



CROCHET HAT BY I-AM-CHEN





CROCHET MEASUREMENTS

- **Circumference before stretching:** 20"/51 cm
- **Circumference after stretching:** 26"/66 cm
- **Hat length:** 6 ¼"/16 cm, excluding earflaps
- **Earflap length:** 2 ½"/6 cm
- **Earflap width:** 4 ¾"/12 cm

MATERIALS

- 50 grams 100% extrafine Merino wool (we recommend 19 micron)
- US size D-3 (3mm) crochet hook
- Tapestry needle (to weave in ends)

SKILLS REQUIRED

NOTE: American crochet terms are used in this pattern.

- **Chain stitch**
- **Slip stitch**
- **tr2tog (treble crochet 2 together):**

1. Yarn over hook twice, insert hook in next stitch.
2. Yarn over and pull the yarn through a loop (4 loops on hook).
3. Yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook, twice, (2 loops on hook).
4. Yarn over hook twice, insert hook in next stitch, yarn over and pull the yarn through a loop (5 loops on hook),
5. Yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook], twice (3 loops on hook).
6. Yarn over and draw through all loops on hook - 1 st decreased.

ABBREVIATIONS

tr = Treble crochet; **ch** = chain; **sl st** = slip stitch; **beg ch** = beginning of chain;

LET'S GET STARTED!

STEP 1

With your crochet hook, ch 6, join with a sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), 11 tr into the ring.

Rnd 2: Inc Rnd (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in base of beg ch, 2 tr in each of next tr – 24 sts.

Rnd 3: Inc Rnd (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in base of beg ch, tr in next st, *2 tr in next st, tr in next st; rep from * around – 36 sts.

Rnd 4: Inc Rnd (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in base of beg ch, tr in each of next 2 sts, *2 tr in next st, tr in each of next 2 sts; rep from * around – 48 sts.

Rnd 5: Inc Rnd (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in base of beg ch, tr in each of next 3 sts, *2 tr in next st, tr in each of next 3 sts; rep from * around – 60 sts.

Rnd 6: Inc Rnd (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in base of beg ch, tr in each of next 4 sts, *2 tr in next st, tr in each of next 4 sts; rep from * around – 72 sts.

Rnd 7: Inc Rnd (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in base of beg ch, tr in each of next 5 sts, *2 tr in next st, tr in each of next 5 sts; rep from * around – 84 sts.

Rnd 8: Inc Rnd (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in base of beg ch, tr in each of next 6 sts, *2 tr in next st, tr in each of next 6 sts; rep from * around – 96 sts.

Rnds 9-15 (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in each st around.

NOW TO MAKE THE EARFLAPS

(work back and forth in rows):

Row 1 (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in each of next 19 sts, turn.

Row 2: Dec Row (WS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr2tog, tr in each of next 15 sts, tr2tog, turn – 18 sts remain.

Row 3: Dec Row (RS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr2tog, tr in each st to last 2 sts and AT SAME TIME dec 3 more sts evenly (dec 1 = tr2tog), tr2tog, turn – 13 sts remain.

Row 4: Dec Row (WS): Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr2tog, tr in each st to last 2 sts and AT SAME TIME dec 2 more sts evenly (dec 1 = tr2tog), tr2tog, turn – 9 sts remain. Cut yarn and fasten off.

Work second earflap same way, keeping 28-st distance between earflaps. Cut yarn and fasten off.

CARE INSTRUCTIONS



Follow the yarn manufacturer's washing and care instructions. Always lay flat to dry to avoid over-stretching of the hat. This will ensure you have the perfect hat to wear for years to come. Visit [woolmark.com/care](https://www.woolmark.com/care) for more simple tips on washing and drying wool.