Lynn’s Easy Crochet Pattern

This pattern gives a full crochet poppy using only one size stitch, and is an easy pattern for beginners.

Size 3.5 crochet hook (we want the finished flower to be quite tight).
Col A 1 ball red 8 ply yarn (one ball will make a number of poppies)
Col B Scrap of green 8 ply yarn
Col C Scrap of black 8 ply yarn (eyelash yarn looks great)

BODY OF POPPY
Using Col A make a slip ring
1st round Ch 3, 9 treble crochet into ring. Pull the slip ring tight to close centre of ring and slip stitch in top ch to join
2nd round Ch 3, 1 treble crochet into first stitch 2 treble crochet into each stitch to last stitch, slip stitch in top ch to join
3rd round Ch 3, 2 treble crochet into first stitch, 3 treble crochet into each stitch to last stitch, slip stitch in top ch to join
4th round Ch 3, 1 treble into first stitch, 2 treble into each stitch to last stitch, slip stitch in top ch to join. Fasten off and sew in ends.

CENTRE OF POPPY
Using Col B Make slip ring Ch 3, 9 treble crochet into ring. Pull end to close centre of ring and slip stitch in top ch to join. Fasten off and sew in ends.
Using Col C Join yarn into edge of circle on RS and Ch 1 * 1 double crochet into first stitch, 1 ch ... repeat from * to end of round and slip stitch to join. Fasten off leaving a long tail to attach centre to body of poppy.

FINISHING
Sew in ends for body of poppy. The ends for the centre can be sewn in if you wish or hide them behind when you sew on the centre. Using a yarn needle thread black tail and invisibly attach the centre to the body of the poppy.
Start again

Lorraine’s Easier Crochet Pattern

This design is only two rounds using treble and triple treble (yoh 3 times before inserting).

Size 3.5 crochet hook
Col A 1 ball red 8 ply yarn (one ball will make many poppies)
Col B Scrap of green 8 ply yarn
Col C Scrap of black 8 ply yarn

BODY OF POPPY
Using Col A make a slip ring
1st round Ch 3, 9 treble crochet into ring. Pull the slip ring tight to close centre of ring and slip stitch in top ch to join
2nd round 3ch, 4trtr in same stitch. In next stitch 5trtr, *in next stitch 1tr and 4trtr, in next stitch 5trtr. REPEAT from * to end of round, ending with slip st in top to join. Fasten off. Sew in ends.

CENTRE OF POPPY
Using Col B Make slip ring Ch 3, 9 treble crochet into ring and slip stitch in top ch to join. Pull tail end to close centre of ring. Fasten off leaving long tail to attach centre to body of poppy.

FINISHING
Using Col C Cut 6 x 7cm lengths of yarn and using a small hook attach them like a fringe to the post of each stitch on Round 1. Stich centre to body of poppy.

NOTES
The petals are made up of 5 groups of 10 stitches worked over 2 trebles of the first round.
Lynn’s Easy Knitted Poppy

This easy knit pattern gives a lovely frilly finish to your poppy.

Size 3.5 mm knitting needles (we want the finished flower to be quite tight).

Col A 1 ball red 8 ply yarn (one ball will make many poppies)

Col B Scrap of green 8 ply yarn

Col C Scrap of black 8 ply yarn

BODY OF POPPY

Using Col A cast on 120 stitches.

Rows 1-4 Knit

Row 5 Slip 1 Knit 2 together PSSO across the row (40 stitches)

Rows 6-9 Knit

Row 10 Knit 2 together across the row (20 stitches)

Rows 11-14 Knit

Row 15 Knit 2 together across the row (10 stitches)

Cut yarn leaving a tail of about 15cm

Thread tail through yarn needle and slip all the remaining live stitches onto the yarn tail and pull tight. Pull around into a circle and then mattress stitch seam for an invisible seam.

CENTRE OF POPPY

Sew on a button or embroider a black centre

Start again

Vivien’s Easier Knitted Poppy

Top tip – the bigger the needles, the bigger the poppy.

Size 3.75 mm knitting needles

BODY OF POPPY

Cast on 77 stitches

Rows 1-10 Garter stitch

Row 11 Knit 2 together across the row

Thread the wool through the remaining stitches, pull together and sew the ends.

CENTRE OF POPPY

Sew on a button or embroider a black centre

Start again