3, repeat from * to end, finishing with sl st into 1st ch st to end md.

Rnd 5: Ch 2, *sc into loop, ch 3, repeat from * around md, ending with ch 2 and finishing with sl st into 1st ch st to end md.

Rnd 6: Ch 6, skip that first half-loop, *dc into next loop, ch 4, repeat from * around md, ending with ch 4, and finishing with sl st into 2nd ch st to end md.

Rnd 7: Ch 2, *sc 2 into loop, dc into top of prev row’s dc st, sc 1 into loop, dc into top of prev row’s dc st, repeat from * around md (you may end mid-pattern), finishing with sl st into 2nd ch st to end md.

Top eyelets

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc 1, sc twice into the next and every third st of md (and sc once into all other st), finishing with sl st to end md.

Rnd 9: Ch 1, sc 3, *ch 1, skip next st, sc 4, repeat from * around md, finishing with sl st to end md.

Rnd 10: Ch1, sc across md, working into the eyelet when you pass prev row’s ch st, finishing with sl st to end md.

Rnd 11 & 12: Ch 2, dc across md, finishing with sl st through 2nd ch to end md.

Bottom eyelets

Rnd 13: Ch 1, sc across md, finishing with sl st to end md.

Rnds 14: Ch 1, sc 1, *ch 1, skip next st, sc 2, repeat from * to end of md (finishing mid-pattern is fine), finishing with sl st to end md.

Rnd 15: Ch1, sc across md, working into the eyelet when you pass prev row’s ch st, finishing with sl st to end md.

Bottom edge

Rnd 16: Repeat Rnd 4

Rnd 17: Ch 1, *sc into loop, sl st into same loop, repeat from * to end of md, finishing with sl st to end md.

Rnd 18: Ch 1, sc 3, *skip next st, sc 4, repeat from * to end of md, sl st to join md, and fasten off.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Weave wider ribbon through top eyelets, beginning and ending to side. Repeat with narrow ribbon and bottom eyelets. Try on hat to knot ribbon to fit. Tie s into bows.

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Abbreviations

- Ch/ch chain
- Dc/dc double crochet
- Rnd round
- Sc/sc single crochet
- Sl st slip stitch
- St/st stitch