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## Mesh Hat

with  
**Jewel Box**

TECHNIQUE USED: Crochet



#### HAT SIZE

Women's M

#### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Hat: 23" circumference



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**PLEASE NOTE:** One or more yarns used in this project have been discontinued. You may be able to locate it at ShopCaron.com or selected retail locations, but supplies are limited. If you wish to make this project using a substitute yarn, please go to the Yarn Substitution Chart. Please keep in mind that you should always begin with a gauge swatch and be sure to convert yardage for any substitute yarn.

#### MATERIALS

Caron Jewel Box<sup>™</sup> 64% acrylic, 20% rayon, 16% polyester; 2.5oz/70.9g, 100yds/92m):

2 skeins in #0002 Moonstone; 7mm (US size K/10.5) crochet hook, or size to obtain gauge

#### GAUGE

Using 7mm crochet hook, in patt: 10 sts and 8 rows = 4"/10 cm

#### STITCHES USED

**Front post single crochet (FPsc):** (RS) Insert hook from front-to-back-to-front around the post of the designated st, yo, draw yarn through st, yo, draw yarn through 2 loops (lps) on hook.

**Half-double crochet (hdc):** Yo, insert hook into foundation chain or st, yo, draw yarn through chain or st (3 lps on hook), yo, pull yarn through all

3 lps to complete hdc.

### HAT

**Note:** Hat is worked in-the-round.

**Crown:** Ch 3, join to form loop.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 1, work 8 hdc in loop, join to first hdc.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, work 2 hdc in ea st around, join to first hdc – 16 hdc.

**Rnd 3:** Ch 1, work 2 hdc in ea st around, join to first hdc – 32 hdc.

**Rnds 4 and 8:** Ch 1, hdc in ea st around, join to first hdc.

**Rnd 5:** Ch 1, \* hdc in next st, work 2 hdc in next st; rep from \* around, join to first hdc – 54 hdc.

**Rnd 6:** Ch 1, \* hdc in next 2 sts, work 2 hdc in next st; rep from \* around, join to first hdc – 67 hdc.

**Rnd 7 (RS):** Ch 1, work FPsc in ea st around, join to first FPsc.

**Rnds 9, 11 and 13:** Ch 1, hdc in ea st around, join to first hdc.

**Rnds 10, 12 and 14:** Ch 1, hdc in the back loop of ea st around, join to first hdc.

**Rnd 15:** Rep Rnd 9. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

### WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

**Hand washing and drying:** Turn inside out and wash gently in warm water using a mild detergent. Gently rinse well in cold water. Lay flat on a towel and roll in towel to remove excess water. DO NOT WRING, STRETCH OR HANG TO DRY.

### HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS

When using Jewel Box, be sure to tie a knot at the beginning of each skein and at both yarn ends when joining. A small amount of shedding can be expected when using this yarn under normal conditions.

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