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Letter from the Editors

Dear Crocheter,

Spring is here and we couldn't be more excited! Although we had a mild winter, it's always prettier and more fun during the warmer months. There are colorful trees and flowers everywhere you look. Not to mention the beautiful butterflies floating around.

Because we're so excited about spring being here, we've put together this great collection of crochet patterns for you. Flowers and butterflies are all the rage right now, so go ahead, decorate your homes and have fun doing it.

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The Editors of All Free Crochet

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Crochet Flower Patterns

Double Flowers

By: AnneMarie for AnneMarie's Crochet Blog

Even though the national symbol for Valentine's Day is the heart, you can also display some colorful flowers like these Double Flowers. These flowers are easy to make and you can have fun hanging them around your home.



Double Flowers

This image courtesy of annemarieshaakblog.blogspot.com



Yarn Weight: (4) Medium
Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran
(16-20 stitches to 4 inches)

Instructions:

1. Chain 6, attach the first chain to the last with a slip stitch.
2. Chain 3, 2 TR (treble crochet), chain 3, 1SLST in the ring. Repeat until you have 5 leaves.
3. Chain 3, 1SL ST in between the leaves. Repeat until you have 5 bows.
4. Crochet in the bow: 1SL ST, chain 3, 3TR, chain 3, attach to the bow with a SL ST. Repeat in every bow (picture 6). Now push the red leaves up through the hole in the middle so they will be on top of the green leaves and your flower is finished.

Cute As A Button Felted Flower

By: Michael Sellick, The Crochet Crowd

If you're looking for an embellishment for a garment or bag, you can try your hand at this Cute as a Button Felted Flower. Felting is a fun process when working with crocheted flowers. Add this flower to a jean jacket and you get a whole new look.



Cute As A Button Felted Flower

This image courtesy of thecrochetcrowd.com



Materials:

- **Crochet Hook:** K/10.5 or 6.5 mm hook
- **Yarn Weight:** (4) Medium Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran (16-20 stitches to 4 inches)
- **Felting Yarn** you must use 100% Wool to achieve the felting process.

Abbreviations:

BEG = Beginning, CH = Chain, SL ST = Slip Stitch, SC = Single Crochet, DC = Double Crochet, TR = Triple Crochet,

Instructions:

1. Using black, create slip knot and chain 4. SL ST to the BEG CH to form ring.
2. CH 3 and DC 11 Times around the ring. SL ST to the top of the BEG CH.
3. *CH 2 and DC 4 Times into the next Stitch. CH 2 and SC into the next stitch. Repeat from *. On the last petal, SL ST to the base of the BEG CH.
4. Fasten off color and weave in ends.
5. Fasten on new color around the CH 2 *Gap and SC then SC into each of the top of the 4 DC stitches, 1 SC into the CH 2 gap. SC around the two posts in step 2. Repeat from * all the way around. At the end SL ST to the fastening on at the beginning to ensure color has gone all the way around.
6. Fasten off and weave in ends.

Felting Instructions:

- Throw flowers into washer with an old pair of jeans. Add 1 Table Spoon of Detergent or Baking Soda. Wash at maximum hot and Cold Rinse.
- Pull flowers out and shape them. Set in an area to dry. I'm not telling you to do this but what I do to dry them faster is put them on top of a furnace register on the floor so the heat of the house will blow through the flower and dry it quicker.
- Expect flower to shrink more when drying.

Pretty Posey Throw

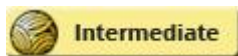
By: Nanette M. Seale for Red Heart Yarns

Spring is right around the corner. It's the perfect time to work up free colorful crochet patterns. Create a field of flowers with the Pretty Posey Throw.



Pretty Posey Throw

This image courtesy of redheart.com



Crochet Hook: H/8 or 5 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (4) Medium Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran (16-20 stitches to 4 inches)

MATERIALS:

- **Red Heart® “Super Saver®”** (Art. E300) Solid 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); Multi, Fleck and Print 5 oz (141 g), 244 yd (223 m) skeins:
 - 1 skein 656 Real Teal **A**
 - 2 skeins 512 Turqua **B**
 - 2 skeins 316 Soft White **C**
 - 1 skein each 579 Pale Plum **D**
 - 356 Amethyst **E**
 - 373 Petal Pink **F**
 - 718 Shocking Pink **G**
 - 668 Honeydew **H**
 - 624 Tea Leaf **I**
 - 885 Delft Blue **J**
 - 381 Light Blue **K**
 - 322 Pale Yellow **L**
- **Crochet Hook:** 5mm [US H-8]
- Yarn needle
- Stitch marker

GAUGE: Rounds 1–4 (flower center) = 2½”; 7 petal rows = 3”. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

ABBREVIATIONS: **A, B, C, D, etc.** = Color **A, B, C, D, etc.**; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; **()** = work directions in parentheses into same st.; ***** = repeat whatever follows the ***** as indicated.

