



Woman's Crochet Sandals A-809

Illustrated below and on back cover

Directions are given for Women's Size. Changes for Men's Size are in parentheses.

COATS & CLARK'S O.N.T.® RUG YARN (70 yard skeins): 2 skeins of No. 126 Spanish Red and 1 skein of No. 49 Chartreuse Green.

Crochet Hook, Size H.

2 pairs of women's or men's large size foam rubber insoles.

GAUGE: 10 sc = 3 inches;
2 rnds = ¾ inch.

Be sure to check your gauge before starting sandals. Use any size hook which will obtain the stitch gauge above.

SOLE (Make 2) Starting at center with Red, make a chain 2¼ (2¾) inches shorter than length of foot when measuring along sole. **1st rnd:** Make 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch to center of starting chain, h dc in next 3 ch,

dc in each ch to within last 2 ch, h dc in next ch, 5 sc in last ch for toe end; working along opposite side of starting chain, make h dc in next ch, dc in each ch opposite every dc, h dc in each ch opposite every h dc, sc in each remaining ch, ending with sc in same ch where first 2 sc were made. Join with sl st to first sc. **2nd rnd:** Ch 1, 2 sc in first 2 sc, sc in each st to within the 5 sc at toe end, 2 sc in next sc—1 sc increased; (sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) twice; sc in each remaining st, ending with 2 sc in last sc. Join as before. **3rd rnd:** Ch 1, increasing 3 sc evenly spaced around heel and around toe, sc in each sc around. Join. Repeat 3rd rnd 1 (2) times more. **Following rnd:** Sl st in each sc around. Join. Break off and fasten.

UPPER With Green, make a chain twice the length of the completed length of sole, mark center of the chain for center back, then work 3 more ch sts. **1st rnd:**

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Dc in 4th ch from hook, 2 dc in next ch, dc in next 2 ch, h dc in next 5 ch, sc in each ch to within 8 ch before marker, ch 4 for tab, h dc in 3rd ch from hook, sc in next ch of ch-4; continuing to work along starting chain, sc in next 16 ch, ch 4 for tab, h dc in 3rd ch from hook, sc in next ch of ch-4, sc in each ch to within last 9 ch, h dc in next 5 ch, dc in next 2 ch, 2 dc in next ch, in last ch make dc, ch 3, sl st, ch 3 and dc; working along opposite side of starting chain, dc in first 3 ch, h dc in next 5 ch, sc in each ch opposite every sc, h dc in next 5 ch, dc in next 3 ch, in last ch make dc, ch 3 and sl st. **2nd rnd:** Ch 1, sc in sl st, sc in next 2 ch, 3 sc in next ch, * sc in each st to within the sc preceding next tab, draw up a loop in next sc and in first ch of tab, yarn over and draw through all loops on hook—1 sc decreased; (sc in next st, 3 sc in next st) twice; sc in next st, dec 1 sc over next 2 sts. Repeat from * once more; sc in each st to within next ch-3, 3 sc in next ch, sc in next 2 ch, sc in next sl st, sc in next 3 ch, ch 3, dc in next 7 sts, h dc in next 4 sts, sc in next 2 sts, dec 1 sc over next 2 sts, sc in each

st to within 5 sts preceding the center back marker, dec 1 sc over next 2 sts, sc in next 6 sts, dec 1 sc over next 2 sts, sc in each sc to within last 6 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in next 2 sc, h dc in next 4 sts, dc in next 7 sts, ch 3, sc in next 3 ch. Join to first sc. Break off and fasten.

Cut 2 insoles ¼ inch smaller than crocheted soles. With wrong side of soles facing place 2 insoles between and sew soles together through back loops of last sc rnd. Cross ends of upper for front, adjusting proper position on foot; pin ends and tabs in place and sew to sole.

Make second sandal in same way, crossing the ends of upper in opposite direction.

ABBREVIATIONS

k	knit	st(s)	stitch(es)	ch	chain
p	purl	rnd	round	sc	single crochet
inc	increase	psso	pass slipped	h dc	half double
dec	decrease		stitch over knit stitch		crochet
tog	together	incl	inclusive	dc	double crochet
beg	beginning	O	yarn over	sl st	slip stitch
		sl	slip	sp	space

* Repeat whatever follows the * as many times as specified.

() Do what is in parentheses the number of times indicated.