

Unicorn Christmas Stocking

A pastel stocking crowned with a horn and three roses

SIZE	HOOKS	LEVEL	TERMS
Approx.34 ×23 cm	5.5 &3.5 mm	Intermediate	US crochet

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Before you begin

Work in a continuous spiral without joining rounds. Use a stitch marker or safety pin to mark the start. The heel is worked back and forth, then folded and sewn; follow the complete original photo sequence.

Use the 5.5 mm hook with super bulky polyester chenille for the stocking and the 3.5 mm hook with 8/8 cotton for the details. Keep the Soft Pink working yarn attached when starting the Pastel Purple heel.

Make two white eyes, two pink cheeks, two ears and one Vanilla horn. Each of the three roses starts with CH8 and increases from 14 to 28 stitches; roll and sew the strip, then attach the roses as the photos show.

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Materials

Skill level: Intermediate Crochet hook: 5.5 and 3.5 mm Approx. size: 34 x 23 cm Materials: Stitch marker, Black embroidery thread, white sewing thread, sewing needle

Yarn: super bulky polyester chenille Pastel Purple (#04) - 1 skein Soft Pink (#03) - 1 skein

Super bulky chenille:100% polyester,100g /120m per skein.

Yarn: 8/8 cotton yarn Yellow (#054) - 1 skein Pink (#045) - 1 skein Vanilla (#052) - 1 skein Dark Mint (#085) - 1 skein Petunia Pink (#087) - 1 skein White (#001) - 1 skein

8/8 cotton:100% cotton,50g /75m per skein.



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Stitches & stocking | 1

Abbreviations: ch - chain stitch sc - single crochet hdc - half double crochet 1 inc - work 2 sts in same st 1 dec - work 2 sts together sl st - slip stitch

Tip!

You are going to crochet in a continuous spiral, do not join the rounds. Use a stitch marker or safety pin to keep track of where the round begins.

STOCKING

Using super bulky polyester chenille in Pastel Purple and a 5.5 mm hook

Start with a magic ring

Rnd 1: 6 hdc in the ring (6)

Rnd 2: [1 inc] x6 (12)

Rnd 3: [1 hdc, 1 inc] x6 (18)

Rnd 4: 1 hdc, 1 inc, [2 hdc, 1 inc] x5, 1 hdc (24)

Rnd 5: [3 hdc, 1 inc] x6 (30)

Rnd 6: 2 hdc, 1 inc, [4 hdc, 1 inc] x5, 2 hdc (36)

Rnd 7: 35 hdc, 1 sc (36)

Rnd 8: 1 sl st, change to Soft Pink, 1 sc, 34 hdc (36)

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Rnds 9-13: 36 hdc (5 rounds, 36)








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Heel | 1

Now you are going to crochet the heel. Start by crocheting 20 hdc with Soft Pink, do NOT cut the yarn. Count back 25 hdc. In that stitch you are going to attach the Pastel Purple yarn and crochet the heel.

HEEL:

Using super bulky polyester chenille in Pastel Purple








Rnd 1: 1 sc, 16 hdc, 1 sc, ch 2, turn (18)

Rnd 2: [1 dec] x2, 10 hdc, [1 dec] x2, ch 2, turn (14)

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Heel | 2

Rnd 3: [1 dec] x2, 6 hdc, [1 dec] x2, ch 2, turn (10)

Rnd 4: [1 dec] x2, 2 hdc, [1 dec] x2, ch 2, turn (6)

Rnd 5: 6 hdc, ch 2, turn (6)





Rnd 6: [1 inc] x2, 2 hdc, [1 inc] x2, ch 2, turn (10)

Rnd 7: [1 inc] x2, 6 hdc, [1 inc] x2, ch 2, turn (14)

Rnd 8: [1 inc] x2, 10 hdc, [1 inc] x2, ch 1, turn (18)

Rnd 9: 1 sc, 16 hdc, 1 sc (18)