Special Stitch

hdc2tog = [Yarn over, insert hook in next stitch, yarn over and pull up loop] twice, yarn over and draw through all 5 loops on hook

Special Technique

Adjustable ring: Holding the yarn a few inches from the end, wrap around your finger. Do not remove wrap from finger, insert hook into the wrap and draw up a loop of working yarn. Chain one to secure the loop, and remove ring from finger. Work stitches of first round in the ring. Pull gently, but firmly, on tail to tighten ring.

NOTES

1. Throw is made from 20 flower motifs, 2 each in color combinations #1, #2, #3 and #4, and 3 each in combinations #5, #6, #7, and #8.
2. Arrange motifs as shown in Assembly Diagram single crochet them together.

Color Combinations

Work flower center with **L** for all flower motifs.

Color Combination #1 (make 2):

Work petals with **G**, work center trim with **F**.

Color Combination #2 (make 2):

Work petals with **J**, work center trim with **K**.

Color Combination #3 (make 2):

Work petals with **D**, work center trim with **E**.

Color Combination #4 (make 2):

Work petals with **H**, work center trim with **I**.

Color Combination #5 (make 3):

Work petals with **I**, work center trim with **H**.

Color Combination #6 (make 3):

Work petals with **E**, work center trim with **D**.

Color Combination #7 (make 3):

Work petals with **K**, work center trim with **J**.

Color Combination #8 (make 3):

Work petals with **F**, work center trim with **G**.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Flower Motif (make 20 as indicated in color combinations)

Center

With **L**, make an adjustable ring.

Round 1 (Right Side): Work 6 sc in ring; do not join, work in continuous rounds—6 sc. Place marker for beginning of round, move marker up as work progresses.

Round 2: 2 sc in each sc around—12 sc.

Round 3: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times— 18 sc.

Round 4: [Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times—24 sc—24 sc. Fasten off.

First Petal

Row 1 (Right Side): With Right Side facing and working in back loops only, join petal color with slip st in first sc of last round of flower center, ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in same sc as join, 2 hdc in each of next 3 sc, turn—8 hdc.

Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in first hdc, hdc in each hdc across, 2 hdc in top of turning ch, turn—10 hdc.

Note: In remaining rows of petal, begin each row by working into the first hdc, and do not work into the turning ch at the end of the row. This reduces the gap that can appear at the beginning of a row when the ch-2 turning ch is counted as a stitch.

Rows 3 and 4: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc,

hdc in each hdc across, turn.

Rows 5 and 6: Ch 2, hdc2tog, hdc in each hdc across to last 2 hdc, hdc2tog, turn—6 hdc.

Row 7: Repeat Row 5, but do not turn at the end of the row—4 hdc.

Side Edging: Working across side of petal, [ch 2, sc between next 2 rows] 6 times, ch 2, sc in same back loop as last hdc of Row 1. Do not fasten off.

Second–Sixth Petal

Row 1 (Right Side): Working in back loops of flower center, slip st in next sc, ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in same sc, 2 hdc in each of next 3 sc, turn—8 hdc.

Rows 2–7: Work same as Rows 2–7 of first petal.

Side Edging: Work same as side edging of first petal. Fasten off at the end of sixth petal.

Center Trim

With Right Side facing, and working in front loops of last round of flower center, join center trim color with sc in first sc, ch 3, *sc in next sc, ch 3; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

Edging

Round 1 (Right Side): With Right Side facing, join **C** with sc in first hdc2tog of Row 7 of any petal, 3 sc in next hdc, sc in next hdc, [ch 7, dc in side of Row 3 of same petal, dc in side of Row 3 of next petal, ch 7, sc in first hdc2tog of Row 7 of same petal, 3 sc in next hdc, sc in next hdc] 5 times, ch 7, dc in side of Row 3 of same petal, dc in side of Row 3 of next petal, ch 7; join with slip st in first sc—30 sc, 12 dc, and 12 ch-7 spaces.

Round 2: Ch 2, hdc in next sc, *(hdc, ch 2, hdc) in next sc, hdc in next 2 sc; 7 hdc in next ch-7 space, hdc2tog, 7 hdc in next ch-7 space **, hdc in next 2 sc; repeat from * around ending last repeat at **; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-2—126 hdc and 6 ch-2 spaces (at tips of petals). Fasten off.

