Chain Loop Flower (Mum or Chrysanthemum)

with YouTube Help Video

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Here's a fun and easy flower that looks like a mum, also known as a chrysanthemum. The flower is first formed with double crochet stitches using green yarn. Then chains and slip stitches with pink, orange, or yellow yarn form the loop effect. These flowers work great for a hat, scarf, shawl, bag, and more. Information on how to crochet the leaves are also included! Check out the how-to video on the Naztazia YouTube channel here: https://youtube.com/naztazia And feel free to Pin photos or check out other info at: https://naztazia.com

Terminology:

CH = Chain	DC = Double Crochet	DTR = Double Treble Crochet
HDC = Half Double Crochet	RPT = Repeat	SC = Single Crochet
SLST = Slip Stitch	SP = Space	ST = Stitch
TR = Treble Crochet		

Size/Gauge:

Size: 4.5" diameter. Gauge: Not important

Materials:

About 30 yards of Red Heart Super Saver. Sample flowers used Perfect Pink (pink), Pumpkin (orange), Lemon (yellow), and Honeydew (green). Size G 4mm crochet hook. Yarn needle, scissors. Optional button or gem for the center.

Instructions:

Watch the YouTube tutorial video here: https://youtube.com/naztazia Look for "Chain Loop Flower."

FLOWER

With green, CH 30.

ROW 1: DC in 4th CH from hook. 1 DC in each CH across. CH 3, turn.

ROW 2: DC in same SP as CH-3. 2 DC in each ST across. Leave 12" tail and cut yarn for sewing later.

ROW 3: With pink, place slipknot on hook. SLST into the end of ROW 2. RPT [CH 8, SLST in next ST] across. Fasten off.

Begin to roll flower starting with the opposite side of the 12" tail end. Roll flower along its starting chain edge. Use 12" tail end to sew layers together on the back. Sew or hot glue a button or gem in the middle if desired.

LEAF

With green, CH 12.

ROW 1: SC in 2nd CH from hook. In next 3 CHs: 1 HDC, 1 DC, 1 TR. In next 3 CHs: 3 DTR. In next 3 CHs: 1 TR, 1 DC, 1 HDC. End with 1 SC.

EDGING: CH 1. Do not turn. Reverse SC around edge of leaf. Fasten off.