

# Those were davs of roses 

The hat is crocheted in the round, from the centre, with a series of increases that create the shape of a flower. When the maximum circumference is reached, you shall crochet some round of decreares to give the hat the desired head circumference.

SIZE: Child (about $48 \mathrm{~cm} / 18.9$ inches head circumference); adult woman (about $56 \mathrm{~cm} / 22$ inches)
Level: experienced
MATERIAL:

- YARNS: Borgo de' Pazzi, Amore Cotton 300 ((75\% cotton,25\% polyester, $100 \mathrm{gr} / 300 \mathrm{~m}, 1$ ball: colour 102).
- Hook: 3 mm
- Blunt tip needle, scissors


## GAUGE:

Rnds 1-6 of hat: $10 \mathrm{~cm} / 4$ inches diameter

## Special STITCHES:

Extended double crochet: yo, insert hook through stitch, yo and pull up a loop, yo and draw through 1 loop on hook, (yo and draw through 2 loops together) twice.
Picot: ch 3, sl st in the first ch.

## US TERMINOLOGY USED Stitches \& abbreviations

chain stitch (ch); single crochet (sc); half double crochet (hdc); double crochet (dc); extendend double crochet (edc); repeat (rep); round (rnd); single crochet (sc); skip (sk); slip stitch (sl st); space (sp); stitch (st); together (tog); treble crochet (tr).

Note: instructions between brackets must be repeated for the number of times specified outside the brackets.


## INSTRUCTIONS:

Start: leaving a $15 \mathrm{~cm} / 6$ inches tail, ch 4 .
1 rnd: dc 12 in 1 st ch st, sl st in 1 st dc (starting ch does not count as a st). 12 dc .
2 rnd: ch 3 (do not count as a st), dc in same dc, hdc around dc vertical bar, *dc in same dc, hdc around dc vertical bar *; rep from * to * to end of rnd, join with sl st in 1st dc. 24 sts.

3 rnd: *dc in next hdc, hdc around dc vertical bar, sl st in next dc*; rep from * to * to last hdc, hdc around dc vertical bar, join with sl st in 1st dc. 36 sts.

4 rnd: ch 1, sc in same dc, ch 3, *sc in next dc, ch 3*; rep from * to * to end of rnd; join with sl st in 1st sc. $11 \mathrm{ch}-3 \mathrm{sps}$.

5 rnd: ch 1, sc in same sc, (hdc, dc, tr, picot, dc, hdc) in ch-3 sp, *sc in next sc, (hdc, dc, tr, picot, dc, hdc) in ch-3 sp*; rep from * to * to end of rnd; join with sl st in 1 st sc. 11 petals.

6 rnd: ch 1, hdc in same sc, ch 7, *hdc in next sc, ch 7*; rep from * to * to end of rnd; ; join with sl st in 1st hdc. 11 ch-7 sps.

7 rnd: ch 1, sc in same hdc, sc 7 in ch-7 sp, *sc in next hdc, sc 7 in ch-7 sp *; rep from *to *to end of rnd; join with sl st in $1 \mathrm{st} \mathrm{sc} .11 \mathrm{sc}-7 \mathrm{sps}$.

8 rnd: ch 1, sc in same sc, hdc in next sc, dc in next 2 sc , sk 1 sc , dc in next 2 sc , hdc in next sc, *sc in next sc, hdc in next sc, dc in each of next 2 sc , sk 1 sc , dc in each of next 2 sc , hdc in next sc*; rep from * to * to end of rnd; join with sl st in 1st sc. 88 sts.

9 rnd: ch 1, sc in same sc, hdc in next hdc, dc in next dc, ch 4, sk 2 sts, dc in next dc, hdc in next hdc, sc in next sc, *sc in next sc, hdc in next hdc, dc in next dc, ch 4, sk 2 sts, dc in next dc, hdc in next hdc, sc in next sc*; rep from * to * to end of rnd; join with sl st in 1st sc.

10 rnd: ch 3 (do not count as a st), dc in same sc, dc in next hdc, *ch 7, sk 6 sts (that is sk dc, ch 4, dc), dc 3*; rep from * to *, close rnd as foll: sk 6 sts, ch 7, dc in next hdc, join with sl st in 1st dc.

