

# The Manny Toque

## Crochet Pattern

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## Materials

- **Hook** : 5.5 mm
- **Yarn** : Medium weight 4 (Patons Canadiana yarn was used to crochet the toque pictured.)  
\*Approx 100g.
- **Scissors**
- **Yarn Needle**
- **Pom pom** (is optional for the hat topper)

## Stitch Legend

- *R* – row
- *st(s)* – stitch(es)
- *ch(s)* – chains(s)
- *sl st* – slip stitch
- *SC* – single crochet
- *XDC* – crossed double crochet
- *BLO* - back loops only
- *SK* - skip
- \* - repeat



\* The hat in this pattern is for an adult. For other sizes, please see sizing chart here:

<http://www.crochetcrafty.com/pdf/Crochet-Hat-Sizing-Chart.pdf>

## Pattern

Begin with a slip knot on your hook and ch 49 to begin. This represents the height of your hat.

### R – 1

- Into 2nd ch from the hook, place 1 SC and continue into each ch across to the end of your row  
You will have a **total of 48 sts** at the end of this row and every row from here on
- Ch 3 and turn your work. (This counts as a DC st)

### R – 2

- Sk the next st, DC into the following st, then go back and DC into the skipped st  
(you've created a Crossed DC = XDC)
- \*Repeat this method to the end of the row.
- when you have 1 st left, place 1 DC into it. You now have 23 sets of XDC. Ch 1 and turn.

### R – 3

- Place 1 SC into BLO of first st and each st to the end of the row. (Remember to include the top of the ch 3 at the end.)
- ch 1 and turn (You should still have 48 sts.)

### R – 4 to 46

- Repeat Row 2 & 3 (You will end on the XDC row.)
- \* This gave me a length of 18 inches (46 cm) which is enough to wrap around my head very snugly. (An average adult head circumference is 22" or 56cm and I always take off an inch or two so the hat fits snug as it will stretch. This particular yarn has an abundance of stretch so that's why I stopped at 18".)

\*Do not snip your yarn here!

## Sewing your seem

- Fold your panel in half so that your right side is facing out
- Make sure to line up your sts from each edge

- You will then slip stitch the two edges together by inserting your hook into the BLO of the st of the front edge and then inserting into the full st of the back edge for every stitch
- Once you reach the end, you will have created a tube. Now continue to crochet the brim of the hat.

## Brim

Crochet a simple finishing round along the edge of this opening by placing 1 SC into the end of each row. So if you had 46 rows you should have 46 sts around this opening.

\* I repeated this for 3 rounds for my brim.

Once that is done, snip your yarn and fasten off. Then cut a long piece of yarn approximately 12" or 31cm and thread your yarn needle. Turn your tube wrong side out so you can now sew the raw edge end closed shut. You may want to weave your needle in and out all along the edge or follow what I do in the video. Often, I like to sew 'crossways' until the opening is completely closed. Once you are done closing up the end, turn your hat right side out.

**You did it! Your Manny Toque is complete!**



**MANNY TOQUE TUTORIAL**  
<https://youtu.be/bBPVwRKw2tI?si=cQC SwEtirMvyW2yc>

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