



# CROCHETED POPPIES

You will need some red and black DK yarn and 4mm Crochet Hook

## To Crochet Poppy

Rnd 1: Using black, make a magic ring (see Youtube for tutorials) or alternatively, Ch 6 and join with slst to make a circle.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, 11 tr into the ring (or circle), join with slst to top of initial 3 ch. (12 tr)

Rnd 3: Ch 4, 1tr 1ch in the next st and each of the sts of the previous rnd. Join with slst to 3rd ch of initial 4 ch. (12 tr with 1 ch between each). Fasten off black.

Rnd 4: Change to red, join in any 1ch space from previous rnd. Ch 3, 2 tr in same space. 3tr in next space, and each space around. Join with slst to top of initial 3 ch. (12 x 3 tr clusters = 36 tr)

Rnd 5: Ch 3, 2 tr in same space. 2 tr in next st. 3 tr in next. 2 tr in next. Continue alternating between 3 tr and 2 tr in each st around. Join with slst to top of initial 3 ch. (90 tr) Your poppy should be looking slightly ruffled.

Rnd 6: Ch 3, 1 tr in same st. 1 tr in next st. 2 tr in next st. Continue alternating between 2 tr and 1 tr in each st around. Join with slst to top of initial 3 ch. (135 tr). Fasten off and weave in ends.

## **Crochet Abbreviations**

st(s) = stitch (es)

ch = chain

tr = treble crochet

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rnd = round

dc = double crochet

rep = repeat

r = row

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slst = slip stitch

htr = half treble crochet