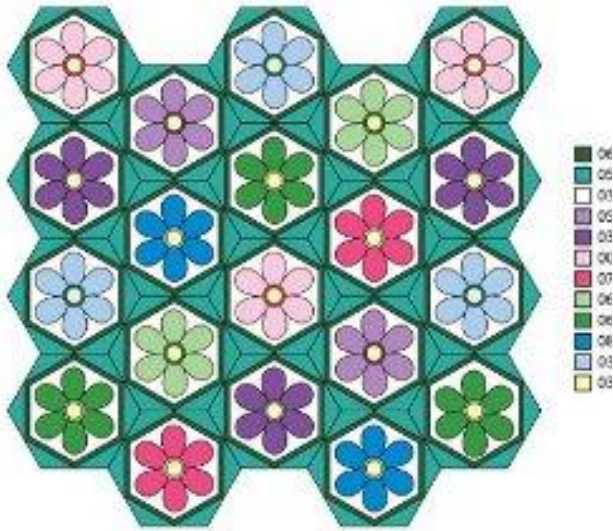
Round 3: With Right Side facing, join **A** with slip st in same st as join, ch 2, hdc in next 2 hdc, (hdc, ch 2, hdc) in next ch-2 space, hdc in next 10 hdc, hdc2tog, *hdc in next 9 hdc, (hdc, ch 2, hdc) in next ch-2 space, hdc in next 10 hdc, hdc2tog; repeat from * around to last 6 hdc, hdc in last 6 hdc; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off.

Round 4: With Right Side facing, join **B** with slip st in same st as join, ch 2, hdc in next 3 hdc, (hdc, ch 2, hdc) in next ch-2 space, hdc in next 11 hdc, hdc2tog, *hdc in next 9 hdc, (hdc, ch

2, hdc) in next ch-space, hdc in next 11 hdc, hdc2tog; repeat from * around to last 5 hdc, hdc in last 5 hdc; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Arrange flower motifs as shown in Assembly Diagram. Sc edges of flower motifs together as follows: Working through both thicknesses, join **B** with sc in corner ch-2 space, working in back loops of last row, sc across to next ch-2 space, sc in ch-2 space. Fasten off. Note: Designer recommends joining motifs together into strips, 4 motifs long, then joining the strips together, matching corner stitches as you go.



each hdc around; join with slip st in beginning ch. Fasten off.

Weave in ends. Block lightly, if desired.

Border

Round 1 (Right Side): With Right Side facing, join **C** with slip st in any corner ch-2 space, ch 2 (counts as hdc), 2 hdc in same corner ch-2 space, hdc in each st around, working 3 hdc in each corner ch-2 space, and hdc2tog over 2 ch-2 spaces where two motifs are joined; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off.

Round 2: With Right Side facing, join **A** with slip st in same st as join, ch 2 (counts as hdc), 3 hdc in next hdc (corner), hdc in each hdc around, working 3 hdc in each corner st; join with slip st in top of beginning ch. Fasten off.

Round 3: With Right Side facing, join **B** with slip st in same st as join, ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in next hdc, 3 hdc in next hdc, hdc in each hdc around, working 3 hdc in each corner st; join with slip st in top of beginning ch.

Round 4: Ch 1, work reverse sc in

Flower Pencil Toppers

By: Annemarie for Annemarie's Crochet Blog

Pop one of these crochet flower pencil toppers onto your pencil or pen and you'll perk right up. Spring crochet patterns are the best for brightening up the day. Share these cute flowers with friends!



Flower Pencil Toppers

This image courtesy of annemarieshaakblog.blogspot.com



Instructions:

1. Chain 6.
2. 1SC in every chain.
3. 6SC.
4. 6SC.
5. 2SC in every SC.
6. Chain 3, 1DC in the next SC, 1DC in the next SC, chain 3, 1 slip stitch in the next SC.
7. Repeat the previous row three more times until you have four leaves.

Tea Light Flower

By: Noeleen Newman

Using tea lights and a glass candle holder you can make these adorable Tea Light Flowers. This is a free crochet pattern that you must try in all different colors for a beautiful assortment. Keep in mind the abbreviations are in European terms.



Tea Light Flower



Crochet Hook: E/4 or 3.5 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (4) Medium
Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran
(16-20 stitches to 4 inches)

Pattern:

Chain 2 then do the 6 sc into 2nd chain from hook

Round 1: Work 6 sc in first ch.

Round 2: 2 sc in each sc around - 12sc

Round 3: *2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc, rep from * around- 18sc

Round 4: *2sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc, rep from * around -24 sc

Round 5: *2sc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc, rep from * around -30sc

Round 6: *sc in back loop only in each sc around -30sc

Round 7: *sc2tog in next sc, sc in next sc, rep from * around-20 sc

Rounds 8-10: sc in each sc. - 20 sc

Petals:

Round 1: Working in front loop only of Round 6, sc in any sc, *ch2 skip st, sc in next sc, rep from * around, join last st with sl st.

