# CUMPAMEN THE PUMPKIN SPICE LATTE

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#### NOTES FOR THE PATTERN

- Instructions are written in rounds & rows, using US terminology.
- The number of stitches you should have at the end of each round is written in the brackets like so, (20).
- Make sure you pull your stitches tight and always use a stitch marker, or a piece of string, to mark the start of each round.
- Most importantly, have fun whilst crocheting this pattern, and feel free to reach out if you have any issues along the way.

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#### WHAT YOU WILL NEED

I have used Scheepjes Catona with the colours:

- 414 Vintage Peach light orange (1x 50g ball)
- 130 Old Lace -off-white (less than 25g)
- 524 Apricot dark orange (less than 25g)
- 105 Bridal White white (less than 25g)
- 502 Camel soft brown (less than 25g)
- 506 Caramel caramel brown (less than 25g)
- 157 Root Beer dark brown (less than 25g)
- 392- Lime Juice light green (less than 25g)
- · Black embroidery thread
- A 2.25 mm crochet hook
- Safety eyes (7 mm)
- Toy stuffing
- · Yarn needle
- · Stitch Markers
- Pins
- Scissors
- · Small piece of cardboard (optional)

You can use any yarn of your choice, just adjust your crochet hook according to the yarn.

# CROCHET TERMS USED // ABBREVIATIONS GUIDE (US TERMINOLOGY):

## Below are basic explanations of the crochet terms used in this pattern:

- CHAIN (ch) With a loop on your hook, yarn over from back to front and pull the loop through
- STITCH (st)
- MAGIC RING (mr) Wrap yarn over two fingers twice forming an X. Place the hook under the first piece of yarn and then over the second piece of yarn. Pull the outer strand of yarn under the first strand of the X forming a loop. Yarn over once more and draw the yarn through both loops. Work the appropriate number of stitches into the loop by inserting the hook into the main circle space onto the other side, yarning over and pulling through both loops on the hook. Once you have crocheted the number of stitches required, pull the short bit of string to tighten the ring
- SINGLE CROCHET (sc) Insert your hook into a stitch, yarn over (I prefer to pull the yarn through with my hook on top of the yarn to create a X effect), pull the yarn through (two loops on the hook), yarn over once more and pull the yarn through both loops
- SLIP ST (slst) Put your hook through the stitch, yarn over, pull through the stitch, and then pull the yarn through the loop on your hook

INCREASE (inc / dc inc) Work 2 single crochets / or 2 double crochets into the same stitch

INV DECREASE (dec) Insert your hook under the front loop of the first stitch, and then under the front loop of the second stitch. Yarn over and pull through both front loops. Yarn over and pull through the remaining loops

HALF DOUBLE CROCHET (hdc) Yarn over the hook before going into a stitch. Once you yarn over, insert your hook into the stitch, yarn over and pull through. You should have 3 loops on your hook. Yarn over and pull through all 3 loops on the hook.

DOUBLE CROCHET (dc) Yarn over the hook before going into a stitch. Once you yarn over, insert your hook into the stitch, yarn over and pull through. You should have 3 loops on your hook. Yarn over and pull through 2 of the loops. Yarn over once more and pull through the remaining 2 loops.

BACK LOOP ONLY (BLO) Complete the required stitch in the back loop only of the next stitch instead of both top loops.

FRONT LOOP ONLY (FLO) Complete the required stitch in the front loop only of the next stitch instead of both top loops.

#### **Construction:**

- > Cup is made as one piece
- > Whipped cream, pumpkin are made separately and sewn on

Skill level: beginner

**Size:** Cinnamon measures approximately 13 cm // 5 inches, when made with the above materials.

#### BEGIN WITH THE BASE OF THE CUP

Use light orange

Rnd 1: start with a mr of 6 sc (6)

Rnd 2: inc in all st (12)

Rnd 3: (sc, inc in the next st) x6 (18)

Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (24)

Rnd 5: (3 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (30)

Rnd 6: (4 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (36)

**Rnd 7:** (5 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (42)

Rnd 8: in the BLO, sc in all st (42)

Rnd 9-14: sc in all st (42) 6 rounds

Rnd 15: (6 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (48)

Rnd 16: sc in all st (48) change to soft brown on the last st of the rnd

Rnd 17: sc in all st (48)

Rnd 18: in the BLO, sc in all st (48)

Rnd 19: (15 sc, inc in the next st) x3 (51)

Rnd 20: sc in all st (51)

Rnd 21: (16 sc, inc in the next st) x3 (54)

Rnd 22-23: sc in all st (54) 2 rounds

Rnd 24: in the BLO, sc in all st (54) change back to light orange on the last st of the round

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Place the safety eyes between rounds 20-21 with approximately 5 visible sts between them. Using black embroidery thread, sew on a mouth and eyebrows. **FIGURE 1** 

Rnd 25: sc in all st (54)

Rnd 26: sc in all st (54) change to off-white on the last

st of the round

Rnd 27-28: sc in all st (54) 2 rounds Rnd 29: in the FLO, sc in all st (54)

Rnd 30: sc in all st (54) Rnd 31: slst in all st (54)

Fasten off and weave in your yarn tail\*. Fold the white part over to form the rim of the coffee cup. (Figures 3 & 4). For stability, you can cut out a circular piece of cardboard to lay flat on the bottom of the cup. If it is likely that this toy will be washed in the future, leave out the cardboard. FIGURE 2

\* If you do prefer to sew the rim of the coffee cup to the main body of work, leave a yarn tail.



