

## 1015. STRAWBERRY HAT.

Free Strawberry Hat crochet pattern is suitable for beginner to intermediate level crocheters. All sizes are included from the preemie newborn baby to adult :) I included a lot of pictures to help you through the process and i hope making the Strawberry Hat will be easy and fun.



**Recommended yarn:** medium worsted weight (weight category #4). I used Red Heart Super Saver in Cherry Red and Paddle Green.

**Recommended crochet hook:** J 10 (6.00 mm) or suitable size to obtain the gauge.

**The gauge:** 13 SC in 4" (10 cm); 14 rows in 4" (10 cm).

**The stitches and abbreviations used in this Free Crochet Beanie Pattern:** CH - chain, SC - single crochet, slip stitch.

**SC 2** (the # of stitches is AFTER the stitch's abbreviation) means: make two single crochet stitches in two stitches of the previous row.

**2SC** (the # of stitches is BEFORE the stitch's abbreviation) means: make two single crochet stitches in one stitch (increase).

### **SIZES AVAILABLE for Strawberry Hat Crochet Pattern:**

**Preemie:** 11-12 1/2" (28-32 cm) head circumference

**Newborn - 3 months:** 13-14 1/2 " (33-37 cm) head circumference

**3-9 months:** 15-16 1/2" (38-42 cm) head circumference

**9-18 months:** 17 - 18 1/2" (43 - 47 cm) head circumference

**2-5 years:** 18-19" (46 - 48 cm) head circumference

**Child to Teenager:** 19-20 1/2" (48 - 52 cm) head circumference

**Adult:** 21-22" (53-56 cm) head circumference

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### **THE ROUND TOP OF THE CROCHET STRAWBERRY HAT.**

Every crochet hat starts from the top (every knit hat starts from the bottom). It's a flat circle. Do not make a slip stitch at the end of each row and do not make a CH stitch at the beginning of each row, work in spirals instead - you will have no seam. Attach the stitch marker to the end of the first or the second row to indicate it and move the stitch marker up as the work progresses.



CH 3. (make a chain of 3 stitches).



Join the chain in a ring with a slip stitch.



**Row #1:** SC 6 in the ring (make 6 single crochet stitches in a ring). Total is 6 stitches after completing of this row.



Do not make a slip stitch at the end of the row and do not make a CH stitch at the beginning of the row - work in spirals instead.

**Row #2:** 2 SC in each stitch. Total = 12 stitches.

**Row #3:** [SC, 2 SC], repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. This means: make a SC (in the first stitch of the row), then make 2SC in the next following stitch (the second stitch of the row), then make another SC in the next following stitch (the third stitch of the row), 2SC in the fourth stitch of the row and so on for 4 more times. The total = 18 stitches after the completing of this row.

**Row #4:** [SC 2, 2 SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. This means: make a SC in the first stitch of the row, make a SC in the second stitch of the row, make two SCs in the third stitch of the row and repeat this pattern 5 more times. The total = 24 stitches after completing of this row.

**Row #5:** [SC 3, 2 SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. Total = 30 stitches after completing of this row.

**Row #6:** [SC 4, 2 SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. Total = 36 stitches after completing of this row. **Preemie size: skip rows 7 - 12 and go to Row #13.**

**Row #7:** [SC 5, 2 SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. Total = 42 stitches after completing this row. **Newborn - 3 months size: skip Rows 8 - 12 and go to Row #13.**

**Row #8:** [SC 6, 2 SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. Total = 48 stitches after completing this row. **Size 3-9 months: skip Rows 9 - 12 and go to Row #13**

**Row #9:** [SC 7, 2 SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. Total = 54 stitches after completing this row. **Size 9-18 months: skip Rows 10 - 12 and go to Row #13.**

**Row #10:** [SC 8, 2 SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. Total = 60 stitches after completing this row. **Size 2-5 years: skip Rows 11 - 12 and go to Row #13**

**Row #11:** Size Child to Teenager only: [SC 19, 2SC] Repeat [ ] 3 times around the row. Total = 63 stitches after completing this row. **Skip Row # 12 and go to Row #13.**

**Row #12:** [SC 9, 2SC] Repeat [ ] 6 times around the row. Total = 66 stitches.

### THE SIDES OF THE STRAWBERRY HAT.



This is where you don't increase the stitches in the row. You make a stitch in the stitch of the previous row for the needed number of the rows and the total number of the stitches is unchanged from the row to the row until you reach the needed height of the hat at the forehead.

**Row #13:** SC in each SC all around the row.

**Preemie size:** Make 9 or 10 more rows as **Row #13**, slip stitch at the end of the last row.

**Newborn - 3 months size:** Make 11 or 12 more rows as **Row #13**, slip stitch at the end of the last row.

**3-9 months size:** Make 13 or 14 more rows as **Row #13**, slip stitch at the end of the last row.

**9-18 months size:** Make 14 or 15 more rows as **Row #13**, slip stitch at the end of the last row.

**2-5 years size:** Make 15 or 16 more rows as **Row #13**, slip stitch at the end of the last row.

**Child to Teenager size:** Make 16-17 more rows as **Row #13**, slip stitch at the end of the last row.

**Adult size:** Make 17 or 18 more rows as **Row #13**, slip stitch at the end of the last row.



## THE RUFFLES.

After completing the basic hat and making a slip stitch at the end of the last row make 2 rows of ruffles:

**Row #1:** CH 1 and make 3 SC in each stitch all around the row, slip stitch at the end of the row.

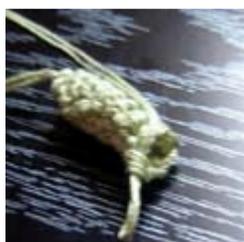
**Row #2:** CH 1 and make 2 SC in each stitch all around the row, slip stitch at the end of the row.

The result is ruffled edge. Add a crochet flower and the pretty girly hat is ready :)



[The pattern for the flower for the Strawberry crochet hat is here.](#)

## THE GREEN STEM FOR THE TOP OF THE STRAWBEERRY HAT.



CH 6, join with the slip stitch to form a ring.

**Rows 1-6:** SC in each SC all around, do not make a slip stitch at the end of each row.



**Row #7:** 2 SC in each stitch. Total " of stitches is 12 after completing of the row. Slip stitch at the end of the row.



**The leaves:**

**Step 1:** CH 12, slip stitch in the 2nd from the hook stitch, SC 2 in the next 2 stitches

**The leaves:**

**Step 2:** DC 8 in the next 8 stitches along the chain

**Step 3:** Make a slip stitch in the next stitch of the circle to join the leaf and repeat **Steps 1-3** five more times.



Sew on the stem to the top of the hat, attach the flower and the hat is ready ! :)