ADJUSTED MEN'S HAT #3



Instructions -- Hat:

Measurements:

7 1/3" diameter after completion of row 10 equals 23" circumference adult size hat [+3sts]
7" diameter after completion row 10 equals 22" circumference adult size hat [+2 sts]
6 ³/₄" diameter after completion row 10 equals 21.5" circumference adult size hat [+/- 0 sts]
6 ¹/₂" diameter after completion row 10 equals 21" circumference adult size hat [-4sts]

8" from crown center to brim edge.

Adjust stitches from initial 10 sc in magic circle and

row [] stitches will also be changed for each changed diameter. Pattern is in 21.5" size and 6 3/4" diameter.

Use soft worsted weight yarn

Crown: [use G hook]

Make a magic circle. Use Blue Heather.

Ch1, 10sc in circle. Pull tight. Hide beginning end.

Row 1: ch1, 2sc in 1st sc, sc in next sc, *2sc in next sc, sc in next sc*, repeat around. Join. [15 stitches]

Row 2: ch1, 2sc in each sc. Join. [30sc]

Row 3: ch1, 2 sc in 1st sc, sc in next 2 sc, *2sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc*, repeat around. Join. [40 stitches]

Row 4: ch1, sc around, Join. [40stitches]

Row 5: ch1, 2 sc in 1st sc, sc in next 3sc, *2sc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc*, repeat around. Join. [50 stitches]

Row 6: ch1, sc around. Join. [50 stitches]

Row 7: ch1, 2 sc in 1st sc, sc in next 4sc, *2sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc*, repeat around. Join. [60 stitches]

Pattern changes here to Modified Sedge Stitch and Use H hook.

Row 8: [RS] *skip 1st stitch, [sc and dc] in next stitch*, repeat * to * To end of row. Join, <u>Turn.</u> [60 stitches] [30 sedge sts] [This is an even stitch row.]

Row 9: [WS] {increasing 5 sedge stitches on this row} In first dc do sedge st [sc/dc in same stitch], in next sc do sedge stitch, then in each of next 5 sc do sedge stitch

In next dc do sedge stitch, in next sc do sedge stitch, then in next 5 sc do sedge stitch, repeat around ending with the 5 stedge stitches. Join. Fasten Off.

70 sts around for each row from here on if doing 7" diameter. – Join at end of rows to the end of the hat. <u>Crown ends here</u>. Measure diameter here.

Sides: [use G 4.5mm hook]

Change color to Black. {Note: using Modified Sedge Stitch}. Row 1 is on RS. Do 2 rows of Row 8. [Join and Turn] Fasten Off. [35 sedge sts each row]

Change to White. {Note: using Modified Sedge Stitch}. Row 1 is on RS. Do 2 rows of Row 8. [Join and Turn] Fasten Off. [35 sedge sts each row]

Change to Blue {Note: using Textured Post Stitch}. Right Side Facing [outside of hat] – Do NOT TURN at the end of these rows.

Row 1: [RS] ch3, (counts as 1 dc), dc in each stitch across. Join. [Note: Each sc and dc should have a dc.] [70 dc]

Row 2: [RS] ch1 (counts as 1 sc), skip first st, 1sc into each st to end, working last st into top of ch, Join. [70 sc]

Row 3: [RS] ch3 (count as 1 dc), skip first st, *1tr around dc below next st, 1dc into next sc *; rep from * to end, Join. [35 TR and 35 DC sts]

Repeat Row 2 [RS] and 3 [RS] of this section once more. [Note tr should be around a dc post only.]

Repeat Row 2 [RS] of this section once more. Fasten Off.

Join and Turn at end of each row in this section.

Change to White {Note: using Modified Sedge Stitch}. Row 1 is on RS. Do 2 rows of Row 8. Fasten Off. [35 sedge sts each row]

Change to Black. {Note: using Modified Sedge Stitch}. Row 1 is on RS. Do 2 rows of Row 8. Fasten Off. [35 sedge sts each row]

Change to Heather Blue: {Note: using Modified Sedge Stitch} Row 1 is on RS. With Right Side Facing, do 2 rows of Row 8. [35 sedge sts]

Brim:

Using Blue Heather. Front Side Facing [outside of hat].

Row 1: [RS] ch1, sc around in each sc and dc around. Join. [70 sc]

Row 2: [RS] ch1, reverse sc in each sc around. Join. Finish Off. Hide all ends. [70 reverse sc]