

Christmas Baubles

Snowlady Bauble



Abbreviations

Slst – slip stitch

Ch – chain

Dc – double crochet

Htr – half treble crochet

Dc popcorn – make 5 dc in the same stitch, pull up a loop in the last stitch and remove your hook. Insert the hook into the first dc of the popcorn and put the loop you pulled up from the last dc back on the hook and pull it through the stitch

Tr popcorn – make 5 tr in the same stitch, pull up a loop in the last stitch and remove your hook. Insert the hook into the first tr of the popcorn and put the loop you pulled up from the last tr back on the hook and pull it through the stitch

Inc – increase – two double crochets in one stitch

Inv dec – invisible decrease – insert the hook into the front loop of the first stitch then into the front loop of the second stitch. Yarn over, pull through two loops, yarn over, pull through two loops

BLO – back loop only

Third loop – this is the loop located on the back of a htr



Materials

Knitcraft Everyday DK

3mm hook

4mm hook

Stitch marker

Scissors

Toy Stuffing

Needle

Pattern notes

To make sure there are no holes in the fabric that will show the stuffing adjust your hook size if needed

Colourways

| Traditional | Vintage | Contemporary |
|-------------|---------|--------------|
| White | White | White |
| Red | Peach | Light Blue |
| Grey | Grey | Black |

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Method

Using your 3mm hook and White

Round 1: 6dc in the ring (6)

Round 2: inc in each stitch around (12)

Round 3: dc, inc. Repeat around (18)

Round 4: dc x2, inc. Repeat around (24)

Round 5: dc x3, inc. Repeat around (30)

Round 6: dc x4, inc. Repeat around (36)

Round 7: dc x5, inc. Repeat around (42)

Round 8: dc x6, inc. Repeat around (48)

Round 9: dc x7, inc. Repeat around (54)

Round 10-12: dc in each stitch around (54)

Round 13: dc in the next 26 sts, change to Red, Peach or Light Blue work tr popcorn in the 27th st, change back to White and work 1dc in the next 27 sts (53,1 tr popcorn)

Round 14-15: dc in each stitch around (54)

Round 16: dc in the next 20 sts change to Grey, Grey or Black work a dc popcorn, change back to White, work 1dc in the next 11sts, change to Grey, Grey or Black, work dc popcorn, change back to White work 1dc in the remaining 21 sts (52, 2 dc popcorns)

Round 17: dc x7, inv dec. Repeat around (48)

Round 18: dc x6, inv dec. Repeat around (42)

Round 19: dc x5, inv dec. Repeat around (36)

Round 20: dc x4, inv dec. Repeat around (30)

Begin stuffing your bauble, adding a little more stuffing after each round

Round 21: dc x3, inv dec. Repeat around (24)

Round 22: dc x2, inv dec. Repeat around (18)

Round 23: dc, inv dec. Repeat around (12)

Round 24: inv dec around (6)

Fasten off yarn, finish stuffing before sewing the end closed

Bow

Using your 4mm hook and Red, Peach or Light Blue

Chain 26, make sure the chain doesn't twist and join with a slst in first chain

Round 1: ch1 (doesn't count as a stitch) htr in the first 10 chs, slst in the next 3 chs, htr in the next 10 chs, slst in the last 3 chs. Join with a slst in the first htr

Round 2: ch1 (doesn't count as a st) htr in the THIRD LOOP of the next 10 htr, slst in the BLO of the next 3 sts, htr in the THIRD LOOP of the next 10 htr, slst in the BLO of the next 3 sts. Join with a slst in the first htr

Rounds 3-6: Repeat round 2

Fasten off and weave in ends

Sew the bow at an angle on top of of the bauble using the photo as a guide

Tie

Using your 3mm hook and Red, Peach or Light Blue

Chain 13, htr in the second chain from hook and each stitch across.

Fasten off and sew around the bow (over the narrow part where you created slip stitches)

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Hanging loop

Using White

Join your yarn to the top of your bauble, chain 30 then fasten to make a loop