CHRIS’ CAP FOR MEN

Materials:
Hook: Size K (6.5mm)
Yarn: 1 skein Berroco Comfort, Caron Simply Soft, or any worsted yarn from our required yarn list.
Stitch marker
Tapestry needle

Instructions:

Cap:
Chain 3, join with slip stitch to form ring.

Rnd 1: (sc, ch 1), 9 times in ring.
Do not join as cap is made in spiral. Mark beginning of each round.

Rnd 2: *(Sc, ch 1 in each sc); repeat from * around.

Rnd 3: *(sc, ch 1 in first sc; sc, ch 1 in next space; sc, ch 1 in next sc); repeat from *around.

Rnd 4: Repeat Rnd 3.

Rnd 5: *(sc, ch 1 into each sc); repeat from * around.

Rnd 6: *(sc, ch 1 into next 2 sc; sc, ch 1 into next ch 1 space; sc, ch 1 into next sc); repeat from *around.

Note: This is the increase round. Every even number round is an increase round.

Rnd 7: Repeat Rnd 5.

Rnd 8: Repeat Rnd 6.

Rnd 9: Repeat Rnd 5.

Rnd 10: Repeat Rnd 6.

For an average man’s head: Continue until the diameter measures approximately 6 to 7 inches.

When the desired diameter is reached, repeat Rnd 5 (sc, ch 1 in each sc) until hat measures approximately 7 – 8 inches from the center of the crown. Slip stitch in next sc, pull yarn through, and cut. Pull tightly to secure, and weave in ends.

NOTE: Color changes can be made at any point to create stripes or borders.
To change colors, pull new color through loop on hook when desired and begin using new color.

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