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**SKILL LEVEL:** Beginner (Level 1)

**SIZE:** One Size

**Finished Circumference** About 21 in. (53.5 cm), will stretch to fit a range of sizes.

**Finished Height** About 10 1/2 in. (26.5 cm)

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Jan 3, 2015. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

### MATERIALS

- 757-149 Lion Brand Zaps: *\*Zaps (Article #757). 100% Acrylic; package size: 3.50oz/100.00 gr. (87yds/80m) pull skeins*  
Lightning  
2 Balls
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook  
- Size P-15 (10 mm)
- Lion Brand Large-Eye  
Blunt Needles (Set of 6)



### GAUGE:

7 1/2 sc = about 4 in. (10 cm).

When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

Making a Gauge Swatch

### NOTES:

Hat is worked in one piece, then sewn together.

### HAT

Leaving a long yarn tail, ch 43.

**Row 1:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across - 42 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures about 11 in. (28 cm) from beg.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail. Thread tail through sts of last row and pull to gather. Knot securely.

### FINISHING

With beg yarn tail, sew sides together to make Hat.

Weave in ends.

**ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES**

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beg = begin(s)(ning)ch(s) = chain(s)sc = single crochetst(s) = stitch(es)

Learn to crochet instructions: <http://learnToCrochet.LionBrand.com>

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