



LW6181-1



crochet

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver Ombre™: 1 skein 3967 Sea Coral

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9]

Yarn needle, Susan Bates Easy Wrap Pompom Maker or 3½" (9 cm) piece of heavy cardboard

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4½" (11.5 cm); 10 rows = 3½" (9 cm). **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

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RED HEART® Super Saver Ombre™, Art. E305

available in 10 oz (283 g), 482 yd (440 m) skeins



Crochet Ombre Hat

This gradient yarn slowly transitions from dark to light and back again. You'll find the perfect Super Saver Ombre color for yourself or a gift. And you'll love how quickly you can crochet this hat!

Directions are for size **Small**. Changes for sizes **Medium, Large, and Extra-Large** are in parentheses.

Hat measures **18 (20, 22, 24)"** [45.5 (51, 56, 61) cm] circumference at brim.

Note

Brim is worked in turned rows and body is worked in joined rounds.

HAT

Brim

Ch 6.

Row 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn—5 sc.

Rows 2-64 (70, 78, 84): Ch 1, working in back loops only, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 65 (71, 79, 85): With first and last rows held together, ch 1, working through both thicknesses, slip st in each st across. Do not turn.

Body

Round 1 (right side): With right side facing and working in ends of rows, ch 1, 2 sc in first row, *skip next row, 2 sc in next row; repeat from * around to last row, skip last row; join with slip st in first sc—64 (70, 78, 84) sc.

Round 2: Ch 2 (does not count as a st), hdc in each st around; join with slip st in first hdc—64 (70, 78, 84) hdc.

Round 3: Ch 1, 2 sc in first hdc, *skip next hdc, 2 sc in next hdc; repeat from * around to last hdc, skip last hdc; join with slip st in first sc—64 (70, 78, 84) sc.

Rounds 4-16 (18, 20, 22): Repeat last 2 rounds 16 (18, 20, 22) times.

Round 17 (19, 21, 23): Ch 1, sc in first st, *skip next st, sc in next st; repeat from * around to last st, skip last st; join with slip st in first sc—32 (35, 39, 42) sc.



Round 18 (20, 22, 24): Ch 1, sc in first st, *skip next st, sc in next st; repeat from * around to last 1 (2, 2, 1) st(s), skip last 1 (2, 2, 1) st(s); join with slip st in first sc—16 (17, 19, 21) sc.

Round 19 (21, 23, 25): Ch 1, sc in first st, *skip next st, sc in next st; repeat from * around to last 1 (2, 2, 2) st(s), skip last 1 (2, 2, 2) st(s); join with slip st in first sc—8 (8, 9, 10) sc. Fasten off, leaving a 12" (30.5 cm) tail.

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FINISHING

Weave tail through every other st of last round, working through last st as needed. Pull gently to close and secure tail.

Pompom

Following pompom maker directions, make 3½" (9 cm) pompom or make pompom as follows: Wrap yarn around 3½" (9 cm) piece of heavy cardboard (the more wraps, the fuller the pompom). Gently remove wraps from cardboard. Cut a 12" (30.5 cm) length of yarn and tie it tightly around center of wraps. Do not cut the ends of this center tie. Cut ends of wraps. Fluff and trim pompom. Use ends of center tie to attach pompom to top of hat. Weave in ends.

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ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain(s); **hdc** = half double crochet;
sc = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es);
* = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

