

## Easy Men's Crocheted Cap

### Materials:

I or J size hook

WW 4 ply yarn in dark colors appropriate colors for men. This hat makes up very quickly.

To make a thicker warmer hat use 2 strands of yarn. When doing this pattern you will need to use a hook one size larger (J or K).

Chain 4, slip stitch to form a ring.

**Row 1:** Chain 3, 15 dc into the ring. Slip stitch to join.

**Row 2:** Chain 3, 1 dc in same sp, 2 dc in each st around, sl st to join. (32 stitches)

**Row 3:** Chain 3, 1 dc in same sp, \*1 dc in next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, repeat from \* around, ending with dc in 3 dc. sl st to join. (40 stitches)

**Row 4:** Chain 3, 1 dc in same sp, \*1 dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in next st, repeat from \* around. sl st to join. (48 stitches)

**Row 5:** Chain 3, 1 dc in same sp, \* 1 dc in next 5 sts, 2 dc in next, repeat from \* around. sl st to join. (56 stitches)

**Row 6:** Chain 3, 1 dc in same sp, \* 1 dc in next 7 sts, 2 dc in next, repeat from \* around, sl st to join. (64 stitches)

### Rows 7-11:

Chain 3, 1 dc in each st around, sl st to join.

Continue in this pattern until the hat measures 7 inches from the crown down to the bottom on the hat.

Complete 5 additional rows in the pattern to fold up for brim.

End off and weave in the ends.

