



Jellybaby Chenille Pumpkin CY1940

Measurements

25cm wide x 30cm tall

Materials

Yarn A – 200g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Butterscotch (010)

Yarn B – 30g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Lime Light (026)

Yarn C – Small amount Cygnet 100% Cotton Black (2177)

Yard D – Small amount Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille White (001)

250g Stuffing

2 x 16mm Safety Eyes

crochet hook: 4mm

Abbreviations

hdc

dc	Double Crochet	inv dec Invisible Double Crochet Decrease	mc	Magic circle
sl st	Slip Stitch	** Repeat instructions between asterisks	st	Stitch
inc	Double Crochet Increas	se BLO Back Loop Only	ch	Chain

Place a stitch marker at the start of each round so you don't lose your place.

Half Double Crochet

The chains at the start of each row in the body pattern, do not count as a stitch.

Pumpkin Body

With 4mm hook and Yarn A ch52.

Row 1: In the 3rd chain from hook, hdc, continue to hdc x 49. (50 sts)

Row 2 - 60: ch2 and turn your work, 50hdc in BLO (50 sts)

You should have a rectangle that is twice as long as it is wide. If you need to add extra rows, you can do so.

Joining

Fold the rectangle holding the two short sides (stitches)

together, use a slip stitch to work your way along the edge, making sure to go through loops from both short sides of the rectangle.

Fasten off.

Turn your work inside out so that the seam you just made is on the inside of the pumpkin.

You can use Yarn A to gather the long edges (rows) of the pumpkin to create the round shape, but if you find the yarn is snapping, you can use a length of the black cotton yarn (Yarn C). Join the yarn to the long edge of the pumpkin body and weave in and out of the rows with a tapestry needle. When you have got back to where you started, gently pull the yarn to close and gather the pumpkin body. You can secure this with a knot so that is does not unravel. The body may not close fully, but you will be adding



a piece to the bottom and top of the pumpkin to cover the gap.

Once you have gathered 1 long edge of the rectangle you can place the facial features.

Place the safety eyes roughly in the centre of the pumpkin, between stitches 25 & 26, approximately 7 rows apart. You can adjust to your preference. Embroider a smile using Yarn C, across 2 rows in between the eyes.

You can also add detail to the safety eyes by using Yarn D, embroider around the outside edge of the safety eye.

Stuff the pumpkin with stuffing.

Close the top of the pumpkin using the same method as you did the bottom.

Pumpkin Bottom

With 4mm hook and Yarn B make a mc.

Round 1: 6dc into magic circle (6 sts)

Round 2: *inc* x 6 (12 sts) **Round 3:** *inc, 1dc* x 6 (18 sts)

Fasten off with a long tail for sewing.

Pumpkin Stem

With 4mm hook and Yarn B make a mc.

Round 1: 6dc into magic circle (6 sts)

Round 2: 6dc into BLO (6 sts)

Round 3-7: 6dc (6 sts)

Round 8: *inc* x 6 (12 sts)

Round 9: *inc, 1dc* x 6 (18 sts) **Round 10:** *inc, 2dc* x 6 (24 sts)

Round 11: *dc, tr, dc* x 8 (24 sts)

Fasten off with a long tail for sewing.

Pumpkin Tendrils Short/Long

Short

With 4mm hook and Yarn B ch21.

Row 1: dc into second chain from hook and continue into each stitch (20 sts)

Fasten off with a tail for sewing.

Long

With 4mm hook and Yarn B ch31.

Row 1: dc into second chain from hook and continue into each stitch (30 sts)

Fasten off with a tail for sewing.

Legs x 2

You will be working around both sides of the starting chain to create an oval shape.

With 4mm hook and Yarn B.

Round 1: ch 6, dc into second ch from hook, 3dc, [3dc into next stitch], continue on the opposite side of the chain, 3dc, [2dc in last st]. (12 sts)

Round 2: [2dc in first stitch], 3dc, [2dc in next 3 sts], 4dc, [2dc in last st] (17 sts)

Round 3: *2dc, inc* x 5, 2dc (22 sts)

Round 4: BLO 22dc (22 sts) **Round 5:** 8dc, 4 inv dec, 6dc

(18sts)

Round 6: 7dc, 3 inv dec, 5dc (15 sts)

Round 7: 7dc, 2 inv dec, 4dc (13 sts)

Round 8: 7dc, 2 inv dec, 2dc (11 sts)

Round 9 - 13: 11 dc (11 sts)

SI st and fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing the leg closed and sewing onto the body.

Assembly

Stuff each leg with a little bit of stuffing. Using the tail you left

when fastening off, sew closed each leg, do not cut off, you will need to sew the legs to the body.

Sew the legs to the bottom of the body, lining them up with the inside of the eyes.

Sew the pumpkin stem over the hole at the top of the pumpkin.

Sew the Pumpkin Tendrils to the pumpkin stem.



Sew the pumpkin bottom to the bottom of the pumpkin.



Weave in any loose ends.

