The Pumpin Spice Aviator

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SIZE

This hat is designed to fit most adult heads.

YOU WILL NEED

230yd/210m of worsted weight yarn in orange

Hook: 4.5mm/ G-7 or size needed to obtain gauge

Yarn needle

GAUGE

Take time to check your gauge.

First 5 rnds = 4"/10cm diameter

12 hdc = 4"/10cm

NOTES

Half double crochet stitches are worked in the spaces between stitches, not in the top of stitches. The first space is between the beginning chain of the previous round and the next half double crochet. With orange yarn; ch 2, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: ch 2 9counts as first hdc here and throughout), work 5 hdc in ring; join with sl st in top of beginning ch-2 (6hdc).

Rnd 2: Ch 2, hdc in first space between sts, *2hdc in next space between sts; repeat from * around; join with sl st in top of beginning ch-1 (12 hdc).

Rnd 3: Ch 2, hdc in first 2 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts, *hdc in next space between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts; repeat from * around to last space, skip last space; join with sl st in top of beginning ch-2 (17 hdc).

Rnd 4: ch 2, hdc in first 3 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts, *hdc in next 2 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts; repeat from * around to last space, skip last space; join with sl st in top of beginning ch-2 (22hdc).

Rnd 5: Ch 2, hdc in first 4 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts, *hdc in next
3 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts; repeat from * around to last space, skip last space; join with sl st in top of beginning ch-2 (27 hdc).

Rnd 6: Ch 2, hdc in first 5 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts, *hdc in next 4 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts; repeat from * around to last space, skip last space; join with sl st in top of beginning ch-2 (32 hdc).

Rnd 7: Ch 2, hdc in forst 6 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts, *hdc in next
5 spaces between sts, 2 hdc in next space between sts; repeat from * around to last space, skip last space, join with sl st in top of beginning ch-2 (37 hdc).

Rnds 8-12: Continue as established, working one more hdc between increases in each round.

Rnds 13-23: Ch2, hdc in each space around ; join with sl st in top of beginning ch-2.

Fasten off.

FIRST EAR FLAP

With right side of the hat facing you, skip the first 8 spaces following the join, join yarn with sl st in next space.

Row 1: Ch 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout), hdc in next 9 spaces between sts (10 hdc).

Rows 2-4; ch 2, turn, hdc in each space across.

Fasten off.

SECOND EAR FLAP

With wrong side of the hat facing you, skip the first 8 spaces following the join, join yarn with sl st in next space.

Row 1: Ch 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout), hdc in next 9 spaces between sts (10 hdc).

Rows 2-4: ch 2, turn, hdc in each space across.

Fasten off

VISOR FLAP

With right side of hat facing you, skip the first 11 spaces following the last stitch in the first ear flap, join yarn with sl st in next space.

Row 1: Ch 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout) hdc in next 14 spaces between sts (14 hdc).

Rows 2-5: Ch 2, turn, hdc in each space across.

Fasten off.

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BORDER

With wrong side of the hat facing you, join yarn with sl st in back center space.

Rnd 1: ch 1, work sc, in each space around entire hat, working 2 sc in corners of earflaps and visor; join with sl st in first sc.

Fasten off.

Enjoy!

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