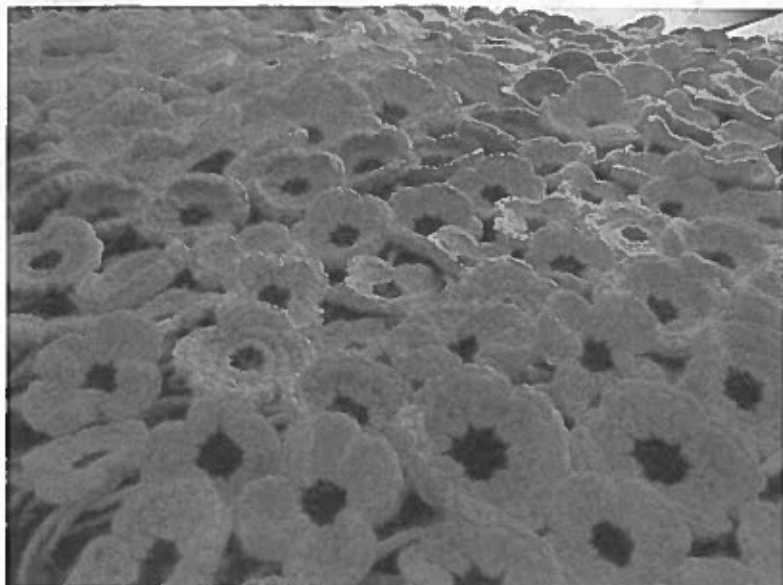


1 crochet poppies, 5 versions by loopysue



We made these for an art installation, not to wear.

Materials:

red worsted yarn (3 to 4m per poppy)
black worsted yarn (less than 1m per poppy)
3.5mm crochet hook
yarn needle for weaving ends

Pattern Notes:

There are 5 versions in this pattern.
They all start the same way with the black centre.
US crochet terms are used.

Making other sizes with larger or smaller yarn:

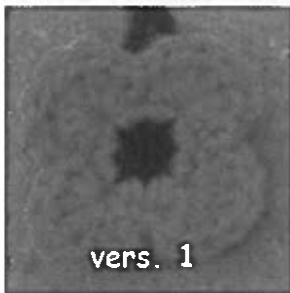
Use a hook size smaller than the yarn ball suggests.
For larger yarns, chunky and bulky, I make the black centre with hdc instead of sc.

Abbreviations:

st(s)	stitch(es)	ch	chain	dc	double crochet
Rnd	round	sc	single crochet	tr	treble crochet
sl st	slip st	hdc	half double crochet	sk	skip

For all versions: Work through both the front & back loops. Leave tails on for installation.

Version 1: There are only 3 rounds.



black yarn

Rnd1: ch1, 7sc in a magic circle.

Cut yarn and sew in last edge loop to join round, creating the 8th edge stitch.

Pull beginning tail tight to cinch centre.

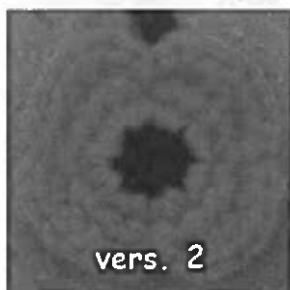
red yarn

Rnd2: sl st in opposite end from the black tails, ch1, sc in same st, then make 2 sc in each remaining st to end of round. (16sts)

Join with a sl st to top of the ch1.

Rnd3: sk 1 st, 6dc in the next st, sk 1 st, sl st in the next st) repeat 3 more times to end of round.

Version 2: This one has 4 rounds.



black yarn

Rnd1: ch1, 7sc in a magic circle.

Cut yarn and sew in last edge loop to join round, creating the 8th edge stitch.

Pull beginning tail tight to cinch centre.

red yarn

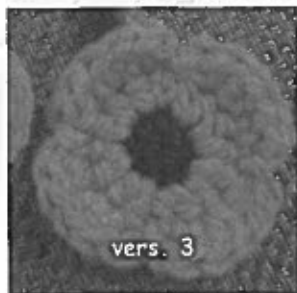
Rnd2: sl st in opposite end from the black tails, ch1, sc in same st, then make 2 sc in each remaining st to end of round. sl st to join rnd. (16sts)

Rnd3: ch1, (2sc in next st, 1sc in next st) repeat to end of round. (24sts)

Rnd 4: ch1, (2sc, 1sc, 2sc, 1sc, 2sc, 1 sl st spiked 2 rows below next st, in the same place red first went into black, sk next st) repeat to end. (6 sts repeat 4 times)
Cut yarn and sew in to complete the final sl st.

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Version 3: There are only 3 rounds.



black yarn

Rnd1: ch1, 7hdc in a magic circle.

Cut yarn and sew in last edge loop to join round, creating the 8th edge stitch.

Pull beginning tail tight to cinch centre.

red yarn

Rnd2: sl st in opposite end from the black tails, ch2, hdc in same st, then make 2 hdc in each remaining st to end of round. (16sts)

Join with a sl st to top of the ch2.

Rnd3: 2hdc in each of the next 3 sc, sl st in the next st) repeat 3 more times to end of round.

Version 4: There are only 2 rounds.



black yarn

Rnd1: ch1, 7sc in a magic circle.

Cut yarn and sew in last edge loop to join round, creating the 8th edge stitch.

Pull beginning tail tight to cinch centre.

red yarn

Rnd2: sl st in any edge chain, ch3, 2tr in same st, 2tr in next st, ch3, sl st in same st as last 2tr, (1 petal done), (ch4, 2tr in same st, 2tr in next st, ch3, sl st in same st as last 2tr) repeat inside these brackets twice more. (4 petals total)

(For slightly smaller, do 1 less ch up/down each petal and use dcs instead of trs.)

Version 5: There are only 2 rounds.



black yarn

Rnd1: ch1, 7sc in a magic circle.

cut yarn and sew in last edge loop to join round, creating the 8th edge stitch.

Pull beginning tail tight to cinch centre.

red yarn

Rnd2: sl st in any edge chain, ch3, 3tr in same st, 3tr in next st, ch3, sl st in same st as last 3tr, (1 petal done), (ch4, 3tr in same st, 3tr in next st, ch3, sl st in same st as last 3tr) repeat inside these brackets twice more. (4 petals total)

(For slightly smaller, do 1 less ch up/down each petal and use dcs instead of trs.)

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