

Bellatina

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Materials:

Yarn: 1 skein Caron Simply Soft Shadows (shown) or Caron Simply Soft
1 oz. Caron Simply Soft complimentary color
Small amount of green Simply Soft for leaf on flower

Crochet Hook: G
Stitch marker
Tapestry needle

Note: This hat is made in a continuous spiral.
Place stitch marker at the beginning of each round.

Crown:

Using G hook and Shadows yarn - ch 4, join with sl st to form ring.

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc into ring; DO NOT TURN. Place stitch marker.

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in each sc; 12 sc

Rnd 3: Work * 1 sc in first sc, 2 sc in next* around; 18 sc

Rnd 4: Work * 1 sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next* around; 24 sc

Rnd 5: Work * 1 sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next* around; 30 sc

Continue in this manner, adding one sc between increases, until there are 10 sc between each increase. 72 sc
Work even around, on 72 sts, until piece measures 5" from center crown (approx. 20 rows from beginning). Finish off using slip stitch.

Band: Join complimentary color and work around 1 sc in each sc for 6 rounds. Finish off with a slip stitch.

Brim: Rejoin Shadows yarn

Rnd 1: Work 1 sc in each sc around.

Rnd 2: Work *1 sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc* around.

Rnd 3 and Rnd 4: Work 1 sc in each sc around.

Rnd 5: Work *1 sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc* around.

Rnd 6 and Rnd 7: Work 1 sc in each sc around.

Rnd 8: Work reverse sc around *or for another variation:* ch 1, TURN and work 1 sc around. Finish off with a slip stitch; weave in ends with tapestry needle.

FLOWER

Use G hook and complimentary color yarn Ch 4, join with sl st to form ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 1, 10 sc in ring; join in beg ch-1.

Rnd 2: Ch 2, sk next sc; *sl st in next sc, ch 2, sk next sc; rep from * around; join in beg sc (5 ch-2 lps)

Rnd 3: *(sc, hdc, 3 dc, hdc, sc) in next ch-2 lp; rep from * around; join 5 petals made

Rnd 4: Working behind petals, *sl st in next skipped sc on rnd 2, ch 3; rep from * around; join (5 ch-3 lps)

Rnd 5: (sc, hdc, 5 dc, hdc, sc) in each ch-3 lp around; join to beg sc (5 petals)

Rnd 6: Working behind petals, **grab** last sc of petal (with hook) from rnd 3, pull it through work and make 1 sc in it, ch 4; rep from * around; join

Rnd 7: *(sc, hdc, 7 dc, hdc, sc) in each ch-4 lp around; join to beg sc (5 petals). Fasten off, leaving long tail to sew on flower.

LEAF

With G hook and green yarn, leave 6" tail for attaching to hat and ch 8. Work 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook, *hdc in next ch, dc in each of next 3 ch, hdc in next ch, sc in last ch*, ch 2. Working along opposite side of leaf (unused stitches of beg chain) sc in same ch as last sc; repeat between *. Fasten off.

Place leaf and flower in desired position on hat band and sew in place.



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