



# Crochet Heart

My hearts are made of cotton yarn with 136 or 137 yards/50 grams and a hook size 2 mm.

First "cap" :

Round 1: 6 single crochet in magic ring (6)

Round 2: Increase around (12)

Round 3: Single crochet 1, increase 1 around (18)

Round 4- 6: Single crochet around (18)

Slip stitch to close round 6, fasten off.

Make a second cap, as well make a slip stitch to close the last round, but don't fasten off.

Now crochet the two "caps" with 3 single crochet together.

Then 1 round single crochet outside around (30).

Now you have to decrease two stitches in every round.

I always make them at the sides of the heart, then they are hardly to notice.

In between stuff the heart with polyfill.

Repeat the decreases until there are left 6 stitches, then fasten off and cut yarn, thread end on a needle and weave through the stitches in the last round. Tighten to close the hole and weave the end inside the work.

The heart can be decorate as desired. I always make it during crochet the heart, then it easier to hide the yarn ends and stitch up them inside. But you also can make it after finished the work.

At side 2 there are some examples how to decorate the hearts. I did not explain the decorate stitches closer, because there are many instructions at the internet.





# Decorate stitches

Cross-Stitch

lazy daisy stitch

straight stitch



french knots

chain stitch

running stitch

The pattern is free. You have the permission to copy these instruction and as well to sell hearts made from my pattern.

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