

Happy Little Mushroom

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DIFFICULTY: Intermediate

SIZE: About 3" tall

GAUGE: 3.5 sts x 4 rows = 1" in sc with larger hook

Abbreviations

ch = chain
dec = decrease
inc = increase
rnd = round
sc = single crochet
sl st = slip stitch
US pattern conventions used.



Materials

- ❖ Worsted weight yarn: about 9 yards in natural and 6 yards of red. (Sample shown in Lion Brand Wool-Ease (Fisherman) and Patons Classic Wool (Bright Red).)
- ❖ Small amount stuffing or fiberfill
- ❖ 2 - 1/8"(5mm) black shank buttons
- ❖ Small amount craft felt, black and white
- ❖ Sewing needle and thread
- ❖ Yarn needle
- ❖ H (5.00 mm) hook
- ❖ G (4.25 mm) hook

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Directions

Note: do not join rounds unless directed.

Base:

Rnd 1: With H hook and natural yarn, ch 2. Make 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Rnd 2: Sc inc around. (10 sc) Take time now to weave in your end, as it will be difficult to do so later.

Rnds 3-9: Sc around.

To finish, sl st in next st. Finish off, weave in end.

Cap:

Rnd 1: With G hook and natural, ch 12. Sl st into first ch to form a ring. Ch 1, [sc, sc inc] around. (18 sc) Join rnd.

Rnd 2: Ch 1. [Sc 2, sc inc] around. (24 sc) Join. Switch to red.

Rnd 3: Ch 1. Working in back loop only, sc around. Join rnd.

Rnd 4: Ch 1. [Sc dec, sc 4] 4 times. (20 sc) Join.

Rnd 5: Ch 1. [Sc dec, sc 2] 5 times. (15 sc) Join.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc around. Join.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc. [Sc dec] 7 times. (8 sc) Join.

Finish off, leaving a long tail of yarn. Weave through sts of rnd 7, pull tight. Weave in ends.

Finishing

1. Lightly stuff mushroom's cap (leaving room to insert base).
2. Insert base into cap and sew into place.
3. Cut multiple small circles from white felt. Sew randomly around mushroom cap.
4. Cut a tiny semicircle of black felt to be the mouth; sew to base.
5. Sew buttons to base for eyes.