

Easy Pumpkin Crochet Pattern



Project Materials:

- crochet hook 1-2 sizes down from yarn recommendation
- any plush yarn for the main pumpkin body, either matching plush yarn for stem or double up medium weight acrylic yarn for stem.
- needle for sewing
- Polyfil
- Scissors

Abbreviations

sc: single crochet
 dc: half double crochet
 sl st: slip stitch
 ch: chain
 r: row
 inv dec: invisible decrease

Main Pumpkin

R1: ch 8 plus 1, turn

R2: starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, place 1 sc in every st. (8st)

R3: place hdc inc in every st. (16 st)

R4-6: Alternate the following pattern all the way down the row, ch 1 and the end and turn:

- Hdc, slst (16 st)

R7: inv dec all the way down. (8 st)

R8: place 1 sc in every st. (8 st)

You have just completed your first section of pumpkin!

Repeat Rows 3-8 4 more times. Your very last section will end on a repeat of row 7. You won't need the last row 8 because you will be crocheting the two open sections together.

You will have a total of five sections.

Make sure your right sides are touching and the wrong sides are facing out. Crochet down the seam with a slst.

Turn your work right side out and start crocheting around the opening of the pumpkin in rounds.

R1: place 1 sc all the way around. (16 st)

R2: inv dec all the way around. (8 st)

R3: 1 sc all the way around. (8st)

R4: inv dec all the way around. (4st.)

R5: inv dec all the way around until shut, tie off and sew the bottom of the pumpkin shut. Turn around and stuff.

Top of the pumpkin/finishing off

Add the pumpkin color yarn to a space.

R1: place 1 sc all the way around. (16 st)

R2: inv dec all the way around, change to the stem color before cutting off the pumpkin color. (8 st)

R3: 1 sc all the way around. (8st)

R4: inv dec all the way around. (4st.)

R5: inv dec until shut, ch 4, and then sc down the ch starting from the 2nd ch from the hook. There should be 3 sc. Tie/knot off, leaving a long tail. Sew in the ends and hide any knots. This method should leave a nice twisted stem. Bury any remaining loose yarn.