



**Borgo de'Pazzi**<sup>®</sup>  
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## **KUKI Crochet Hat by Daniela's Woolcreations**

### **Sizes:**

S/M: 52-55 cm head circ.

M/L: up to 60 cm head circ.

### **Difficulty:**

Intermediate

### **Materials:**

Yarn: 100 grams total of KUKI Borgo de' Pazzi (in one or more color variations).

Crochet Hook: 5 mm

Tapestry needle

### **Construction:**

This hat is worked starting from the head band in simple crochet (worked sideways and then picked up along edge). From the top edge you then crochet all around in slip stitch, then begin with the shell stitch pattern. It is possible to crochet in one color or more color variations, alternating yarn colors.

### **Stitches:**

Single crochet

Shell stitch in the round

Round 1: simple crochet, close in slip stitch

Round 2: Shell stitch (upward)

\*7 double crochet in the 4th st, 1 simple crochet in the 4th following st. \*

Close with a sl st. in the first double crochet.

Round 3: Shell stitch (downward): chain 2, 3 double crochet in the shell below, closing them all together at the end, as if they were one double crochet.

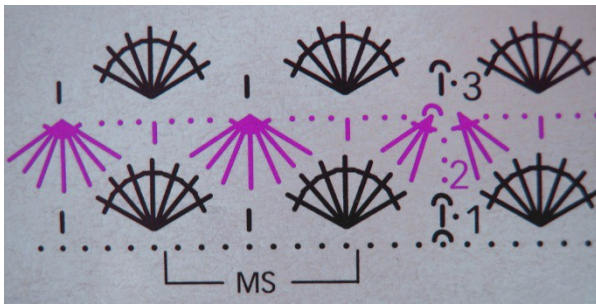
\*Chain 3, 1 single cr. In the following st. (4th) of shell below, chain 3, 7 double crochet in the 7 double crochet st., closing them all together at the end \*

Continue until last shell, which will be made by 3 sts, in order to join it to first shell (made by 4 sts).

Round 4: Shell stitch (upwards): \* 7 double crochet in the 1st single st. of previous round \*, end with a slip stitch in the first double crochet.

Repeat rounds 3 and 4, until you reach desired height, before decreasing.

## SHELL STITCH



## Kuki Hat

Head band border:

Chain 14 + 1 turning chain

Single Crochet approx. 56 cm (this is the head circumference).

Join both sides (short sides) with a slip stitch.

Begin crocheting in the round:

Work 1 round in single crochet, picking up approx 96 sts. For a larger hat, pick up more sts.

Crochet in Shell st. (beginning with Round 2) for 14 rounds.

Round 15 Shell st. (upwards); crochet 5 double cr. Instead of 7.

Round 16: single crochet 1 in the central st. of Shell below (stitches decreasing).

Round 17: Crochet 2 sts together all the way around.

Round 18: pass the yarn through remaining sts with darning needle and close.

