Susan’s Shell Cap Pattern  
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Materials:
- Worsted weight yarn, 3 oz, main color, 2 oz contrast color (this one is made with Caron Simply Soft)
- G Crochet Hook or size required for size of finished cap
- Needle to weave in ends
- Changing colors every 2 rows

Instructions:
With main color, chain 4, join with slip stitch (ss) to make a ring.

Round 1: Chain 2 (does not count as a double crochet throughout the pattern). Make 12 double crochets (dc) in the ring, join with ss to top of first dc.

Round 2: Chain 2, 2 dc in joining dc and in each dc around, join with ss in 1st dc (24 dc)

Change to 2nd color
Round 3: Chain 2, 1 dc in same dc, 2 dc in next dc, repeat around, join with ss in 1st dc (36 dc)

Round 4: Chain 2, 1 dc in same dc, 1 dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, repeat round join with ss in 1st dc (48 dc)

Change to 1st color
Round 5: Chain 2, 1 dc in same dc, 1 dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc, repeat round (60 dc)

Round 6: Chain 2, 1 dc in same dc, * skip 1 dc, 1 sc in next dc, skip 1 dc, 3 dc in next dc (shell made)*, repeat * around. Change to 2nd color join with ss in middle dc of shell.

Round 7: sc in joining ss, * shell in next sc, sc in middle dc. * around. ss in 1st sc

Round 8: chain 3, 2 dc in same sc (shell), * sc in middle dc, shell in next sc, * around ending with ss in middle dc of shell Change to 1st color

Round 9: sc in joining ss, * shell in next sc, sc in next shell, * round joining with ss in 1st sc

Round 10: chain 3, 2 dc in same sc, * sc in middle dc, shell in next sc, * around ending with ss in middle dc of shell Change to 2nd color

Round 11: sc in joining ss, * shell in next sc, sc in middle dc. * around. ending w/ss in 1st sc

Round 12: Chain 3, 2 dc in same sc (shell), * sc in middle dc, shell in next sc, * around ending with ss in middle dc of shell Change to 1st color

Round 13: sc in joining ss, * shell in next sc, sc in middle dc. * around. ending w/ss in 1st sc

Round 14: chain 3, 2 dc in same sc (shell), * sc in middle dc, shell in next sc, * around ending with ss in middle dc of shell Change to 2nd color

Round 15: sc in joining ss, * shell in next sc, sc in middle dc. * around. ending w/ss in 1st sc

Round 16: chain 3, 2 dc in same sc (shell), * sc in middle dc, shell in next sc, * around ending with ss in middle dc of shell.

Cut yarn and weave in the ends.

Flower purchased at Michaels.

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