Round 2: In 1st 2ch loop *(sc, 2ch, 1tr, 3dtr, 1tr, 2ch,sc) sc in next 2 ch loop rep from * around. - 8 petals

Round 3 (picot edge): sc in next 3 sts, *all in next st (point of petal)-(sc, 2ch, sc), sc in next 7 sts rep from * around. Sew in ends.

Butterfly Crochet Patterns

Crochet Butterfly Throw

By: Mary Jane Protus for Red Heart Yarn

Butterflies dance across this lovely pink throw! Crochet Butterfly Throw is a beautiful project for the intermediate crocheter. This would look adorable in a baby's room.



Crochet Butterfly Throw
This image courtesy of redheart.com



Crochet Hook: I/9 or 5.5 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (4) Medium
Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran
(16-20 stitches to 4 inches)

Afghan measures 41" x 57".

Materials:

- **RED HEART® "Super Saver®":** 5 Skeins 311 White **CA**, 1 skein 724 Baby Pink **CB**, 2 skeins 774 Lt Raspberry **CC**.
- Crochet Hook: 5.5 mm [US I-9].
- Yarn needle.

GAUGE: Square measures 9" high x 8 1/2" wide. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

SQUARE 1 (Make 17): With **CC**, ch 4; join with sl st to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 5 (counts as dc and ch-2); [(dc, ch 1, dc) all in ring – v-st made; ch 2] 3 times, dc in ring, ch 1; join with a sl st in 3rd ch of ch-5; slip st in next space changing to **CA**. Fasten off **CC**.

NOTE: DO NOT work into the ch-1 sps of v-sts on Rnds 2-7.

Rnd 2: With **CA**, ch 5, v-st in same space, ch 1; [(v-st, ch 2, v-st) all in next ch-2 space – corner made; ch 1] 3 times, dc in first space, ch 1; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-5; slip st in next space.

Rnd 3: Ch 5, v-st in same space, ch 1, v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1, [work corner, ch 1, v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] 3 times, dc in first space, ch 1; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-5; slip st in next space.

Rnd 4: Ch 5, v-st in same space, ch 1, [v-st in next space, ch 1] twice, * work corner, ch 1, [v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] twice; repeat from * twice more, v-st in space, ch 1, dc in first space, ch 1; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-5; slip st in next space.

Rnd 5: Ch 5, v-st in same sp, ch 1, [v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] 3 times, * work corner, ch 1, [v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] 3 times; repeat from * around; dc in first space, ch 1; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-5; slip st in next space.

Rnd 6: Ch 5, v-st in same space, ch 1, [v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] 4 times, * work corner, ch 1, [v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] 5 times; repeat from * around; dc in first space; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-5, slip st in next space. Change to **CC**.

Rnd 7: With **CC**, ch 5, v-st in same space, ch 1, [v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] 5 times, * work corner, ch 1, [v-st in ch-1 space, ch 1] 5 times; repeat from * around; dc in first space, ch 1; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-5; slip st in next space. Change to **CA**.

Rnd 8: With **CA**, ch 1, * (sc, ch 2, sc) all in same ch-2 space of corner, ch 1, [skip next sc, sc in ch-1 space, ch 1] 13 times; repeat from * around; join with a slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

SQUARE 2 (Make 18): Work same as Square 1 EXCEPT work beginning ch and Rnd 1 with **CA**.

BUTTERFLY (Make18): With **CB**, ch 10.

Rnd 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook, * sc in next ch, (slip st, ch 5, slip st) all in next ch, sc in next 3 ch, (slip st, ch 9, slip st) all in next ch, sc in next 2 ch **, ch 1, TURN to work on other side of ch; sc in first 2 ch, (slip st, ch 9, sl st) all in next ch, sc in next 3 ch, (sl st, ch 5, sl st) all in next ch, sc in last 2 ch, ch 1; join with a slip st in first sc.

Rnd 2: (2 Dc, ch 1, [tr, ch 1] 5 times, 2 dc) all in ch-5 loop, skip 1 sc, sc in next sc, (3 dc, ch 1, [tr, ch 1] 6 times, 3 dc) all in ch-9 lp, skip 1 sc, sc in next sc, sc in ch-1 sp; sc in next sc, skip 1 sc, (3 dc, ch 1, [tr, ch 1] 6 times, 3 dc) all in ch-9 lp, skip 1 sc, sc in next sc, (2 dc, ch 1, [tr, ch 1] 5 times, 2 dc) all in ch-5 lp, skip 1 sc; join with a sl st in next sc. Change to **CC**.

