

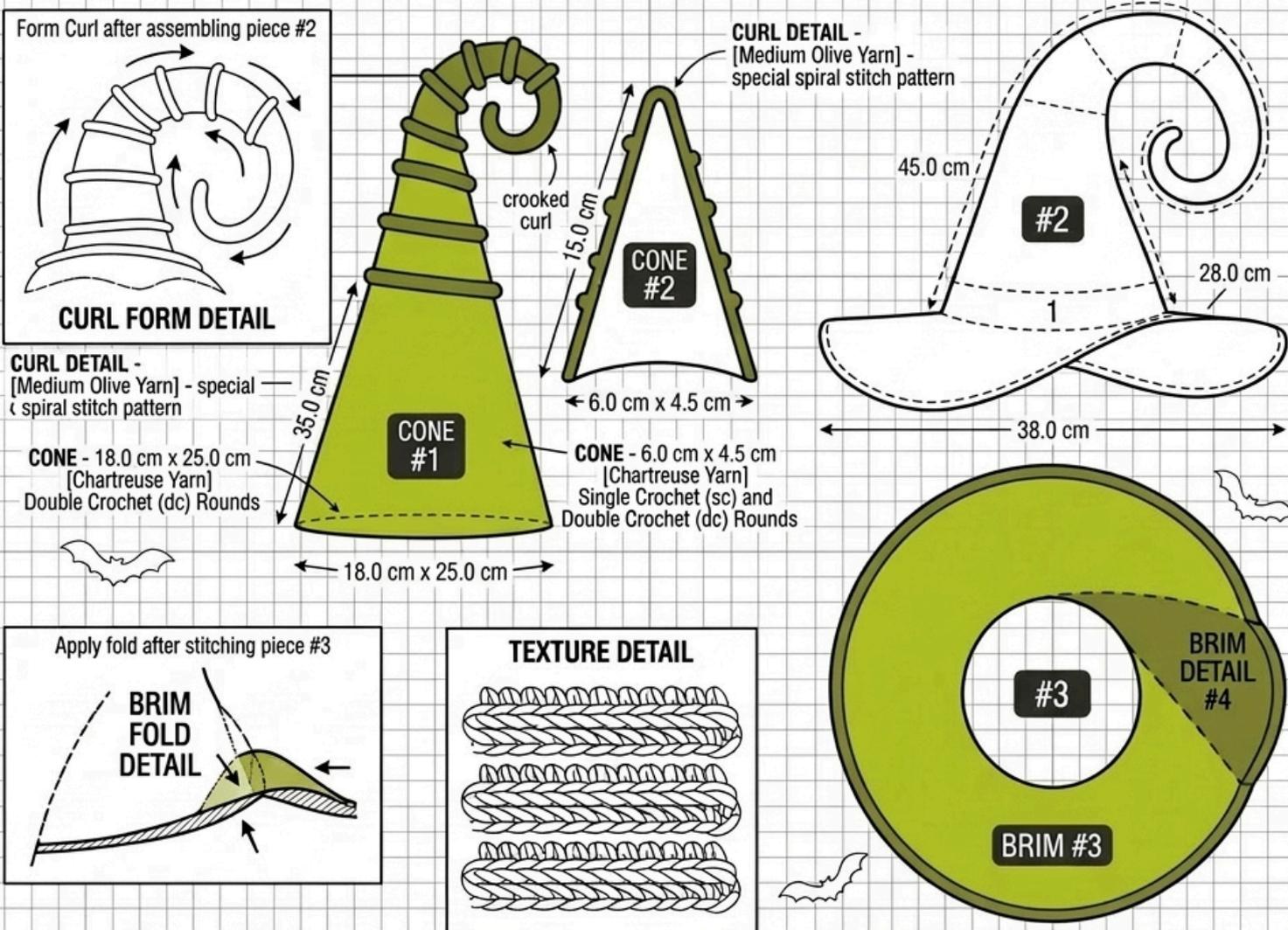
Crochet Crooked Witch Hat Pattern

Overview

A whimsical crocheted witch hat featuring a curved (crooked) tip, textured cone, and wide structured brim. Perfect for Halloween costumes, décor, or playful accessories.

