Ziggedy Zags Hat

needed:

baby yarn - baby small

MC: 80 yards baby yarn/CC: 25 yards baby yarn

US C crochet hook gauge: 12 = 2"

sock yarn - baby large

MC: 100 yards sock yarn/CC: 35 yards sock yarn

US D crochet hook gauge: 19 st = 2"

dk - toddler

MC: 120 yards dk yarn/CC: 50 yards dk yarn

US E crochet hook gauge: 7 st = 2"

abbreviations:

ch: chain

dc: double crochet hdc: half double crochet

sc: single crochet sl st: slip stitch

note: ch 2 at beginning of any round will count as an hdc



instructions:

with mc, ch 4. sl st to join.

- ch2 (counts as I hdc), II hdc in circle. sl st to join.
- ch 2. 2 hdc in each stitch around. (24 st)
- with cc, ch 2. work around circle, alternate hdc and dc made in the space between 2 stitches (for an elongated look), increasing I stitch every 2nd stitch. (36 st). sl st to join.
- with mc, ch 2. continue with alternating pattern as above, increasing I stitch every 3rd stitch. (48 st). sl st to join.
- with cc, ch 2, repeat last row. (64 st) (crown completed)
- beginning with an mc row, *hdc in next stitch, dc between next 2 stitches. repeat from * around.
- repeat this row, switching to cc with alternate rows, until 8 rows are finished after crown. end with cc row. clip cc.
- with mc, hdc in each stitch around for 3 rows.

woven chain trim:

- with mc, sl st in top of 1st stitch. *ch 5, sl st in 3rd st from hook. repeat from * around. sl st to join (16 loops). tie off and clip cc.
- join cc one stitch to the left of the first sl st. *remove crochet hook from stitch and recapture stitch from behind and through the mc loop. ch 5. sl st (from front) in the stitch to the left of the next mc sl st. repeat from * around. sl st to join (16 loops, intertwined with mc loops). tie off and clip cc.

finishing:

- weave in all ends.
- add topper (loops or pom pom, if desired)
- cuff can be folded up or left lowered.