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Free pattern for crocheted orange – Karla's orange



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Why is it called Karla's Fruit – Karla's Orange?

The designer wanted to make a lot of play food for her niece Karla's 2 year birthday. However, she



thought that a completely ordinary round orange was too "boring" and therefore tried to make it in a way so that there was more "play in it" - this was the result.

The pattern is named after the designer's niece, therefore it is called Karla's fruit - Karla's orange.

Materials

- [Crochet needle](#) size 2.5 and 3
- [filling](#)
- [pins for mounting](#)
- [Infinity Hearts Rose 8/4 Yarn Unicolor 193 Orange](#) 27 g
- [Infinity Hearts Rose 8/4 Yarn Unicolor 172 Nature](#) 12 g
- [Infinity Hearts Rose 8/4 Yarn Unicolor 192 Light Orange](#) 10 g
- [Infinity Hearts Rose 8/4 Yarn Unicolor 156 Green](#) 2 g
- Possibly [row counter](#)

Abbreviations

dc- double crochet

ch – chain stitch

sl st – slip stitch

Indt - intake (2 stitches together)

Udt – Outtake (2 stitches in the same stitch)

hdc – Half double crochet

tr – Treble crochet

3-dtr - double treble crochet

* 1ch,hdc* - made in the same stitch

If nothing else is stated, crochet in double stitches - dc.

The course of action:

Orange wedge

Use needle 2.5 - colours: light orange, nature, orange.



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A total of 6 orange wedges must be made.

Start with orange (193)

1 row. [Magic ring](#) with 6 dc(6)

2 row. Udt in all stitches (12)

3 row. 1 dc, udt x 6 (18)

4 row. 2 dc, udt x 6 (24)

5 row. 3 dc, udt x6 (30)

6 row. 4 dc, udt x 6 (36)

Change to nature at last stitch, leave a long end nature - to embroider the peel with.

7 rnd. 5 dc, udt x 6 (42)

Change the colour of the last stitch to make the edge turn orange.

8 rnd. 2 dc, udt, 4 dcx 6 (48) end with sl st in the next stitch, do not break the yarn.

Crochet the next round in back piece.

9 rnd. Indt, 18 dc, indt, skip 2, indt, 18 dc, indt, skip 2 + sl st from before (40)



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Crochet the remaining rounds in both sts.

10 rnd. 18 dc, skip 2 stitches, 18 dc, skip 2 stitches (36)

11 rnd. 16 dc, skip 2 stitches, 16 dc, skip 2 stitches (32)



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End with sl st on the opposite side, leaving a long end to attach.

You can advantageously embroider the skin before filling it with filling and close it.

It fits in with making 9 "divisions" - in every 4th stitch.



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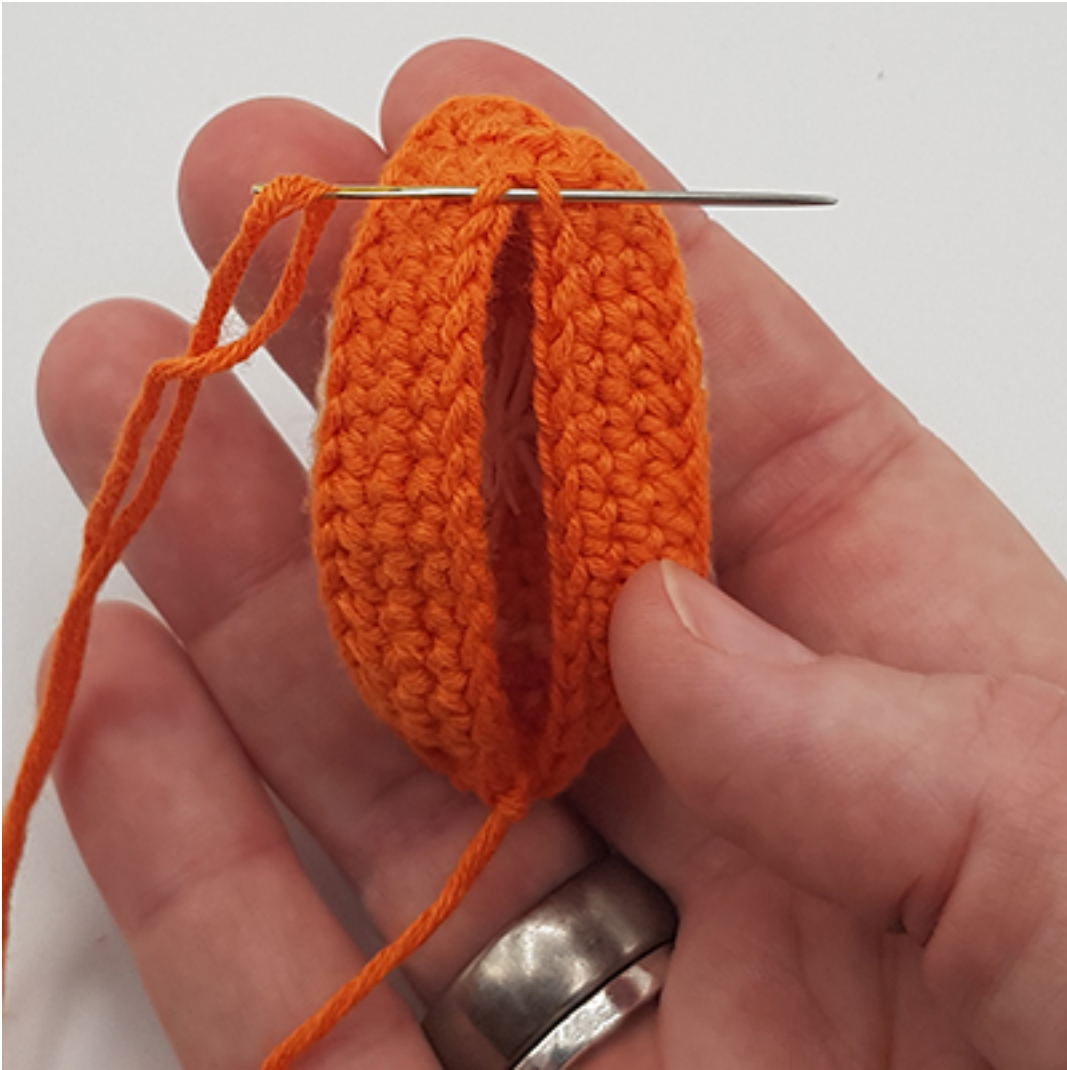
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Attach all ends and weave the middle together at the outermost edge.