CROCHET CROOKED WITCH HAT TEMPLATE & INSTRUCTIONS

(Measurements in cm)



MATERIALS NEEDED

- Chartreuse and Medium Olive worsted/aran weight yarn
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- Correct hook size . 5.0mm (H/8)
- Correct hook (G/6) or 4.0mm (G/6)
- Stitch markers
- Tapestry needle
- Stiffening agent (for the brim)

CROCHET TIPS

- Use correct gauge to ensure fit.
- Raised texture on cone is achieved with front post (fp) and back post (bp) dc stitches.
- For curl form, follow instructions carefully in piece #2 detail.
- Apply brim stiffener before final fold assembly.
- Reinforce brim edges with a border of sc.
- Add a decorative bat or spider applique as shown (optional).

Materials

- Worsted/Aran weight yarn
 - Color A: Chartreuse (main cone & brim)
 - Color B: Medium olive (curl detail)
 - Crochet hook: 5.0 mm (H/8) or 4.0 mm (G/6 for tighter stitches)
 - Stitch markers
 - Tapestry needle
 - Scissors
 - Optional: brim stiffener (fabric stiffener or wire)
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Abbreviations (US Terms)

- ch = chain
 - sl st = slip stitch
 - sc = single crochet
 - dc = double crochet
 - fpdc = front post double crochet
 - bpdc = back post double crochet
 - inc = increase (2 stitches in same stitch)
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Cone Base (Piece #1)

Round 1

- Magic ring

- ch 3 (counts as dc)
- 11 dc in ring
- Join (12 sts)

Round 2

- ch 3
- dc inc in each stitch around
- Join (24 sts)

Round 3

- ch 3
- *(dc in next, inc)* repeat
- Join (36 sts)

Continue Increasing

- Add 12 stitches per round
 - Work until base diameter reaches approx. **18 cm**
 - Maintain even tension
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Cone Height & Texture

- Continue working dc rounds without increases
- Work until height reaches approx. **25 cm**

Texture Detail

- Alternate rounds of:

- fpdc (raised ridge)
 - dc (normal round)
 - Creates spiral/ribbed texture
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Crooked Tip Extension (Piece #2)

Row-Based Shaping

- Attach yarn at top of cone
- ch 2, turn

Row 1–10

- Work sc across
- Decrease 1 stitch at each end of every row

Final Rows

- Continue decreasing until narrow tip forms

Curl Formation

- Work spiral rounds using:
 - (*sc, hdc, dc, inc*) pattern
 - This creates natural curl
 - Shape manually while damp or block slightly curved
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Brim (Piece #3)

Round 1

- Attach yarn to cone base
- sc evenly around

Round 2

- (*sc in next, inc*) around

Round 3+

- Continue increasing every other stitch
 - Work until brim reaches approx. **38 cm diameter**
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Brim Structure & Fold (Piece #4)

- Add extra rounds without increases for firmness
- Optional: insert wire or stiffener

Fold Detail

- Lightly fold brim edge upward
 - Secure with sl st or light stitching in sections
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Assembly

1. Sew tip extension (#2) securely to cone (#1)
 2. Shape curl by hand
 3. Attach brim (#3) to base evenly
 4. Reinforce seams
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Finishing

- Weave in all ends
 - Block lightly to shape
 - Apply stiffener to brim if needed
 - Adjust curl direction
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Optional Decorations

- Crochet or sew:
 - Small bat applique
 - Spider motif
 - Ribbon band
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Sizing Notes

- Smaller hat: use thinner yarn + smaller hook
- Larger hat: increase base rounds
- Adjust height for dramatic effect

Tips

- Use stitch markers to track rounds
- Keep increases evenly spaced
- For stronger curl, use tighter stitches
- Blocking helps define final shape