FIGURE 5

#### **COFFEE CENTRE**

Use caramel brown

Attach caramel brown yarn to the BLO of round 29.

FIGURE 5

**Rnd 1:** sc in all st (54)

Rnd 2: (7 sc, dec) x6 (48)

Rnd 3: (6 sc, dec) x6 (42)

Rnd 4: (5 sc, dec) x6 (36)

Stuff the coffee, and continue throughout

Rnd 5: (2 sc, dec) x9 (27)

Rnd 6: (sc, dec) x9 (18)

Rnd 7: dec x 9 (9)

Fasten off leaving a small tail. Using your yarn needle, weave the yarn tail through the remaining FLO and pull tight to close. Weave in your tail end.

#### WHIPPED CREAM

Use white

Rnd 1: start with a mr of 6 sc (6)

Rnd 2: inc in all st (12)

**Rnd 3:** (sc, inc in the next st) x6 (18)

Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (24)

Rnd 5: (3 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (30)

Rnd 6: (4 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (36)

**Rnd 7:** (5 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (42)

Rnd 8: in the BLO, sc in all st (42)

Rnd 9-11: sc in all st (42) 3 rounds

Rnd 12: (5 sc, dec) x6 (36)

Rnd 13: (2 sc, dec) x9 (27)

Stuff the cream lightly. You don't want the cream to be too heavy or overstuffed.

Rnd 14: (sc, dec) x9 (18)

Rnd 15: dec x9 (9)

Fasten off leaving a long tail to close the work. Using your yarn needle, weave the yarn tail through the remaining FLO sts of round 15 and pull tight to close. Weave your yarn tail through to the other side where the FLO stitches of round 8 are, as this will position your yarn tail ready for sewing.

#### **PUMPKIN**

Use dark orange

Rnd 1: start with a mr of 6 sc (6)

Rnd 2: inc in all st (12)

**Rnd 3:** (sc, inc in the next st) x6 (18)

Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (24) Rnd 5: (3 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (30)

Rnd 6-9: sc in all st (30) 4 rounds

Rnd 10: (3 sc, dec) x6 (24)

Rnd 11: (2 sc, dec) x6 (18)

Stuff your pumpkin, and continue as you go.

**Rnd 12:** (sc, dec) x6 (12)

Rnd 13: dec x6 (6)

Fasten off leaving a long tail. Using this tail, and your needle, weave through the FLO of the remaining stitches, and pull tight to close. Now, insert your needle through the middle of your pumpkin, through one side and out of the other, then sew back through the bottom up to the top again, pulling tight on your yarn, going back and forth several times. This will cause both the middle, top and bottom of the pumpkin to cave in. FIGURES 6-8

Once you are satisfied, create the segments of your pumpkin by bringing the yarn to the outside of the work, into the middle, through one side of the pumpkin to the other. Repeat this process of pulling your yarn tightly to create the lines. I had 6 segments in total. Once this has been done, leave a long yarn tail as we will use it to sew the pumpkin to the whipped cream. **FIGURES 9-10** 

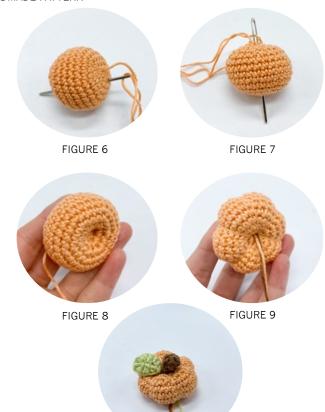


FIGURE 10

#### **PUMPKIN LEAF**

Use green

Rnd 1: start with a ch of 6. SIst in the second ch from the hook, continue, sc, hdc, dc, work 4x dc into the last ch, spinning your work round as you work these stitches so that you can continue on the other side of the chain, dc, hdc, sc, slip st back to the start. (12)

Fasten off leaving a small tail for sewing.

#### **PUMPKIN STALK**

Use dark brown

Rnd 1: start with a mr of 6 hdc (6)

**Rnd 2-4:** sc in all st (6) 3 *rounds* 

Fasten off leaving a small tail for sewing. The stalk is not stuffed.