Rnd 3: With **CC**, ch 1, sc in each st and ch-1 space around; join with a slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

Butterfly Body (Make 18): With **CC**, ch 6, slip st in 6th ch from hook (head of butterfly), ch 14. Fasten off. Evenly tack down center of butterfly to make body and head of each butterfly.

FINISHING: Sew a butterfly to each Square 2. Sew squares together as shown.

Border-Rnd 1: With right side facing, attach **CA** in ch-2 sp of any corner square; ch 1, * (sc, ch 2, sc) all in corner sp, ** ch 1, sc in ch-1 space; repeat from ** to next corner, ch 1; repeat from * around; join with a slip st in first sc, slip st into next ch-2 space.

Rnds 2 and 3: Ch 1, * (sc, ch 2, sc) all in ch-2 space, ** ch 1, sc in ch-1 sp; repeat from ** to next corner; ch 1; repeat from * around; join with a slip st in first sc. Change to **CC** at end of Rnd 3.

Rnd 4: With **CC**, repeat Rnd 2. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Flutter By Butterfly Dishcloth

By: Lily Sugar N Cream

Cotton yarn can be used to create some of the sweetest kitchen items. Work up this crochet dishcloth in bright shades or delicate colors. The Flutter By Butterfly Dishcloth would be a cute addition to any table as a trivet or simple kitchen decoration.



Flutter By Butterfly Dishcloth
This image courtesy of Lily Sugar N Cream



Crochet Hook: G/6 or 4 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (4) Medium
Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran
(16-20 stitches to 4 inches)

Materials:

- **Lily® Sugar'n Cream®** (Solids: 70.9 g/2.5 oz):
 - Contrast **A** (01130 Warm Brown) 1 ball
 - Contrast **B** (01699 Tangerine) or (00010 Yellow) or (01009 Soft Teal) 1 ball
- Size 4 mm (U.S. G or 6) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.
- 15 dc and 9 rows = 4" [10 cm] gauge

Instructions:

With **A**, ch 26. Body:

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. Ch 10. Sl st in first ch - first loop made. 1 sc in each of next 11 ch. Ch 10. Sl st in first ch - second loop made. 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. (1 sc. 1 hdc. 3 dc. 1 hdc. 1 sc) all in last ch. Working across opposite side of foundation ch, 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. Ch 10. Sl st in first ch - third loop made. 1 sc in each of next 11 ch. Ch 10. Sl st in first ch - fourth loop made. 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. 2 sc in last ch. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

First Wing: 1st row: (RS). Join **B** with sl st to first ch-10 loop. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (7 dc. Ch 5. 10 dc) all in ch-10 loop. Turn. 2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in first dc. 1 dc in each of next 9 dc. (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next ch-5 sp. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. (Yoh and draw up a loop in next dc. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook – dc2tog made. Fasten off.

Second Wing: 1st row: (RS). Join **B** with sl st to second ch-10 loop. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (9 dc. Ch 5. 8 dc) all in ch-10 loop. Turn. 2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). Dc2tog. 1 dc in each of next 5 dc. (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next ch-5 sp. 1 dc in each of next 9 dc. 2 dc in last dc. Fasten off.

Third Wing: Working into third ch-10 loop, work as given for First Wing.

Fourth Wing: Working into fourth ch-10 loop, work as given for Second Wing.

Join Wings: Right side: 1st row: Join **A** with sl st to first dc of First Wing.

**Ch 1. Draw up a loop in each of next 2 sts. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook – sc2tog made. 1 sc in each of next 8 dc. (2 sc. Ch 3. 2 sc) in next ch-3 sp. 1 sc in each of next 13 dc. 2 sc in next dc. Sl st in Body in 6th sc from Loop. Sl st in first dc of

Second Wing. Ch 1. 2 sc in same sp as sl st. 1 sc in each of next 13 dc. (2 sc. Ch 3. 2 sc) in next ch-3 sp. 1 sc in each of next 9 dc. Sc2tog. Sl st in Body in 6th sc from Loop. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 1. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 11 sc. (2 sc. Ch 3. 2 sc) in next ch-3 sp. 1 sc in each of next 12 sc. Leaving rem 5 sts unworked, sl st in 6th sc of next First Wing. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. 1 sc in each of next 11 sc. (2 sc. Ch 3. 2 sc) in next ch-3 sp. 1 sc in each of next 10 sc. Sc2tog. Sl st in Body in 6th sc from Loop. Fasten off. **

Left side: 1st row: Join **A** with sl st to first dc of Third Wing. Rep from ** to ** as given for Right side.

