Sunflower Sun Hat

Free Crochet Pattern Courtesy of <u>Oui Crochet</u> (Formerly Earning-My-Cape)

Supplies:

Size H crochet hook Cotton yarn in brown and yellow.

Pattern:

Special Note:

The first ch 3 in each round counts as a dc. When joining at the end of the round, you will slip stitch into the top of the beginning ch 3.



Using the brown, Ch 3, join with sl st to the first ch to form a ring. **Round 1:** Ch 3, work 9 dc inside ring. Join. (10) **Round 2:** [2 dc in each st] around. Join. (20) **Round 3:** [1 dc, 2dc in next st] around. Join. (30) **Round 4:** [2dc, 2dc in next st] around. Join. (40) **Round 5:** [3 dc, 2dc in next st] around. Join. (50) **Round 6:** [4 dc, 2dc in next st] around. Join. (60) **Rounds 7-12:** dc in each st around. (60) Switch to the yellow yarn. **Round 13 & 14:** dc in each st around. (60) **Round 15:** hdc in each st around. (60) Finish off.

Petals/Brim:

Petal Base:

Reattach the yellow to the vertical strand of the first dc (this is the ch3) in round 14. Ch 1, sc in the front vertical strand of each stitch in that row, around. Join. (60)

Petals:

(Ch 2 at the beginning of the row does NOT count as a hdc.)

Now working with two strands of yarn together:

ch 2

Row 1: Hdc (in the same stitch as join and ch 2 for the first petal), hdc in the next 5 sts. Turn. (6)

Row 2&3: Ch 2, hdc in each hdc across. Turn. (6)

Row 4: Ch 2, hdc2tog, 2 hdc, hdc2tog. Turn. (4)

Row 5: Ch 2, [hdc2tog] twice. Turn. (2)

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Row 6: Ch 2, hdc2tog. Turn. (1)
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Row 7: Ch 1, pivot work and sl st 8 down the left side of the petal. Hdc in the next sc of the base row (this will count as the first hdc in row 1 for the next petal. For the last petal, simply sl st into the base to join.)

Repeat Rows 1-7 around. You should get 10 petals.

Now sl st around entire petal brim.

Finish off and weave in all ends.