#### **ASSEMBLY OF THE PUMPKIN:**

- Sew the stalk to the middle of the pumpkin, weave in your yarn tail once complete.
- Sew the leaf to the side of the stalk, weave in your yarn tail once complete. **FIGURE 10**



#### COFFEE CUP & SLEEVE BORDERS

Attach your light orange yarn to any FLO of rnd 8 with the top of the coffee cup towards you. Once attached, slip st across the FLO to neaten the border, and fasten off once you are back to the start. (FIGURES 11 & 12) Attach your soft brown yarn to any FLO st of round 18, with the top of the coffee cup facing towards you. Once attached, slip st across the FLO to neaten the border, and fasten off once you are back to the start. Repeat this process for round 24 as well. (FIGURE 13)

#### WHIPPED CREAM TO THE COFFEE

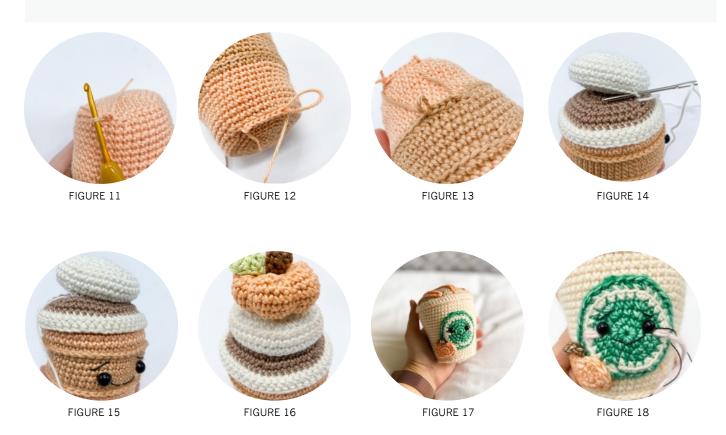
With your needle, and white yarn, use the FLO stitches of the whipped cream to sew to the top of the coffee part, on rnd 3. You may want to use pins to help position the cream. (FIGURES 14 & 15)

#### PUMPKIN TO THE WHIPPED CREAM

Place the pumpkin onto the top of the whipped cream and sew the middle of the pumpkin to the cream. (FIGURE 16)

#### **OPTIONAL**

Add some blush to the whipped cream to give it a slightly orange look- as if you had sprinkled some powder onto it. (FIGURE 16) You could also add some cheeks to the sides of the eyes with pink yarn for extra cuteness!



### **CINNAMON BONUS DESIGN**

#### NOTE:

- I used 6mm safety eyes for this version of cinnamon.
- You will need the colours: green, white, off white, orange, pink, dark brown & light brown.
- The yarn in the photos is scheepjes stonewashed, with a 3.00mm hook.

#### CIRCULAR PATCH

Begin with green

Rnd 1: start with 6 sc into a mr (6)

Rnd 2: inc in all st (12)

Rnd 3: (sc, inc in the next st) x6 (18)

Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (24) change to white on the last st of the round

Rnd 5: working in the BLO, (3 sc, inc in the next st) x6 (30) change to green on the last st of the round Rnd 6: sc in all st (30)

Fasten off leaving a small tail for sewing. Place you safety eyes between rounds 3-4. Do not place the backings to the eyes yet, as you will secure them once you've made your cup. Sew your facial details to the patch using black embroidery thread - eye brows above the eyes, a mouth between the eyes, and, using pink yarn, a few lines next to each eye for 'cheeks'.

(FIGURES 17 & 18)



Begin with off-white

Make your cup as per the instructions for rounds 1-31 on page 3.

- Do not perform any colour changes.
- For rounds 18 & 24, sc in both loops as you will not be making the coffee band.

Once you've completed the cup, pin into place your green patch between rounds 11-12 & 23-24. Push the eyes through the cup so you can secure the backings of the eyes. Once you're happy with the placement, sew the patch on (FIGURE 18). Weave in your yarn tail once complete. Neaten the base of the cup on round 8 as per the coffee cup border assembly instructions on page 5. (FIGURES 11 & 12)

#### COFFEE CENTRE

Use light brown

Make the coffee centre as per rounds 1-7 on page 3.



FIGURE 19



FIGURE 20



FIGURE 21

#### PUMPKIN APPLIQUÉ

Use light orange

Rnd 1: start with 6 sc into a magic ring (6)

**Rnd 2:** inc in all st (12)

Rnd 3: (hdc, hdc inc in the next st) x2, slst in the next st, (hdc inc, hdc in the next st) x2, (slst in the next st) x3 (16)

Fasten off leaving a small tail for sewing.

#### STALK FOR THE PUMPKIN APPLIQUÉ

Use dark brown

Row 1: Make a ch of 4, sc in the second ch from the hook, slst in the next 2 ch. (3)

Fasten off leaving a small tail for sewing.

<u>Assembly:</u> Sew the pumpkin to the cup- slightly over the green patch. Sew the stalk at the top of the pumpkin in the middle. *Weave in your yarn ends once complete.* (**FIGURE 19**)

#### COFFEE DRIZZLE

Use light orange

Row 1: Make a ch of 100.

Fasten off leaving a tail for sewing.

Position the chain across the top of the coffee in a curvy 'zig zag' format, and sew on. You don't have to sew every chain to the top, just make sure each curve of the zig zag is secured. Weave in your yarn tail once complete. (FIGURES 20 & 21)

You've completed..

# Cirramon the pumpkin spice latte!

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