Flutterby Free Crochet Pattern

By: sarahsweethearts.blogspot.com

Make this adorable flutterby free crochet pattern for anything. Make it for a gift topper or an embellishment on a hat or bag. You can use any kind of yarn or hook size depending on what size butterfly you want.



Flutterby Free Crochet Pattern
This image courtesy of
sarahsweethearts.blogspot.com



Crochet Hook: G/6 or 4 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (4) Medium
Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran
(16-20 stitches to 4 inches)

Materials (Any of the following):

#10 thread & #7 hook
#3 thread & E hook
Sport weight yarn & F hook
WW yarn & G hook

*Pattern worked in #3 thread and
size E hook

Instructions:

Ch4, tr in 4th ch from hook, ch4, slst into the 1st ch, where the tr was made.

1st Side, Top Wing ~

Slst into the 1st ch4 loop, ch6, slst in 2nd ch from the hook, (picot) 2tr in the ch4 loop, 3dc in the same ch4 loop, ch2, slst in the same ch4 loop.

1st Side, Bottom Wing ~

Ch3, make 2dc, keeping last loop on hook, (you will have 3 loops total) yarn over and pull through all loops on hook, ch2, slst in the 2nd ch from the hook, (picot) ch3, slst in the same ch4 loop.

2nd Side Bottom Wing ~

*Working in the next ch4 loop for all sts this side.

Slst into the next ch4 loop, ch5, slst in the 2nd ch from the hook, (picot) 2dc, keeping the last loop on the hook (you will have 3 loops total) yarn over and pull through all loops on hook, ch2, slst in the same ch4 loop.

2nd Side, Top Wing ~

Ch2, 3dc, 2tr, ch2, slst in the second ch from the hook, (picot) ch4, slst in the same ch4 loop. Finish off and weave in ends. Gently grab top wings in one hand and bottom wings in the other hand and give a careful tug, to pull your sts into shape. Sew to clothes or bags as appliques or glue to cards for hand made greetings. Lots of great ideas, enjoy!

The Blue Butterfly

By: 6ichthusfish

This butterfly is such a fun crochet pattern to use for anything. Add it as an embellishment or make it as a gift topper. Decorate your child's room with a bunch of butterflies for a fantasy land.



The Blue Butterfly

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Crochet Hook: B/1 or 2.25 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (0) Lace (33-40 stitches to 4 inches). Includes crochet thread.

Materials:

- Cotton Thread (5 count) in 2 colors
- 2 mm hook

Butterfly Body

First color.

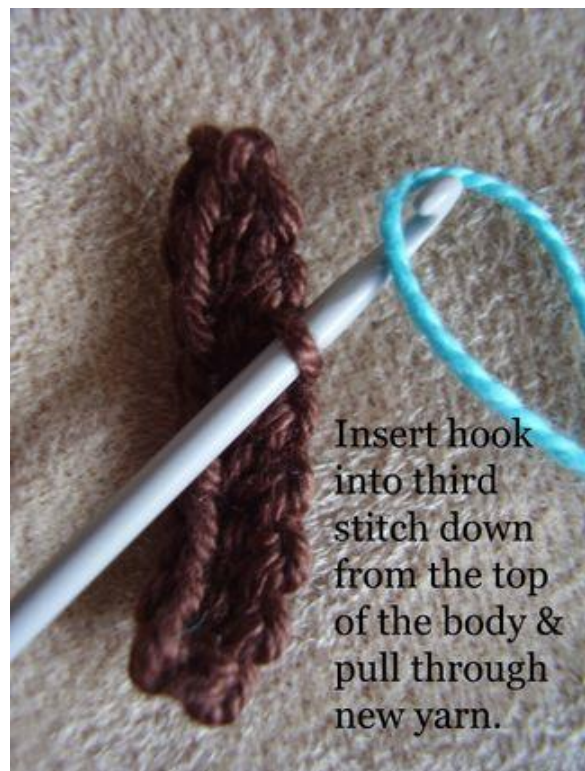
Row 1: Chain 8

Row 2: 1 ch, 1sc in second chain from the hook, 6hdc, 1sc, cast-off.

First Wing (TOP RIGHT)

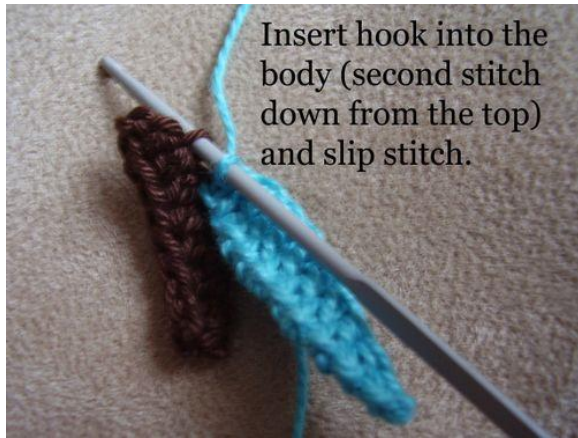
Change to main color.

