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ChiChi Beanie



Colour used: SuperTwist Sock in Aged Leather, KidSilk in Quince

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PATTERN DIFFICULTY

Easy

MEASUREMENTS

Pattern Sizes:
One size, slouchy

Completed Measurements: Length: 29cm Less slouchy will be 26cm (see pattern notes)

MATERIALS

Nurturing Fibres SuperTwist Sock Yarn (330m/100g) 1x 330m/100g skein in Aged Leather

Nurturing Fibres KidSilk 1x 210m/25g ball in Quince Hook: 3.50mm & 4.00mm Tapestry Needle Scissors

ABBREVIATIONS

blo – back loop only ch – chain dc – double crochet slst – slip stitch tr - treble

IMPORTANT! PATTERN NOTES

- Pattern is written in UK terminology
- Work ch3 at the beginning of tr rounds. This counts as a stitch.
- Work 1ch at the beginning of dc rounds. This does not count as a stitch.
- Sizing: The beanie is intended to be very slouchy, if you prefer your hat to be less slouchy, then crochet the body until it is 17cm long, before adding the brim.

INSTRUCTIONS

Using a 4.50mm hook, and the KidSilk in Quince, ch 4, close with a slst OR use a magic circle.

Round 1: Ch3, 11tr in ring, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. (12sts)

Round 2: Ch3, 1tr at the base of the ch3, 2tr in each st around, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. (24sts)

Round 3: Ch3, 2tr in next st, *1tr in next st, 2tr in next st*, rep from * all around, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. (36sts)

Row 4: Ch3, 1tr in next st, 2tr in next st, *1tr in next 2 sts, 2tr in next st*, rep from * all around, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. (48sts)

Row 5: Ch3, 1tr in next 2 sts, 2tr in next st, *1tr in next 3 sts, 2tr in next st*, rep from * all around, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. (60sts)

Row 6: Ch3, 1tr in next 3 sts, 2tr in next st, *1tr in next 4 sts, 2tr in next st*, rep from * all around, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. (72sts)

Row 7: Ch3, 1tr in next 4 sts, 2tr in next st, *1tr in next 5 sts, 2tr in next st*, rep from * all around, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. (84sts)

Round 8 – 21: Ch3, 1tr in each st around, close with a slst in the 3rd ch. Fasten off.

BRIM

With the SuperTwist in Aged Leather, and a 3.50mm hook, join yarn in any st and ch11.

Row 1: Insert hook in the 2nd ch from the hook and work 1dc in each ch across, slst over the next 2 tr's (on the body of the beanie) and turn. (10dc's and 2slst's)

Row 2: Skip the slst's and work 1blo-dc in each dc across, turn.

Row 3: Ch3, 1slst in the first ch (picot made), work 1blo-dc in each dc across, slst over the next 2 tr's, turn.

Rep the row 2 & 3 all around. Fasten off.

FINISH UP

Weave in all remaining loose ends, and block if preferred.



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ABOUT THE YARNS

SuperTwist Sock Yarn is a versatile yarn that is 100% merino wool from non-mulesed sheep. It has 320m to a skein and lovingly hand-dyed in South Africa. Kid Silk is a luxurious, silky yarn that will keep you warm. It is 70% premium Kid Mohair and 30% Silk. It has 210m to a ball and is lovingly hand-dyed in South Africa
Stockists of our yarn are listed on our webpage www.nurturingfibres.com

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