

Quick Premie Cap

Materials needed:

- Up to approx. 1 oz. baby or sport yarn
- Size F crochet hook.
Increase/decrease the hook size according to how loose or tight you may work.
- Blunt end yarn needle.

Gauge:

Gauge will vary due to your yarn and your tension.
Here are some guidelines:

Cap

Size Length of row

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| MD | 6 to 6 1/2 inches |
| LG | 6 1/2 to 7 inches |
| XL | 7 1/2 to 8 inches |



Instructions:

All rows are worked in the back loop only to create the ribbed effect. Chain 30 (33, 36).

Row 1: Hdc in 3rd chain from hook and in next 23 (26, 29) chains. Sc in last 4 (4, 4) chains. Ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc in first 4 (4, 4) stitches. Hdc in next 24 (27, 30) stitches. Ch 2 turn.

Row 3: Hdc in first 24 (27, 30) stitches. Sc in last 4 (4, 4) stitches. Ch 1 turn.

Note: Turning chains are not counted as a stitch. You should work 28 (31, 34) stitches in each row. Repeat rows 2 and 3 until cap measures approximately 7 (8 1/2, 9 1/2) inches. End with row 2.

Finishing

Either sew or slip stitch the beginning edge to the back loop of the last row, being careful to leave the front loops of the last row free on the outside of the cap so that the ribbed pattern is continuous around the cap.

Use yarn needle to weave a piece of yarn through the sc stitches at the top of the cap. (For extra security, weave the yarn around the top twice.) Pull to close the opening and tie off. Weave all yarn ends in securely. Turn up the lower edge to form the brim of the cap.