

Easy Crochet Ribbed Fall Leaf – Written Pattern

This beginner-friendly crochet leaf has a raised ribbed texture created by working into the back loops. The shaping gradually forms the sides of the leaf, and slip stitches are added through the center at the end.

Finished size: approximately **6 cm (2.4 in) wide × 11 cm (4.3 in) long, including the stem.**

US Crochet Abbreviations

- **ch** – chain
- **sc** – single crochet
- **sl st** – slip stitch
- **ch-2 sp** – chain-2 space

Written Pattern

Foundation

Make a slip knot.

Ch 15.

Starting in the **second chain from the hook**, make **13 sc**.

You should have **13 sc**.

In the last chain, work:

1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc

The starting chain sets the length of the leaf.

Begin Shaping the Leaf

After the corner, make **10 sc**.

Leave the last **2 stitches unworked**.

Ch 1 and turn.

Work in the back loops.

Make **11 sc**.

In the ch-2 space, work:

1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc

Continue with single crochet until you have 11 sc after the corner. Leave the last **2 stitches unworked**.

Ch 1 and turn.

Start in the **first back loop** and work to the ch-2 space.

Make **12 sc**.

In the ch-2 space, work:

1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc

Continue the Stepped Shaping

Continue working in the back loops.

Leave the last **2 stitches unworked**.

On the next section, make **10 sc**.

Leave the last **2 stitches unworked**.

Ch 1 and turn.

Work back toward the ch-2 space.

Make **11 sc**.

Pay close attention to the last stitch before the corner.

In the ch-2 space, work:

1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc

Start in the **corner back loop**.

Continue across until only **2 stitches remain**.

You should have **11 sc**.

Leave the last **2 stitches unworked**.

Ch 1 and turn.

Work in the back loops to the ch-2 space.

Place the last stitch **just before the corner chain**.

In the ch-2 space, work:

1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc

Continue across the row.

Leave the last **2 stitches unworked**.

Ch 1 and turn.

Repeat the same sequence to add more stepped shaping.

The number of steps determines the width of the leaf.

For this leaf, continue until you have **4 steps**.

Make the Stem

Once the four steps are complete, work in the back loops to the ch-2 space.

You can adjust the stem length.

For this pattern:

Ch 9.

Starting in the **second chain from the hook**, slip stitch back down the chain.

You should have **8 slip stitches**.

Make **1 sc in the same space**.

Then continue working across.

At the end, you should have **4 steps on both sides**.

Ch 1 and cut the yarn.

Add the Center Slip Stitches

With the back of the leaf facing you, join the yarn at the first corner. The center slip stitches will face the front.

Join the yarn at the **first corner**.

Work slip stitches along the center.

Make a slip stitch in each **ch-2 space**.

Continue through every ch-2 space.

Then slip stitch across the **starting chains**.

Make the final slip stitch.

Ch 1 and cut the yarn.

Finishing

Weave in the yarn ends on the **back**.

Your crochet leaf is finished.

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