Count down the body to the second stitch on top right of butterfly body and insert hook.



Row 1: Chain 9

Row 2: 1 ch, 1sc in second ch from hook, 1hdc, 6dc, 1sc, 1ss into body of butterfly, second hdc from top.



Turn over the piece to the wrong side and ss across the body ready for the top left wing. Then, take hook out of work and insert hook into third stitch down on the top left side of the body, catch the loop and pull it through.



Second Wing (TOP LEFT)

As first wing, take care not to twist the wing around the wrong way. Cast off and hook the loose ends in along the wrong side of the crochet.

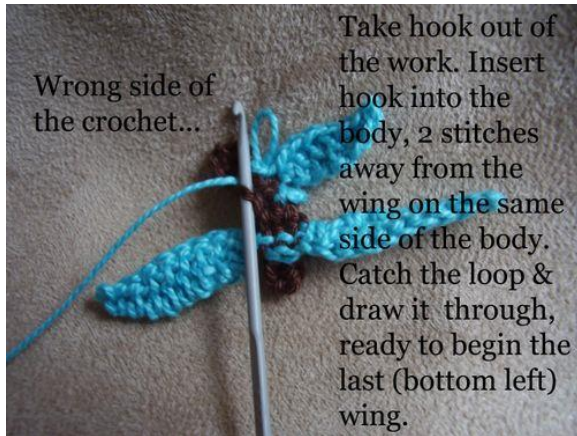
Third Wing (BOTTOM RIGHT)

Join the thread 4 stitches up the righthand side of the body. There should be one empty stitch between the wings.

ROW 1: Chain 6



Row 2: 1 ch, 1sc, 1hdc, 3dc, 1hdc, ss into the body. Turn the crochet over and ss across the body ready for the bottom left wing. Take hook out of the work. Insert hook into body, 2 stitches below the top left wing. Catch the loop and draw it through.



Fourth Wing (BOTTOM LEFT)

As third wing. Cast-off and hook loose threads in back of the crochet. Now that all four wings are begun, go back to the BOTTOM RIGHT Wing for part two and join the thread into the chain stitch on the tip of the wing.



[4 ch, miss a stitch, sc] three times (along the top of the wing). Cast off.

Join the thread into the ch stitch on the tip of the BOTTOM LEFT Wing [4ch, miss a stitch 1sc] three times. Cast off.

Join the thread into the tip of the TOP RIGHT Wing and [4ch, miss a stitch, 1sc] four times along the top of the wing. Cast off. Repeat for TOP LEFT Wing. Pull loose threads into the back of the crochet.

Finally, each wing needs the final row.

Join thread into the chain stitch of the BOTTOM RIGHT Wing.

4 ch, sc into second chain from hook, 2sc.

3 sc into 4ch space,

4 sc into next 4 ch space,

6 sc into last 4 chain space.

Cast off and sew in loose threads.

Repeat for BOTTOM LEFT Wing.



TOP RIGHT Wing. Join thread into chain stitch on tip of Top Right wing. 3ch, 5dc, 1hdc into 4 chain space. 1sc and 4hdc 1sc into next 4 chain

space 1sc, 3hdc 1sc into last 4 chain space. Cast off.

On TOP LEFT Wing join thread INTO 4Ch space NEAREST THE BODY OF THE BUTTERFLY, NOT THE TIP.

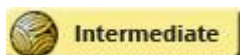
1 ch, 2sc, into the 4 ch space
1sc, 3hdc, 1sc into next 4 ch space
1sc, 4hdc, 1sc into next 4 ch space
1hdc, 5 dc, 2ch, ss into ch of 4ch space.

Cast off. Sew in any loose threads into back of the crochet.

Bella the Butterfly

By: Diane Buyers for Stormy'z Crochet

Try not to stare at the colorful wings on this friendly butterfly, they are so beautiful. Worsted weight yarn and an F sized crochet hook allow you to make this butterfly.



Crochet Hook: F/5 or 3.75 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (4) Medium
Weight/Worsted Weight and Aran
(16-20 stitches to 4 inches)

Materials:

- WW yarn: Small amounts of each - CA (darker shade for body, arms & legs)
- CB (a lighter shade for head) , and a variegated (for the wings).
- Scrap of black yarn.

- Crochet hook size F (US)
- Polyfill
- 1 Pipe cleaner - choice of color for antennae

Gauge:

4 sc = 1 inch, 4 sc rows = 1 inch.

Size

5 1/2" high

Note: Do not join rounds unless otherwise indicated.

