



Mushroom! Mushroom!



Materials:

Small amount of worsted weight yarn

Size F crochet hook (or any size you prefer depending on size/gauge)

Yarn/Tapestry needle

Yarn ends or other stuffing material

Note: Work in continuous amigurumi style rounds (without joining). These are worked in two pieces the stem and cap, then sewn together after stuffing. Gauge is unimportant for this project.

Stem:

Round 1: Work 6 sc in a ring using magic loop OR ch 2 and work 6 sc into 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)

Round 2-4: Work three rounds even.

Round 5: Work 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Round 6: Work *2 sc in first sc, 1 sc * Repeat from * around. (18 sc)



Round 7: Work even. Finish off, stuffing any yarn tails into stem.

Cap:

Round 1: Work 6 sc in a ring using magic loop OR ch 2 and work 6 sc into 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)

Round 2: Work 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Round 3: Work *2 sc in first sc, 1 sc * Repeat from * around. (18 sc)

Round 4-6: Work three rounds even.

Round 5: Work one round even in back loops only. Finish off leaving yarn tail for sewing.

Assembly: Stuff cap very sparingly for a "button" type mushroom (allows the stem to "sink" into the cap more) or stuff firmly for a more classic "toadstool" look. Sew cap to stem using yarn tail and tapestry needle through inner loops only. (See photo below)
Weave in ends.





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