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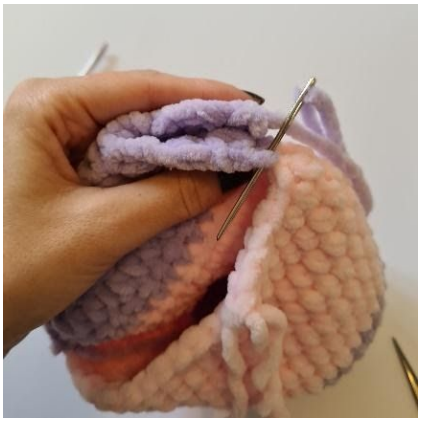
Heel | 3

Cut yarn, but leave a long tail. Fold the heel and sew the sides together. See pictures below.





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Heel | 4









Do not fasten the thread yet, you can use it to sew the potential holes that will show between the heel and sock.

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Shaft & hanging loop | 1

Now you are going to continue with the shaft.

SHAFT:

Using super bulky polyester chenille in Soft Pink

Put a stitch marker after the first hdc.

Rnd 1: 11 hdc, 18 hdc around the heel, 7 hdc (36)

Rnds 2-12: 36 hdc (11 rounds, 36)











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Shaft & hanging loop | 2

Crochet 25 hdc with Soft Pink so you end up on the long side of the heel.

Change to super bulky polyester chenille in Pastel Purple. To make the color change more smooth make 1 sc with Soft Pink, 1 sl st with Pastel Purple and 1 sc before making hdc again.

Crochet 2 rounds of hdc in Pastel Purple.









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Shaft & hanging loop | 3

To make the hanging loop, ch 10, skip 2 hdc and attach with 1 sl st.

Cut yarn and fasten all threads.









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Eyes & embroidery | 1

EYE WHITES (make 2)

Using 8/8 cotton yarn in White and a 3.5 mm hook

Start with a magic ring

Rnd 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)

Rnd 2: [1 inc] x6 (12)

Rnd 3: [1 sc, 1 inc] x6 (18)

Finish with 1 sl st. Fasten all threads.

Embroider eyelashes using black.








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Eyes & embroidery | 2







Pin the eyes to the stocking and sew them on.





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Cheeks, ears & horn | 1

CHEEKS (make 2)

Using 8/8 cotton yarn in Pink and a 3.5 mm hook

Start with a magic ring

Rnd 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)

Finish with 1 sl st.

Cut yarn but leave a long tail for sewing.

Pin the cheeks to the stocking and sew them on.





EARS (make 2)

Using 8/8 cotton yarn in White and a 3.5 mm hook

Start with a magic ring

Rnd 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)

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Cheeks, ears & horn | 2

Rnd 2: 6 sc (6)

Rnd 3: [1 inc] x6 (12)

Rnds 4-6: 12 sc (3 rounds, 12)

Rnd 7: [1 dec] x6 (6)

Cut yarn but leave a long tail for sewing.

Pin the ears to the stocking and sew them on.



HORN

Using 8/8 cotton yarn in Vanilla and a 3.5 mm hook

Start with a magic ring

Rnd 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)

Rnd 2: 6 sc (6)

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Cheeks, ears & horn | 3

Rnd 3: [1 sc, 1 inc] x3 (9)

Rnds 4-8: 9 sc (5 rounds, 9)

Cut yarn but leave a long tail for sewing.

Pin the horn to the stocking and sew them on.









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Three rolled roses | 1

ROSE (make 3)

Using 8/8 cotton yarn in Petunia Pink, Dark Mint and Yellow and a 3.5 mm hook

Ch 8

Rnd 1: Start in the 2nd ch from the hook, 2 sc in each st, ch 1, turn (14)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st (28)



Fold the piece into a rose and sew the piece together so it doesn't roll up again.







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Three rolled roses | 2





Pin the roses to the stocking and sew them on.






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