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Amigurumi Holiday Ornaments

Materials

* "Children's Novelty" yarn (200m/50g) in the following colors: white, turquoise, light pink, red, flesh-colored.

* Cotton yarn in white.

* Hook size: 1.75 mm.

* Toy stuffing.

* Embroidery needle.

* Safety eyes: 0.7 mm.

* Ribbon or string for the hanging loop.

* Scissors.

* Pink blush for tinting.

The finished ball will have a diameter of approximately 5.5 cm, excluding small details.

Abbreviations

* **MR** - Magic Ring

* **Ch** - Chain

* **Ch st** - Chain stitch (for turning)

* **Sc** - Single crochet

* **Sl st** - Slip stitch

* **Inc** - Increase (2 sc in one stitch)

* **Dec** - Decrease (2 sc together)

* ** (...) x N** - Repeat the instructions in parentheses N times.

Instructions



The Ball

* *For Santa Claus: Use pink yarn for the entire ball.*

* *For Snow Maiden: Start with flesh-colored yarn.*

* Crochet in a continuous spiral.

****Round 1:**** 6 sc in MR (6)

****Round 2:**** Inc x 6 (12)

****Round 3:**** (1 sc, inc) x 6 (18)

****Round 4:**** (2 sc, inc) x 6 (24)

****Round 5:**** (3 sc, inc) x 6 (30)

****Round 6:**** (4 sc, inc) x 6 (36)

****Round 7:**** 36 sc (36)

For Snow Maiden, change to pink yarn.

****Round 8:**** (5 sc, inc) x 6 (42)

****Rounds 9-15:**** 42 sc (7 rounds)

Place safety eyes between rounds 12 and 13, with 7 sc apart.

For Santa Claus, work Round 15 in the back loops only.

****Round 16:**** (5 sc, dec) x 6 (36)

****Round 17:**** 36 sc (36)

****Round 18:**** (4 sc, dec) x 6 (30)

****Round 19:**** (3 sc, dec) x 6 (24)

Begin to stuff the ball firmly.

****Round 20:**** (2 sc, dec) x 6 (18)

****Round 21:**** (1 sc, dec) x 6 (12)



Add more stuffing until very firm.

****Round 22:** Dec x 6 (6)**

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail. Weave the tail through the front loops of the final 6 stitches and pull tight to close the hole. Fasten off and hide the end.

**Beard (Santa Claus)**

* Use white yarn. Work in turning rows.

****Start:** Ch 6. Starting from the 3rd ch from the hook, work 4 sc. (4)**

****Row 1:** 1 ch st, turn. 4 sc (4)**

****Row 2:** 1 ch st, turn. Inc, 2 sc, inc (6)**

****Row 3:** 1 ch st, turn. Inc, 4 sc, inc (8)**

****Row 4:** 1 ch st, turn. Inc, 6 sc, inc (10)**

****Row 5:** 1 ch st, turn. Inc, 8 sc, inc (12)**

****Rows 6-10:** 1 ch st, turn. 12 sc (5 rows)**

****Edging:****

Do not fasten off. Crochet along the sides and bottom edge of the beard.

Repeat the following sequence 7 times: (Skip 1 stitch, 5 sc in the next stitch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sl st).

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Sew the beard to the front loops of Round 15 of the head.

**Nose (Santa Claus)**

* Use pink yarn.

****Round 1:** 6 sc in MR (6)**

****Round 2:** (1 sc, inc) x 3 (9)**

****Rounds 3-4:** 9 sc (2 rounds)**

Stuff lightly.



****Round 5:** (1 sc, dec) x 3 (6)**

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Pull the opening closed. Sew the nose just above the beard.

****Mustache (Santa Claus)****

* Use white yarn.

****Round 1:** 5 sc in MR (5)**

****Round 2:** 4 sc, inc (6)**

****Round 3:** 5 sc, inc (7)**

****Rounds 4-6:** 7 sc (3 rounds)**

****Rounds 7-9:** 7 sc (3 rounds)**

****Round 10:** 5 sc, dec (6)**

****Round 11:** 4 sc, dec (5)**

Fasten off, pull the opening closed. Secure the yarn tail in the center of the mustache for sewing it onto the face below the nose.

****Sideburns (Santa Claus)****

* Use white yarn. Create sideburns using long loops.

* Locate the stitches 4 sc to the side of each eye. You will work 2 rows of 4 sc each.

* ****Long Loop Stitch:**** Insert hook under the stitch, pull up a loop. Pull a long loop (approx. 1.5 cm) through this loop. Hold the long loop down with your finger as you complete the stitch.

* After making the sideburns, crochet one row of long loops on the back of the head, along the line where the beard is attached.

****Assembly (Santa Claus)****

1. Make indentations for the eyes.
2. Embroider white eyebrows.
3. Sew the nose on, centered above the beard.



4. Sew the mustache on, centered below the nose.
5. With pink yarn, embroider a small mouth below the mustache.

Hat

* *For Santa Claus: Use red yarn.*

* *For Snow Maiden: Use turquoise yarn.*

****Round 1:**** 6 sc in MR (6)

****Round 2:**** Inc x 6 (12)

****Round 3:**** (1 sc, inc) x 6 (18)

****Round 4:**** (2 sc, inc) x 6 (24)

****Round 5:**** (3 sc, inc) x 6 (30)

****Round 6:**** (4 sc, inc) x 6 (36)

****Round 7:**** (5 sc, inc) x 6 (42)

****Round 8:**** 42 sc (42)

****Round 9:**** (6 sc, inc) x 6 (48)

****Rounds 10-11:**** 48 sc (2 rounds)

Change to white cotton yarn. Leave the main color yarn on the front side of the work.

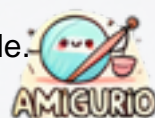
****Round 12:**** (6 sc, skip 1 sc, 1 sc) x 6 (42)

****Round 13:**** 42 sc (42)

Cut the white cotton yarn and fasten off. Use the main color yarn tail to sew the hat to the head.

Finishing (Santa Claus)

1. Apply pink blush to the cheeks.
2. Place the hat on the head, pushing it slightly to the back so the eyebrows are visible.
3. Sew the hat in place around the perimeter.
4. Attach a ribbon or string to the top of the hat to create a hanging loop.



Snow Maiden

Braids

1. For each braid, cut 12 strands of flesh-colored yarn, each 28 cm long.
2. Locate the spot 4 sc from the side of an eye.
3. Attach 6 strands in a row along Round 8 of the head, and another 6 strands in a row along Round 9.
4. Braid the strands loosely and tie a bow at the end.
5. Repeat for the other side.

Face and Finishing

1. Using pink yarn, make indentations for the eyes.
2. With white yarn, embroider whites of the eyes on the outer corners.
3. Embroider the nose with pink yarn over 2 sc in width (use 3-4 stitches).
4. Two rows below the nose, embroider the mouth over 4 sc in length.
5. Embroider bangs on the forehead with flesh-colored yarn.
6. Apply pink blush to the cheeks.
7. Place the hat on the head, pushing it slightly to the back so the bangs are visible.
8. Sew the hat to the head along the bottom edge.
9. Attach a ribbon or string to the top of the hat to create a hanging loop.