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Kate Mug Cozy

A Sunflower Cottage Crochet Pattern

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Pattern Specifics:

Materials:

- #4 worsted weight cotton (approx. 40 yards)
- 5mm hook
- Stitch markers (optional)
- Scissors
- Tapestry needle
- Button
- Measuring Tape

Sizing: Finished size is approximately 11" (including the tab) wide x 2.5" tall.

Adjust the size by amending row 1 by multiples of 3.

Abbreviations used:

Ch(s) – chain(s)

St(s) – Stitch(es)

Sk – skip

Ss – slip stitch

Rep – Repeat

Sc – single crochet

Fsc – foundation single crochet (see special stitches)

Dc—double crochet

fpdc – front post double crochet (see special stitches)

bpdc – back post double crochet (see special stitches)

Alt dc – alternative double crochet

FO—fasten off

YO—yarn over

[] – everything within these brackets are worked into the same st.

Pattern Notes:

- Written in US terms
- Chain 1 does not count as a stitch unless specifically stated.
- Adjust the size by amending row 1 by multiples of 3.
- Your stitch count will remain the same for the main body of your mug cozy on each row.

Special stitches:

Fsc – Foundation stitches give a better finish to your projects.



You can find my video tutorials on how to work these stitches at:

Right-handed –

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wPHOG4Vli_Q&t=200s

Left-handed -

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UqkTFzCja-A&t=28s>

Alt DC – This stitch avoids the gaps that can result from a ch3 start to the row. To work this one sc into the first st and ch2. This [sc,ch2] combo will be the same height as the dc.

Front Post Double Crochet: Yarn over (yo) and insert your hook from front to back between the posts of the first and second double crochet of the row below, and then from back to front again between the posts of the second and third stitches.

The hook should now be positioned horizontally behind the double crochet that you're working around.

Yarn over and draw the yarn around the post of the stitch.

You now have 3 loops on the hook.

Yarn over and draw the yarn through the 2 loops on the hook, twice.

One front post double crochet (FP dc) is complete.

You can find my YouTube tutorials here:

Right handed -

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nmWe76Y4v08&t=27s>

Left handed -

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=biHxNSKo5Vw&t=7s>

Back Post Double Crochet: Yarn over (yo) and insert your hook from back to front between the posts of the first and second double crochet in the row below, and then from front to back again between the posts of the second and third stitches.

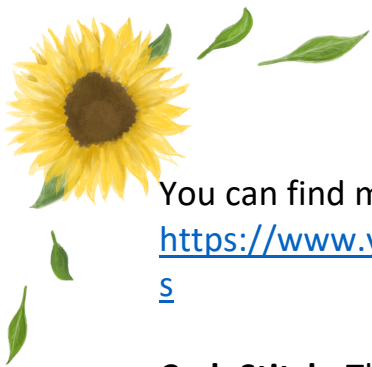
The hook should now be positioned horizontally in front of the double crochet that you're working around.

Yarn over and draw the yarn around the post of the stitch.

You now have 3 loops on the hook.

Yarn over and draw the yarn through the 2 loops on the hook, twice.

You've made one complete back post double crochet (BP dc).



You can find my YouTube tutorial here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hTPKAPQblkE&t=46s>

Crab Stitch: The Crab stitch is done by completing a “reverse” single crochet. Normally, you work to the left as a righthanded crocheter, in this case, you’re going to work to the right, instead. Insert your hook into the next stitch to your right and pull up a loop, YO, pull thru both loops.

Right handed video tutorial -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=14A_ioI8ROQ&t=19s

Left handed video tutorial -

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FRZw9HCD7jI&t=6s>

Kate Mug Cozy Pattern:

Main body:

Row 1 Fsc 31 **OR** ch32 and sc in second ch from hook and each st across. (31)

Row 2 Turn. Ch3 (counts) **OR** Alt DC

sk2, [2dc, ch1, 2dc] in next st, sk2, fpdc around next st repeat until you have 3 sts remaining, sk2, dc in last st.

Row 3 Ch3 (counts as a dc), turn, *sk2, [2dc, ch1, 2dc] in next st (this will be the ch sp from the previous row), sk2, bpdcc around next st (this will be the fpdc from the previous row) * Repeat until you have 3 sts remaining (you will have just worked a [2dc, ch1, 2dc]), sk2, dc in last st.

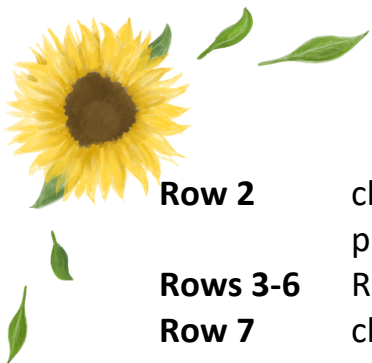
Row 4 Repeat row 2

Row 5 Turn, sc in first st, *sc in the next 2 dcs, sc in the ch1 sp, sc in the next 2 dcs, bphdc in the next st (this is the fpdc from the previous row)* along, sc in the final st. (31)

Row 6 Ch1, turn, sc in each st along the top, (sc, ch1, sc) in each corner and sc evenly down each side until. Ss to join. DO NOT FO

Tab:

Row 1 ch1, turn, ss in the first 2 sts, sc in the next 6 sts.



- Row 2** ch1, turn, sc in each of the 6 sc's from the previous row
- Rows 3-6** Repeat row 2
- Row 7** ch1, turn, sc in first st, ch4, sc in last st,
- Row 8** ch1, turn, sc in first st, 4sc in ch4 sp, sc in last st
- Row 9** ch1, turn, sc in each st across
- Row 10** turn, ss in each st around the whole of the cozy. SS to join.

FO, weave in ends and sew on button on opposite side to the tab.

Customisations:

How about embellishing your finished mug cozy with a jazzy button to suit the personality of the recipient!

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