

Pumpkin Harvest Hat

Size: 6-12 months

Materials:

- Worsted Weight Yarn in Orange and Green - (Shown in Red Heart Super Saver colors Carrot and Frosty Green)
- G Hook

Abbreviations:

sc= single crochet

dc = double crochet

tr= treble crochet

hdc= half double crochet

FPDC= front post double crochet

ch= chain

RSC= reverse single crochet

Stem

With Green Yarn, Chain 2

Row 1: In 2nd Chain from hook, make 4 sc's. Do not slip stitch into the next stitch. You'll be working in a spiral until the last row.

Row 2: sc in each of the next 4 sc's. At this point, it may be trying to turn inside out, to keep the right side showing, make sure you turn it right side out before continuing too far. What helps me is to make sure I'm crocheting the stem "away" from me, not towards you.

Row 3: sc in each of the next 4 sc's.

Row 4: sc in each of the next 4 sc's.

Row 5 (Increase row): 2 sc in the next sc, sc in the next stitch, 2 sc in the next sc, sc in the next stitch.

Row 6: sc in each of the next 6 sc's.

NOW we can slip stitch to the next sc.

Row 7: Ch 3, dc in same stitch, 2 dc's in the next 5 sc's. Join with slip stitch to the beginning chain 3. Finish off (11 dc's and 1 Ch3 made)



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Hat

Row 1: Using Orange, Join with slip stitch to any dc from Row 7 of the stem. Chain 3, FPDC in the same DC, *(dc, FPDC) in the next dc, repeat from *10 more times, join with slip stitch into beginning ch3 (12 dc's, 12 FPDC's and 1 ch3 made)

Row 2: Ch3, dc in same stitch, FPDC in the FPDC of previous round, *2 dc in next dc, FPDC in the FPDC of previous round, repeat from * 10 more times, join with slip stitch into beginning ch3 (23 dc's, 12 FPDC's and 1 ch3 made)

Row 3: Ch3, dc in the next dc, dc in the next FPDC, FPDC in the same FPDC, *dc in the next 2 dc's, , dc in the next FPDC, FPDC in the same FPDC, repeat from * 10 more times, join with slip stitch into beginning ch3 (35 dc's, 12 FPDC's and 1 ch3 made)

Rows 4-10: Ch3, dc in the next 2 dc's, FPDC in the next FPDC, * dc in the next 3 dc's, FPDC in the next FPDC, repeat from the * 10 more times, join with slip stitch into beginning ch3 (35 dc's, 12 FPDC's and 1 ch3 made)

Rows 11-14: Ch1, sc in next 48 stitches, join with slip stitch to beginning sc.

Row 15: Ch1, RSC in the previous 48 stitches. Join with slip stitch to beginning RSC. Finish off.

Leaf and Vine

Using Green, Chain 7

Row 1: sc in 2nd chain from hook and the remaining 5 stitches and turn

Row 2: Ch3, Tr in the same stitch, dc in the next 2 stitches, hdc in the next 2 stitches, 3 sc's in the last stitch and turn. Working back the other side, do the opposite. Hdc in the next 2 stitches, dc in the next 2 stitches, Tr in the next stitch and then ch3 and slip stitch to the last stitch.

Chain 30, turn, 2 sc's in the 2nd chain from hook. 2 sc's in all the remaining stiches until you're back at the base of the leaf. Finish off.

Now sew the leaf and vine to your stem however you want it. I actually did a stitch from the leaf to the stem to help the leaf stand up and then connected the vine on bottom and secured it there as well.

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