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Peel

Use needle 2.5 - color: Orange (193)

1 rnd. Magic ring with 6 dc(6)

2 rnd. Udt i in all stitches (12)

3 rnd. 1 dc, udt x 6 (18)

4 rnd. 1 dc, udt, 2 dc, udt, 3 dc, udt, 2 dc, udt, 3 dc, udt, 2 dc(23)

5 rnd. 1 dc, udt, 3 dc, udt, 3 dc, udt, 3 dc, udt, 3 dc, udt, 3 dc, udt, 1 dc(29)

6 rnd. 4 dc, udt, 5 dc, udt, 5 dc, udt, 5 dc, udt, 5 dc, udt (34)



7 rnd. 4 dc, udt, 5 dc, udt, 6 dc, udt, 6 dc, udt, 6 dc, udt, 2 dc(39)

8 rnd. 6 dc, udt, 8 dc, udt, 9 dc, udt, 9 dc, udt, 3 dc(43)

9 rnd. 3 dc, udt, 8 dc, udt, 10 dc, udt, 10 dc, udt, 8 dc(47)

10 rnd. 6 dc, udt, 14 dc, udt, 15 dc, udt, 9 dc(50)

11 rnd. 9 dc, udt, 15 dc, udt, 16 dc, udt, 7 dc(53)

12 rnd. 5 dc, udt, 16 dc, udt, 17 dc, udt, 12 dc(56)

13 rnd. 12 dc, udt, 26 dc, udt, 15 dc(59)

14 rnd. 18 dc, udt, 40 dc(60)

15-18 rnd. dc the entire round (60) (4 rounds)

The stitches are divided into 6 "leaves" of 10 stitches, crochet in rows and reversed with 1 ch.



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“Leaf”

Use needle 3.0 - colour: Orange (193)

19-25 rnd. 10 dc (7 rows)

26 rnd. indt, 6 dc, indt (8)

27 rnd. dc(8)

28 rnd. indt, 4 dc, indt (6)

29 rnd. dc(6)

30 rnd. indt, 2 dc, indt (4)

31 rnd. dc(4) - Make 6 loose ch and bind with sl st at the other end

At the start of new leaves, the yarn is attached with slst in the last leaf of the previous leaf.



At the last leaf, make a sl st in the 1st stitch on the leaf next to it. So you do:

1 sl st - 10 dc- 1 sl st, turn and continue with the rows, as with the other leaves - however, sl st have to be skipped. In addition, extra rows of dc must be made.



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32-35 rnd. dc(4) (4 rows)

Change to green at last dc36 rnd.

Indt, indt (2)

37 rnd. Indt (1)

Make 6 ch with the end of the yarn, which the leaf should be made in - break the yarn.

Use needle 2.5 - colour: Green

Fasten the yarn with a sl st on the first ch in the stitch row, which must be crocheted around the row

to make the blade - start in the back loop only, and crochet around.

1 dc

2 hdc

*1 hdc, 1 hdc *

2 dc

*2 c, 1 3-dc, 2 hdc * - Turn the leaf over and crochet in the back of the stitch.

2 dc

1 dc, 1 hdc

2 hdc

1 dc

sl st

Attach all ends and sew the button in round 35.





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Finished product:



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The finished orange measures 7 cm. in height and 22 cm. in circumference.

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