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Keep your ears warm and your spirits high with Gretchen, an easy single crochet cap.



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One size

**FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

Approximately 21" around x 7" high (not including earflaps)

**MATERIALS**

2 Balls **BERROCO SOUFFLE** (50 grs), #9350 St. Moritz  
Crochet hook, size 10.00 mm (N/P-15) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

**GAUGE**

8 sc = 4"; 8 rows = 4" in sc  
TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE

**NOTE**

Hat is worked from the top down.

## STITCH GLOSSARY

### Sc2tog

Insert hook in first sc, yo and pull up a loop, insert hook in next sc, yo and pull up a loop, yo and pull through all loops on hook – dec 1

## HAT

Start with a sliding loop.

**Rnd 1:** With crochet hook, make 9 sc in loop, join with a sl st in first sc.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc around, join with a sl st in beg ch-1 – 16 sc.

**Rnd 3:** Ch 1, sc in each sc around, join with a sl st in beg ch-1.

**Rnd 4:** Ch 1, \* sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from \* around, join with a sl st in beg ch-1 – 24 sc.

**Rnd 5:** Rep Rnd 3.

**Rnd 6:** Rep Rnd 4 – 36 sc.

**Rnd 7:** Rep Rnd 3.

**Rnd 8:** Ch 1, \* sc in each of the next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from \* around, join with a sl st in beg ch-1 – 42 sc.

**Rnds 9 – 15:** Rep Rnd 3.

**Right Earflap: Row 1:** Sl st in each of the next 3 sc, sc in each of the next 10 sc. Turn.

**Rows 2 and 3:** Ch 1, sc in each sc across. Turn.

**Row 4:** Sc2tog, sc to last 2 sc, sc2tog – 8 sc. Turn.

**Row 5:** Rep Row 2.

**Row 6:** Rep Row 4 – 6 sc.

**Row 7:** Rep Row 2.

**Row 8:** Rep Row 4 – 4 sc.

**Row 9:** Rep Row 2.

**Row 10:** (Sc2tog) twice – 2 sc.

**Row 11:** Sc2tog. Fasten off.

**Left Earflap:** Skip 16 sc on last rnd of hat. Join yarn in next sc. Ch 1, sc in same sc, then in next 9 sc – 10 sc. Turn. Complete same as right earflap.

## FINISHING

**Ties (Make 2):** With crochet hook, using 2 strands held together, join yarn at end of earflap. Ch 20. Fasten off. Make a 2" pompon and tie to top of hat.

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