

## MATERIAL LIST

muslin or osnaburg  
orange + black acrylic paint  
black, orange + red embroidery floss  
polyester fiberfill stuffing  
Black sweater or other black fabric  
Black thread  
Sticks  
awl  
glue  
jute

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## 378 PUNKIN HILDA

Approx: 9 inches tall from hat tip to bottom

### 378 PUNKIN HILDA DIRECTIONS

Lay out pattern pieces on fabric. Traced line is the sewing line.

Sew pieces together leaving the top open on the doll as shown on pattern piece and the bottom open on the hat.

Clip around the pieces – don't clip the stitching. Turn and stuff the doll firmly. Sew the opening shut.

Take a black sweater or piece of black fabric and cut approx.. 4 x 7 piece. I like sweater material becuz you can stretch it!

Paint the hat black and the doll orange. Once dry, sand both pieces.

Stitch the black floss eyes and cut a piece of jute for the mouth and sew on with black and red embroidery floss. (see picture).

Stain the hat, doll and dress pieces. STAIN MIXTURE. Use an old container or plastic bowl. 1 cup boiling water. Stir in about 4 tsp. instant coffee, 1 T. cinnamon and 1 T. vanilla. Mix well. Mixture should last a week. The cinnamon becomes a "goop" in the bottom. It will make your dolls wonderfully prim! Use an old paint brush to paint over whole doll. Can drop the clothes in and just wring out by (gloved) hand. I dry my primms in the oven about 200 degrees, turning every 15 minutes until dry.

Stretch the dress around the doll and I used orange embroidery floss to sew a little at the top together.

Glue the hat to her head and I sew around the hat using black thread.

Use your awl to make a hole for the nose and 2 arms. Insert your sticks (approx.. 1 ½ inches long) - pull them back out and add a little glue and re-insert them.

Take a little stick (approx. 4 inches) for the broom and some raffia. Cut a bunch approx. 3 inches long, glue the bottom of the stick and put the strands around the branch and you can use raffia to tie them all together. I just sewed the stick to her body.

And there you have a little punkin witch for the fall season. You could also add a hanger for a large ornament.

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