

## **Beret**

This is a simple beret that is easy and quick to make. I made the sample was made with Yarn Bee Whimsy Bulky – Strawberry Fields from Hobby Lobby, but it can be made with any worsted, bulky, or super bulky weight yarn. The original pattern came from a free flyer at Hobby Lobby that I have since lost.

Gauge: 5 rows x 12 dc stitch = 4" x 4"

Rnd 1: ch 3 (or use magic ring), 12 dc in 1st ch. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 2: ch 3, 2dc in each around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 3: ch 3, 2dc in next, dc in next. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 4: ch 3, 2dc in next, dc in next 2. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 5: ch 3, 2dc in next, dc in next 3. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 6: ch 3, 2dc in next, dc in next 4. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 7: ch 3, 2dc in next, dc in next 5. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 8-9: ch 3, dc in each around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 10: ch 3, dc in next 5, dc2tog. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 11: ch 3, dc in next 4, dc2tog. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 12: ch 3, dc in next 3, dc2tog. Repeat from around. ss into 3rd ch.

Rnd 13-15: ch 3, dc in each around. ss into 3rd ch.

Tie off and weave in ends.

You can adjust the size by the number of rounds of increase or the number of rounds of decrease. The floppiness is varied by the constant rounds in the middle and at the end.