11 rnd: ch 1, sc in same dc, sc in next st, *(sc, hdc, dc, edc, tr, picot, edc, dc, hdc, sc) in ch-7 sp, sc 3*; rep from * to * to last st, sc in next dc, join with sl st in 1st sc.

12 rnd: ch 9 (count as 1 tr, ch 5), dc in next picot, *ch 5 , sk 5 sts, tr in next sc, ch 5 , sk 5 sts, sc in next picot*; rep from * to *, ending rnd as foll: sk 5 sts, ch 5, join with sl st in 4th of beg ch-9. 11 petals, 11 tr.


## CHILD SIZE:

13 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc), dc in each following st, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. 132 dc .
14 rnd: sl st in same st, sl st in each dc, join with sl st in dc behind the 1 st sl st of rnd.
15 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc) dc in next dc (you shall crochet into the dc sts of rnd 13), join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

16 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc), dc in each of next $3 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog, *dc in each of next $4 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog*; rep from * to * to end of rnd, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.110 dc.

17 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc), dc in each of next $2 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog, *dc in each of next $3 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog*; rep from * to * to end of rnd, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. 88 dc .

18 rnd: sl st in same st, sl st in each dc, join with sl st in dc behind the 1st sl st of rnd.
19 rnd: ch 1, sc in same dc, sc in each dc; join with sl sth in 1st sc.
20-24 rnd: ch 1, sc in same sc, sc in each sc, join with sl st in 1st sc.

Cut yarn, weave in ends.
Wash the hat and block it using a pan lid or another $22.5 \mathrm{~cm} / 8.8$ inches diameter flat circle.


## ADULT SIZE:

13 rnd: ch 3, dc 5 in ch-5 space, dc in picot, *dc 5 in ch-5 sp, dc in next tr, dc 5 in ch-5 sp, dc in picot*; rep from * to *; dc 5 in last ch- 5 sp , join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

14 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc) dc in same dc, *dc in next dc, ch 3 , sk 4 dc, dc 3 in next dc, ch 3 , sk 4 dc, dc in next dc, dc 2 in next dc*; rep from * to 11 sts from end, dc in next dc, ch 3 , sk 4 dc, dc 3 in next dc, ch 3 , sk 4 dc , join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

15 rnd: ch 3 , dc in each of next 2 dc, *ch 4 , sk 4 sts (that is ch $3, d c$ ), dc 2 in next dc, ch 4 , sk 4 sts, dc in each of next 4 dc*; rep from * to * to 10 sts from end, ch 4 , sk 4 sts, 2 dc in next dc, ch 4 , sk 4 sts, dc in next dc, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

16 rnd: ch 3 , dc in each of next 2 dc, *dc 4 in next ch-4 sp, dc in next dc, ch 1, dc in next dc, dc 4 in next ch-4 sp, dc in each of next 4 dc *; rep from * to * to end of rnd; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

17 rnd: sl st in same st, sl st in each dc and ch-1 sp, join with sl st in dc behind the 1 st sl st of rnd.
18 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc) dc in next dc (you shall crochet into the dc sts of rnd 16), join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. 180 sts.

19 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc), dc in each of next $3 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog, *dc in each of next $4 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog*; rep from * to * to end of rnd, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.150 sts.

20 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc), dc in each of next $2 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog, *dc in each of next $3 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog*; rep from * to * to end of rnd, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. 120 dc .

21 rnd: ch 3 (count as dc), dc in each of next $9 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog, *dc in each of next $10 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ tog*; rep from * to * to end of rnd, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. 110 dc .

22 rnd: sl st in same st, sl st in each dc, join with sl st in dc behind the 1 st sl st of rnd.
23 rnd: ch 1, sc in same dc, sc in each dc, join with sl st in 1 st sc.
24-27 rnd: ch $1, s c$ in same $s c, s c$ in next $s c$, join with $s l$ st in 1 st $s c$.

Cut yarn, weave in ends.
Wash the hat and block it using a pan lid or another $30 \mathrm{~cm} / 12$ inches diameter flat circle.


