

Skullcap - Free Crochet Pattern (UK terminology)



Materials

100 g Wendy Supreme DK or any 100% mercerised DK cotton yarn
3.50 mm hook

Finished size

Cap circumference = approximately 62 cm (24.5"); there is some stretch in the cap.

Tension

Rounds 1-9 = 8.5 cm (3.25") in diameter

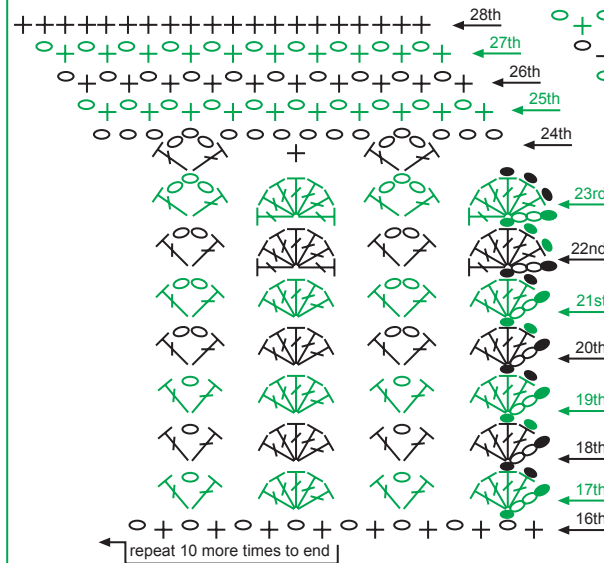
Abbreviations

ch chain
sk skip
dc double-crochet
ch-sp(s) chain-space(s)
st(s) stitch(es)
tr(s) treble(s)
ss slip-stitch

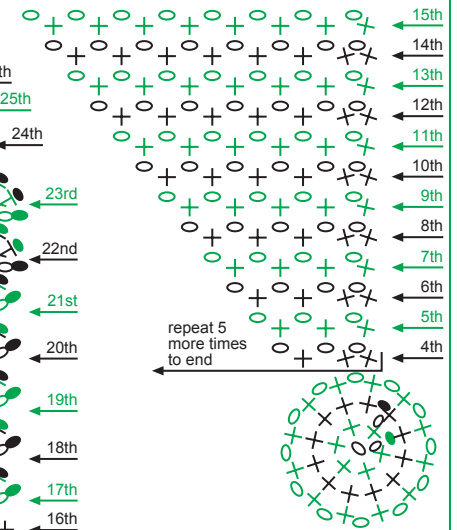
The side facing you as you work is the right side.

Symbol chart

Rounds 16 – 28



Rounds 1 – 15



○ chain ● slip-stitch + double-crochet T treble

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Foundation chain Chain 2.

1st round 6 dc in 2nd ch from hook. Join with a ss to first dc. (6 sts)

2nd round Ch 1 (does not count as a stitch). (2 dc in next st) 6 times. Join with a ss to first dc. (12 sts)

3rd round Ch 1 (does not count as a stitch). (1 dc in next stitch. Ch 1.) 12 times. Do not join the round but place a piece of contrasting thread at the end of the round as a marker, and move this up at the end of each round until round 17. (12 sts and 12 ch-sps)

4th round Skip all sts until round 18, and just work into ch-sps. *(1 dc. Ch 1) twice in next ch-sp. (1 dc. Ch 1.) in next ch-sp.* Repeat from * to * 5 more times. (18 dcs and 18 ch-sps)

5th round (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 18 ch-sps.

6th round *(1 dc. Ch 1.) twice in next ch-sp. (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 2 ch-sps.* Repeat from * to * five more times. (24 dc and 24 ch-sps)

7th round (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 24 ch-sps.

8th round *(1 dc. Ch 1.) twice in next ch-sp. (1 dc. Ch 1) in each of next 3 ch-sps.* Repeat from * to * five more times. (30 dc and 30 ch-sps)

9th round (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 30 ch-sps.

10th round *(1 dc. Ch 1.) twice in next ch-sp. (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 4 ch-sps.* Repeat from * to * five more

times (36 dc and 36 ch-sps)

11th round (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 36 ch-sps.

12th round *(1 dc. Ch 1.) twice in next ch-sp. (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 5 ch-sps.* Repeat from * to * five more times. (42 dc and 42 ch-sps)

13th round (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 42 ch-sps.

14th round *(1 dc. Ch 1.) twice in next ch-sp. (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 6 ch-sps.* Repeat from * to * five more times. (48 dc and 48 ch-sps)

15th — 16th rounds (1 dc. Ch 1.) in each of next 48 ch-sps.

17th round SS into next ch-sp. Ch 3 (counts as 1 treble). 4 trs in same ch-sp. Sk next ch-sp. (1 tr. Ch 1. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next ch-sp. *5 trs in next ch-sp. Sk next ch-sp. (1 tr. Ch 1. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next ch-sp.* Repeat from * to * 10 more times. Join with a ss to 3rd ch of first 3 ch. (84 trs and 12 ch-sps)

18th — 19th rounds Ss into each of next 2 trs. Ch 3 (counts as 1 tr). 4 trs in same tr. Sk next 3 trs. (1 tr. Ch 1. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next 3 trs. *5 trs in next tr. Sk next 3 trs. (1 tr. Ch 1. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next 3 trs.* Repeat from * to * 10 more times. Join with a ss to 3rd ch of first 3 ch.

20th - 21st rounds Ss into each of next 2 trs. Ch 3 (counts as 1 tr). 4 trs in same tr. Sk next 3 trs. (1 tr. Ch 2. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next 3 trs. *5 trs in next tr. Sk next 3 trs. (1 tr. Ch 2. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next 3 trs.* Repeat from * to * 10 more times. Join with a ss to 3rd ch of first 3 ch.

22nd round Ss into each of next 2 trs. Ch 3 (counts as 1 tr). 6 trs in same tr. Sk next 3 trs. (1 tr. Ch 2. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Skip next 3 trs. *7 trs in next tr. Sk next 3 trs. (1 tr. Ch 2. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next 3 trs.* Repeat from * to * 10 more times. Join with a ss to 3rd ch of first 3 ch. (108 trs. 12 ch-sps)

23rd round Ss into each of next 3 trs. Ch 3 (counts as 1 tr). 6 trs in same tr. Sk next 4 trs. (1 tr. Ch 3. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next 4 trs. *7 trs in next tr. Sk next 4 trs. (1 tr. Ch 3. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Sk next 4 trs.* Repeat from * to * 10 more times. Join with a ss to 3rd chain of first 3 ch.

24th round Ss into each of next 3 trs. Ch 3. Sk next 4 trs. (1 tr. Ch 3. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Ch 3. Sk next 4 trs. *1 dc

in next tr. Ch 3. Sk next 4 trs. (1 tr. Ch 3. 1 tr) in next ch-sp. Ch 3. Sk next 4 trs.* Repeat from * to * 10 more times. Do not join, but use thread marker to indicate end of round until 28th round. (24 trs. 11 dc. 36 ch-sps)

25th round *(1 dc. Ch 1) twice in next ch-sp. Sk next tr. (1 dc Ch 1) in next ch-sp. Sk next tr. (1 dc. Ch 1) twice in next ch-sp. Sk next dc*. Repeat from * to * 11 more times. (60 dc and 60 ch-sps)

26th — 27th rounds *Sk next dc. (1dc. Ch 1) in next ch-sp.* Repeat from * to * 60 times.

28th round (1 dc in next ch-sp. 1 dc in next dc) 60 times. Ss into first dc. (120 dc). Fasten off.

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