



Puppy Ornament

Designed by Nancy Anderson.

Ornament is 7½" tall.

RED HEART® "Holiday": 1 Ball each 9560 Wine/Gold **A**, 6560 Hunter/Gold **B**, and 1360 Aran/Gold **C**.

Crochet Hook: 4mm [US G-6].

Split-ring stitch marker, yarn needle, polyester fiberfill, 2 buttons for eyes, black embroidery floss and needle, sewing thread and needle.

GAUGE: 18 sc = 4"; 14 rows = 3". **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

Special Abbreviation

Sc2tog = [draw up a loop in next st] twice, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

NOTES

Unless otherwise indicated, do not join rounds; instead, place marker in first st of round and move up as work progresses.

When changing colors, work last st of old color until 2 loops are left on hook, drop old color, yo with new color and complete st. Fasten off old color.

This ornament is not intended for small children. If making Ornament for a baby or small child, do not use buttons for eyes; instead, use embroidery floss to stitch eyes.

ORNAMENT

Body

With **A**, ch 2.

Round 1: 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook – 6 sts.

Round 2: 2 sc in each st around – 12 sts.

Round 3: * 2 sc in next st, sc in next st; repeat from * around – 18 sts.

Rounds 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12: Sc in each st around.

Round 5: * 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts; repeat from * around – 24 sts.

Round 7: * 2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts; repeat from * around – 30 sts.

Round 9: * 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts; repeat from * around – 36 sts.

Round 11: * 2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts; repeat from * around – 42 sts.

Round 13: * 2 sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts; repeat from * around – 48 sts.

Rounds 14-23: Sc in each st around.

Round 24: * Sc2tog, sc in next 6 sts; repeat from * around – 42 sts.

Round 25: * Sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts; repeat from * around – 36 sts.

Round 26: * Sc2tog, sc in next 4 sts; repeat from * around – 30 sts.

Round 27: * Sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts; repeat from * around – 24 sts. Add stuffing.

Round 28: * Sc2tog, sc in next 2 sts; repeat from * around – 18 sts. Finish stuffing ornament firmly.

Round 29: * Sc2tog, sc in next st; repeat from * around – 12 sts.

Round 30: Sc2tog around – 6 sts. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. With yarn needle, weave tail through remaining sts and pull tight. Weave in ends.

Arms & Legs (Make 4)

With **B**, ch 2.

Round 1: 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook – 6 sts.

Round 2: 2 sc in each st around – 12 sts.



Round 3: * 2 sc in next st, sc in next st; repeat from * around – 18 sts.

Rounds 4-5: Sc in each st around.

Round 6: * Sc2tog, sc in next st; repeat from * around – 12 sts.

Round 7: Sc in each st around. Fasten off, a leaving long tail. Stuff firmly.

Tail

With **C**, ch 2.

Round 1: 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook – 6 sts.

Round 2: [2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts] twice – 8 sts.

Round 3: Sc in each st around.

Round 4: Repeat Round 3, changing to **B** in last st.

Round 5: With **B**, repeat Round 3.

Round 6: Repeat Round 3, changing to **A** in last st.

Rounds 7-14: With **A**, repeat Round 3. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Stuff firmly.

Ears (Make 2)

With **B**, ch 5; join with a slip st.

Round 1: Ch 1, sc in each ch around; do not join – 5 sts.

Round 2: [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] twice; 2 sc in next st – 8 sts.

Round 3: Sc in each st around.

Round 4: [2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts] twice – 10 sts.

Rounds 5-7: Sc in each st around.

Round 8: Sc2tog around – 5 sts.

Round 9: Sc in next st, [sc2tog] twice – 3 sts. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Weave tail through remaining sts and pull tight. Weave in ends.

Eye Patch

With **B**, ch 2.

Round 1: 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook; join.

Round 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same st as join, * 2 dc in next st; repeat from * around; join – 12 sts.

Round 3: Ch 3, dc in same st, * dc in next st, 2 dc in next st; repeat from * around to last st; sc in last st; join – 18 sts. Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

Muzzle

With **C**, ch 14; join.

Round 1: Sc in each ch around; do not join – 14 sts.

Round 2: Sc2tog, * sc in next st, sc2tog; repeat from * around – 9 sts.

Round 3: Sc in next st, * sc2tog; repeat from * around – 5 sts. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Stuff.

Stomach Patch

With **C**, ch 2.

Round 1: 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook; join – 6 sts.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same st as join, [2 dc in next st] 4 times; dc in next st; turn – 11 sts.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in same st, * 2 dc in next st, sc in next st; repeat from * across; turn – 17 sts.

Row 4: Ch 3, dc in same st, * dc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st; repeat from * across; skip last st; turn – 22 sts. Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

FINISHING

With the wider part of the body at the bottom, use long tails to sew Arms & Legs, Ears, Tail, Muzzle, Eye Patch, and Stomach Patch to Body as pictured. Attach Eyes securely with sewing thread and needle. With embroidery floss, sew nose as pictured.

With **A**, ch 25. Sew into loop at top of Ornament.



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ABBREVIATIONS: **A, B, C** = Color A, Color B, Color C, etc; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **yo** = yarn over; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.