Instructions:

Body Rnd 1: Starting at bottom of body with CA, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) repeat around. (18 sc)

Rnd 4: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 5: (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) repeat around. (24 sc)

Rnd 6: (Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) repeat around. (30 sc)

Rnds 7 - 10: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 11: (Sc in next 3 sc, decrease 1 sc over next 2 sc) repeat around. (24 sc)

Rnds 12 - 13: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 14: (Sc in next 2 sc, decrease 1 sc over next 2 sc) repeat around, join in next sc, fasten off. (18 sc)

Stuff body firmly.

Head

- Rnd 1:** Starting at top of head with CB, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)
- Rnd 2:** 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)
- Rnd 3:** (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) repeat around. (18 sc)
- Rnd 4:** (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) repeat around. (24 sc)
- Rnd 5:** (Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) repeat around. (30 sc)
- Rnd 6:** Sc in each sc around.
- Rnd 7:** (Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc) repeat around. (36 sc)
- Rnds 8 - 10:** Sc in each sc around.
- Rnd 11:** (Sc in next 4 sc, decrease 1 sc over next 2 sc) repeat around. (30 sc)
- Rnd 12:** (Sc in next 3 sc, decrease 1 sc over next 2 sc) repeat around. (24 sc)
- Rnd 13:** Sc in each sc around.
- Rnd 14:** (Sc in next 2 sc, decrease 1 sc over next 2 sc) repeat around. (18 sc)
- Rnd 15:** Sc in each sc around, join with a sl st in next sc. Fasten off.

Stuff head firmly then sew head and body sections together, adding more stuffing if necessary before closing.

First Wing

Note: Turning ch 3 counts as first dc of next row.

Row 1: With variegated yarn, ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook, 2 dc in each next 2 chs, ch 3, turn. (6 dc)

Row 2: Dc in first dc, dc in each remaining dc across, dc in top of beginning ch 3, ch 3, turn. (8 dc)

Row 3: Dc in first dc, ch 3, skip next 2 dc, sc in next dc, ch3, sc in next sc, ch 3, skip next 2 dc, 2 dc in top of beginning ch, ch 3, turn. (3- ch sps)

Row 4: Dc in first dc, (ch 3, sc in next ch 3 sp) 3 times, ch 3, 2 dc in top of beginning ch 3, ch 3, turn. (4- ch sps)

Row 5: Dc in first dc, (ch 3, sc in next ch 3 sp) twice, ch 2, sc in next ch 3 sp, ch 3, sc in next ch 3 sp, ch 3, 2 dc in top of beginning ch 3, ch 3, turn.

Row 6: Dc in first dc, 3 dc in next ch sp, 3 hdc in next ch sp, ch 2, sc in next ch 2 sp, ch 2, 3 hdc in next ch sp, 3 dc in next ch sp, dc in next dc, dc in top of beginning ch 3, ch 1, turn.

Row 7: Work sc, ch 3, sc in first sc (this makes the bottom point of wing.) sc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 2 sts, sc in next ch sp, sl st in next sc, sc in next ch sp, sc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sl st in top of beginning ch. Fasten off.

Second Wing

Rows 1 - 6: Repeat Rows 1 - 6 of first wing.

Row 7: 2 sc in first st, sc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 2 sts, sc in next ch sp, sl st in next sc, sc in next ch sp, sc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 2 sts, sc, ch 3 sc all in last st (this makes the bottom point of wing), sl st in top of beginning ch. Fasten off.

Legs (Make 2)

Rnd 1: With CA yarn, ch 2, 4 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (4)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (8 sc)

Rnds 3 - 10: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 11: Sc in each sc around, join in next sc, leaving a length of yarn for sewing, fasten off. Stuff legs, do not sew opening closed. Sew legs to bottom of body over rnds 4 - 7 in a sitting position.

Arms (Make 2)

Rnd 1: With CA yarn, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)

Rnds 2 - 7: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 8: Sc in each sc around, join in next sc, leaving a length of yarn for sewing, fasten off. Stuff arms and sew opening closed. Sew arms to sides of body over rnds 11 -13 to align with legs.

With a length of variegated yarn, sew the first 2 rows of wings to back of body, making sure to have the points of the wings facing downward.

With a length of black yarn embroider eyes and mouth to face. Weave in all loose ends.

Antennae: Cut piper cleaner in half. Use one half for each antennae. Insert crochet hook (size G hooks works well) under a sc at either side of top of head, wrap about a half an inch end of the pipe cleaner around hook and pull through just far enough to release the pipe cleaner from hook.

Secure pipe cleaner to top of head by twisting the half inch length around the bottom of the longer section. Shape antennae into desired shape.



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