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Cupcake Keyring

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SIZES

Approximately: 7.5 cm (2.75 in) wide and 6.5 cm (2.5 in) tall

YOU WILL NEED

A small amount of DK brown cotton yarn (A)

A small amount of DK pink cotton yarn (B)

A few seed beads

1 large red bead

5cm (2in) of thin ribbon

Polyester stuffing

A keyring

3mm crochet needle

Tapestry needle

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

6 sts and 7 rows to (1 in) in double crochet (UK) using 3mm needle

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

Dc = Double Crochet (US Single crochet)

Tr = Treble Crochet (US Double crochet)

Ch = Chain stitch

Ss = slip stitch

St(s) = stitch(es)

R = Rows

Dec 1 = decrease 1 st (insert hook in next st, yrh, draw through loop) twice, yrh, draw through all 3 loops on hook.

Inc = increase 1 st: work 2 dec in next st.

RS = Right side.

CUPCAKE (MAKE 2)

Using 3mm crochet needle and (A) Ch 10 sts.

Foundation row: 1 dc in second st from hook, 1 dc in each rem ch. (9 sts) Turn.

R1: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end.(9 sts) Turn.

R2: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end.(9 sts) Turn.

R3: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end.(9 sts) Turn.

R4: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end.(9 sts) Turn.

R5: 1ch, inc1, dc 7 sts, inc1. (11sts) Turn.

R6: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end. (11sts) Turn.

R7: 1ch, inc1, dc 9 sts, inc1. (13sts) Turn.

R8: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end. (13sts) Turn.

R9: Picot Row: (Working always in the front loop of each st in this row) *Ch3, sl st into the front of next st. Slip st into front of next sts. Rep from * to last st.

R9: Join (B) and work in the back sts of the same row, 1ch, 1 dc in the back of the sts of the Picot row to end. (13 sts) Turn.

R10: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end. (13sts) Turn.

R11: 1ch, dec 1, dc 9, dec 1. (11 sts) Turn.

R12: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end. (11sts) Turn.

R13: 1ch, dec 1, dc 7, dec 1. (9 sts) Turn.

R14: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end. (9sts) Turn.

R15: 1ch, dec 1, dc 5, dec 1. (7 sts) Turn.

R16: 1ch, dec 1, dc 3, dec 1. (5 sts) Fasten off.

TO FINISH OFF

Using cotton thread sew seed beads on both sides to the cupcake icing in a random pattern. Loop the ribbon through the key ring and secure in place between both sides of the top of the cupcake. Using embroidery thread sew both sides of cupcake together leaving a small hole in order to fill the cupcake with a little polyester stuffing. Then sew this hole together. Using a little pink yarn attach a larger red bead to one side of the cupcake, to act as the cherry on top!

Attach to a precious set of keys/ bag or give as a gift!