

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 rnd.

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

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

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 rnd.



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



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



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 rnd (you may end mid-pattern), finishing with sl st into 2nd ch st to end rnd.



Top eyelets

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

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



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



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

Bottom eyelets

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

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

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

Bottom edge

Rnd 16: Repeat Rnd 4

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



Rnd 18: Ch 1, sc 3, *skip next st, sc 4, repeat from * to end of rnd, sl st to join rnd, 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. © 2006 Nikol Lohr/thriftyknitter.com

Abbreviations:

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