

CROCHET HAT SIZE CHART

Use this chart to find the right head circumference and height for babies, kids, teens, and adults when crocheting hats.

SIZE	HEAD CIRCUMFERENCE	HEIGHT	APPROX. AGE
NEWBORN	13–14" (33–36 cm)	5–6" (12–15 cm)	0–3 mo
INFANT	15–16" (38–41 cm)	6–7" (15–18 cm)	3–12 mo
TODDLER	17–18" (43–46 cm)	6–7" (15–18 cm)	1–3 yr
CHILD	19–20" (48–51 cm)	7–8" (18–20 cm)	4–10 yr
TEEN	21–22" (53–56 cm)	8–9" (20–23 cm)	11–14 yr
ADULT SMALL	21–22" (53–56 cm)	8–9" (20–23 cm)	Adult
ADULT MEDIUM	22–23" (56–58 cm)	9" (23 cm)	Adult
ADULT LARGE	23–24" (58–61 cm)	9–10" (23–25 cm)	Adult

QUICK TIPS FOR CROCHET HATS

- Measure first: Always check head circumference before starting.
- If the pattern starts at the crown, start with a magic ring: Ensures a tight, gap-free top.
- Use stitch markers: Keep track of rounds and increases.
- Increase evenly: Spread increases in early rounds for a smooth shape.
- Check gauge: Match your swatch to pattern gauge for proper fit.
- Try on as you go: Especially for fitted hats.
- Choose the right yarn: Softer yarns for baby hats, sturdier for adults.
- Adjust height: Add or reduce rounds to fit the wearer's head.
- Finish edges neatly: Slip stitch or crab stitch for a polished look.
- Weave in ends securely: Prevent unraveling, especially in ribbed or textured hats.

