

# Pumpkin Vase Free Crochet Pattern



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MATERIALS: 4 ply yarn in Pumpkin and Hunter Green, stuffing, size H crochet hook and needle to take yarn.

GAUGE: 5 hdc sts = 1-1\2", 4 rows hdc = 1-1\2"

FINISHED SIZED: Pumpkin is: 5-1\2" tall and 6-1\2" across with a 3" wide opening.

#### PUMPKIN:

With Pumpkin yarn and H hook ch-3, sl st to form a ring.

RND 1: Ch-1, work 12 hdc in ring, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (12 sts)

RND 2-3: (2 hdc next st, hdc next st) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (18 sts)(27 sts)

RND 4: Bk Lp hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, turn.

RND 5-17: Ch-3, dc ea st around, sl st top beg ch-3, turn. End rnd 17 fasten off.

#### OUTER SHELL:

RND 1: With Pumpkin yarn and H hook join in any left over lp rnd 4 of pumpkin, ch-1, work 2 hdc in ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (54 sts)

RND 2-3: Hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn.

RND 4: (2 hdc next st, hdc next st) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (81 sts)

RND 5-19: Hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn.

RND 20: (Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc next st) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (54 sts)

RND 21: Hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, fasten off.

With needle and yarn sew rnd 21 of outer shell to rnd 17 of pumpkin, easing sts as you sew (it is twice the st count as the other) and stuffing it as well. With more yarn form sections in the outer pumpkin, pulling tight and knotting off.

#### PUMPKIN LEAF:

ROW 1: With Hunter Green and H hook ch-2, sc 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook, ch-1, turn. (1 st)

ROW 2: 2 sc only st, ch-1, turn. (2 sts)

ROW 3: 2 sc ea st across, ch-1, turn. (4 sts)

ROW 4: 2 sc 1<sup>st</sup> st, sc next 2 sts, 2 sc last st, ch-1, turn. (6 sts)

ROW 5: sc 1<sup>st</sup> st, (hdc, dc) next, (dc, hdc) next, sl st next 2, (hdc, dc) next, (dc, hdc) next, sc last st, sl st in end previous row, fasten off.

-make 5. Sew around opening on pumpkin.

Place a vase with fresh flowers inside pumpkin or just add a dry arrangement.

#### Abbreviations Used In This Pattern

Ch = Chain

St = Stitch

Sl St = Slip Stitch

Sc = Single Crochet

Hdc = Half Double Crochet

Dc = Double Crochet

Rnd = Round

Beg = Beginning

Rep = Repeat

Bet = Between

Dec = Decrease

Lp = Loop

Ea = Each

Tog = Together

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