

floral cloche

Yarn

RED HEART Designer Sport,
3oz/85g balls, each approx
279yd/255m (acrylic)

- 2 balls #3770 Berry (A)
- 1 ball #3650 Pistachio (B)
- 1 ball #3730 Blush Rose (C)
- 1 ball #3261 Terra Cotta (D)

Crochet hook

- Size I/9 (5.5mm) crochet hook or any size to obtain correct gauge
- Size K/10½ (6.5mm) crochet hook

Notions

- Pin back or large 2½"/6.5cm safety pin
- Sewing needle and matching sewing thread (optional)
- Yarn needle



MEASUREMENTS

Approx 21"/53.5cm circumference

GAUGE

With I hook, Rounds 1–3 = 3½"/9cm diameter

Remember to check gauge for best results!

How to make a gauge swatch

With I/9 hook and 2 strands of A held tog, ch 4; join with sl st to form a ring

Rounds 1–3 Work same as Rounds 1–3 on Cloche. Swatch should measure approx 3½"/9cm diameter. Adjust hook size if necessary to obtain correct gauge.

CLOCHE

Crown

With I/9 hook and 2 strands of A held tog, ch 4; join with sl st to form a ring

Round 1 (right side) Ch 1, work 9 sc in ring; join with sl st in first sc—9 sc.

Round 2 Ch 3 (counts as dc now and throughout), dc in same sc as joining; *2 dc in next sc, repeat from * around; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch-3—18 dc.

Round 3 Ch 3, dc in same ch as joining, dc in next dc; *2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc; repeat from * around; join—27 dc.

Round 4 Ch 3, dc in same ch as joining, dc in next 2 dc; *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 2 dc; repeat from * around; join—36 dc.

Round 5 Ch 3, dc in same ch as joining, dc in next 3 dc; *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 3 dc; repeat from * around; join—45 dc.

Round 6 Ch 3, dc in same ch as joining, dc in next 4 dc; *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 4 dc; repeat from * around; join—54 dc.

Rounds 7–10 Ch 3, *dc in next dc; repeat from * around; join.

BRIM

Round 1 Ch 1, sc in same ch as joining and in each dc around; join with sl st in first sc—54 sc.

Round 2 Ch 1, sc in same sc as joining and in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc; *sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc; repeat from * around; join—65 sc.

Round 3 Ch 1, 2 sc in same sc as joining, sc in each rem sc around; join—66 sc.

Rounds 4–6 Ch 1, sc in same sc as joining and in each sc around; join.

Round 7 Repeat round 3—67 sc. Fasten off.

FLOWER PIN

Flower

Note Use K/10½ hook and 2 strands of yarn held tog throughout.

With B, ch 7; join with sl st to form a ring.

Round 1 (right side) Ch 1, work 14 sc in ring; join with sl st in first sc—14 sc.

Round 2 Ch 1, sc in same sc as joining; *ch 3, sk next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from * 5 times more; ch 3, sk next sc; join with sl st in first sc—7 ch-3 sps. Fasten off.

Round 3 With right side facing, join C with sl st in first ch-3 sp, ch 1, (sc, hdc, 3 dc, hdc, sc) in same sp as joining (petal made); *(sc, hdc, 3 dc, hdc, sc) in next ch-3 sp, repeat from * around; join—7 petals.

Round 4 Ch 1, working behind petals, sc around post of first sc on round 2, ch 4;

*sc around post of next sc on round 2, ch 4; repeat from * around; join—7 ch-4 sps. Fasten off.

Round 5 With right side facing, join D with sl st in first ch-4 sp, ch 1, (sc, hdc, dc, 2 tr, dc, hdc, sc) in same sp as joining (petal made); *(sc, hdc, dc, 2 tr, dc, hdc, sc) in next ch-4 sp; repeat from * around; join—7 petals.

Round 6 Ch 1, working behind petals, sc around post of first sc on round 4, ch 5, *sc around post of next sc on round 4, ch 5; repeat from * around; join—7 ch-5 sps. Fasten off.

Round 7 With right side facing, join C with sl st in first ch-5 sp, ch 1, (sc, hdc, 6 dc, hdc, sc) in same sp as joining (petal made); *(sc, hdc, 6 dc, hdc, sc) in next ch-5 sp, repeat from * around; join—7 petals. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends.

Assembly

With yarn needle and length of yarn, sew bar pin or safety pin to back of flower. Pin flower on side of cloche. If desired, sew flower directly onto cloche using a yarn needle and matching yarn. ■