

Heart of the Night Slouch



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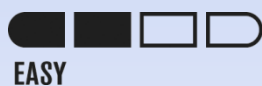
Materials



- o Yarn: Red Heart Boutique in Midnight
2.5 oz, 70 g, 153 yds, 140 meters
- o Hook: Boye H/8-5.00MM
Boye J/10-6.00MM

Midnight stars!

What do you think of when you think of the heart of the night? I think stars. And this pattern has an elegant star design, full of mystery and magnificence. Combine it with the perfect yarn and you get magic!



Sizing

- These measurements are approximated, and actual subjects may vary.
- Gauge: H hook 7 hdc = 2"
2 rows = 1"
- This pattern comes in the following sizes:

Size	Length	Circumference
1-3 years	6.5-7"	18"
3-10 Years	7.5-8"	20"
Teen/Adult	9-9.5"	22"

Pattern Key

- Ch: Chain
- St(s): Stitch(es)
- Sk: Skip
- Sp: Space
- Slst: Slip stitch
- Sc: Single crochet
- Dc: Double crochet
- Hhdc: Herringbone half double crochet
- Sc3tog: Single crochet 3 together
- Sc dec: Single crochet decrease
- * *: Repeat instructions between symbols until indicated
- []: repeat what is between in stitch indicated

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Special Pattern Notes: Beginning chains do not count as a stitch unless otherwise noted. Work first stitch into joining stitch for each round. Join to first stitch of each round (whether it's a stitch or chain. It will depend if it counts as a stitch or not.)

When working the chains and slip stitches, work them loosely.

Brim should be roughly 1½". For more or less of a brim, increase or decrease amount of herringbone half double crochet rounds (rounds 1-4) and continue body until length indicated.

Specialty Stitching: Herringbone Half Double Crochet (Hhdc): YO, insert hook into indicated stitch, YO and pull through stitch and pull through first loop on hook, YO and pull through last two loops on hook

Pattern Instructions

1-3 years: Ch 60 with H hook, join without twisting

3-10 years: Ch 66 with H hook, join without twisting

Teen/Adult: Ch 72 with H hook, join without twisting

Round 1: Ch 1, Hhdc in same and each st around, join

Round 2-4: Repeat round 1

Switch to a J hook (or 2 hook size larger)

Round 5: Ch 3, sk joining st and next 2, dc in next st, ch 3, sk 2, *slst in next, ch 3, sk 2, dc in next, ch 3, sk 2* repeat around, slst to joining st

Round 6: Ch 4 (counts as dc and ch 1,) [dc, ch 1, dc] in same st, slst in next dc, *[dc, ch 1, dc, ch 1, dc] in next slst, slst in next dc* repeat around, join to 3rd ch

Round 7: Note: First dc is joining st

*Ch 3, sk first dc and ch 1, dc in next dc, ch 3, sk next ch

1 and dc, slst to next slst* repeat around, you will not need to join

Repeat rounds 6-7 ending on round 6 for length indicated on chart below

Size	Length
1-3 years	6.5-7"
3-10 years	7.5-8"
Teen/Adult	8.5-9"

Round 12: Slst in next ch 1 sp, slst in next dc, ch 1, sc in same, sk ch 1 sp, dc3tog over next 3 sts (the dc, slst, dc,) *sk ch 1 sp, sc in next dc, sk ch 1 sp, dc3tog over next 3 sts* repeat around (20 sts, 22 sts, 24 sts)

Round 13: Ch 1, sc dec around, join (10 sts, 11 sts, 12 sts)

Finishing Notes: Finish off leaving long tail for closing the hole. Thread yarn needle with tail and weave through stitches. Pull tight and secure.

Photo Tutorial Section

Pictures below are to demonstrate working stitches. Please note brim will look differently



Round 5



Round 6



Round 7