

Flora Fairy

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Height: 15"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Parfait® Chunky (100% Polyester; 3.5oz/100g, 131yds/120m)

- A: 1150-13 Bright Pink 1 ball
- B: 1150-07 Cream 1 ball
- D: 1150-14 Seaside 1 ball
- E: 1150-02 Lemon 1 ball

Premier® Yarns Bloom™ Chenille (100% Polyester; 3.5oz/100g, 87yds/80m)

• C: 2099-07 Begonia – 1 ball

Hook: US Size J-10 (6 mm) or size needed to

obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, 2-10mm safety eyes, polyester stuffing

GAUGE

10 sts x 14 rnds = 4"

Save time, check your gauge.

Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Chain, single and double crochet stitches.
- Single crochet 2 stitches together (decrease).
- Invisible decrease.
- Shell stitch.
- Changing colors.
- Seaming.

STITCH GUIDE

Magic Ring: Wrap yarn around your left middle finger twice, leaving a 6" tail. Insert hk under both strands and pull up a lp. Ch 1 and beg working directly into center of ring. This ring can be tightened later by pulling on the yarn tail.

Inv-dec (invisible single crochet decrease):

Insert hk in flo in each of next 2 sts, yo and draw through both sts, yo and draw through 2 lps on hk (1 st dec'd).

Shell: Working around next 2 dc posts, 3 dc down next dc, ch 1, 3 dc up next dc.

PATTERN NOTES

When working in continuous rounds (spiral), place a marker in first stitch made to indicate beginning of round. Move marker up as each round begins. When working with chenille yarns, the ends need to be "sealed" to prevent shedding. Remove some of the fibers from the core threads, tie the threads in a double knot, for extra security, add a drop of fray check to the knot. You can find a video demonstrating this here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wZn7E3pgSRc.

FAIRY

Legs (make 2)

With A, create a magic ring.

Rnd 1: 5 sc in ring, do not join, work in continuous rnds.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around – 10 sc.

Rnds 3-6: Sc in each st around. Fasten off A, join B.

Rnd 7: Working in blo, sc in each st around.

Rnds 8-20: Sc in each st around.

Stuff lightly, leaving top 1" unstuffed.

Fasten off.

Body

Rnd 1: Join A in any st on first Leg, ch 1, sc in next 5 sts, sc in any st on second Leg, sc in next 9 sts, sc in next unworked st on first Leg, sc in next 4 sts, join with sl st to first sc - 20 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, *sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st;

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rep from * around, do not join, work in continuous rnds – 24 sc.

Rnd 3: *Sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 28 sc.

Rnds 4-5: Working in the blo, sc in each st around.

Rnds 6-7: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 8: *Sc in next 5 sts, **inv-dec**; rep from * around – 24 sc.

Rnd 9: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 10: *Sc in next 4 sts, inv-dec; rep from * around – 20 sc.

Rnd 11: *Sc in next 3 sts, inv-dec; rep from * around – 16 sc.

Rnds 12-14: Sc in each st around. Fasten off A.

Rnd 15: Join B in back center in blo, ch 1, working in blo, sc in each st around, join with a sl st to first st.

Rnd 16: Ch 1, *sc in next 2 sts, **inv-dec**; rep from * around, do not join, work in continuous rnds – 12 sc. Stuff Body firmly.

Rnd 17: *Sc in next st, **inv-dec**; rep from * around – 8 sc.

Rnd 18: *Sc in next 2 sts, inv-dec; rep from * around – 6 sc.

Head

Rnd 19: 2 sc in each st around – 12 sc.

Rnd 20: 2 sc in each st around – 24 sc.

Rnds 21-30: Sc in each st around

Add safety eyes between Rnds 26-27 about 3 sts apart.

Rnd 31: Sc in next 2 sts, **inv-dec**; rep from * around – 18 sc.

Rnd 32: *Sc in next st, **inv-dec**; rep from * around – 12 sc.

Stuff Head firmly.

Rnd 33: (**Inv-dec**) 6 times – 6 sc.

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing.

Thread tapestry needle with long tail and close Rnd 33.

Hair Cap

With D, create a **Magic Ring**, do not tighten until Hat Stem is complete.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in ring, do not join, work in continuous rnds – 6 sc.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around – 12 sc.

Rnd 3: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 18 sc.

Rnd 4: *Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 24 sc.

Rnds 5-11: Sc in each st around.

Fasten off.

Hat Flower Petals (make 4)

Petal 1

Row 1: Join D in flo of any st of Hair Cap, ch 1, sc in next 6 sts, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Sc2tog, sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog, turn – 4 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: (Sc2tog) twice, turn -2 sc.

Row 6: Sc2tog – 1 sc.

Row 7: Ch 1, sl st along 1 side edge and surface sl st across side edge to top of hat. Fasten off.

Hat Flower Petals 2-4

Join D in next unworked st in flo, rep Rows 1-7 same as Petal 1 to complete rem Hat Flower Petals.

Hat Stem

Rnd 1: Using sts from Rnd 1 of Hair Cap, join D and sc in next 6 sts, do not join, work in continuous rnds – 6 sc.

Rnd 2: (Sc2tog, sc in next st) twice – 4 sc.

Rnds 3-4: Sc in each st around.

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing. Thread tapestry needle and close Rnd 4.

Hair

Cut 24-8" lengths of E. Fold 1 length in half, pull center of length through blo of st on Rnd 11 on inside of Hair Cap, pull end of length through center lp and pull tight. Rep evenly around. Unworked sts should be in center of one Hat Petal. Sweep, or pull, hair to one side and secure. Trim evenly and seal ends to prevent shedding.

Skirt Petals

Rnds 1-2: Join D in first exposed front loop on Rnd 4 of Body, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same st, *sk 1 st, 2 dc in next st; rep from * around until all loops on Rnds 4-5 have been worked on Body, *turn*.

Rnd 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), working around the post of last dc made, 2 dc around post, ch 1, 3 dc around next post, *sk next 2 sts, **shell** over next 2 sts; rep from * around Rnds 1-2 just made, sl st to last st on rnd.

Fasten off.

Arms

Rnd 1: With B, create a **Magic Ring**, 4 sc in ring, do not join, work in continuous rnds – 4 sc.



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Rnd 2: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 6 sc.

Rnds 3-18: Sc in each st around.

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing.

Stuff lightly, leaving top 1" unstuffed.

FINISHING

With A, stitch on a Nose.

Sew Arms on each side of Body.

Sew Hat Cap on Head at an angle.

Thread tapestry needle with E and using photo as a

guide, stitch a star detail on Body.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

beg begin(ning)blo back loop only

ch chain

dc double crochet

dc2tog double crochet the next 2 sts together (1 dec)

dec('d) decrease(d)

flo front loop only

hk hook

rem remain(ing)

rep repeat

rnd(s) round(s)
sc single crochet

sc2tog single crochet the next 2 sts together (1 dec)

sp(s) space(es)
st(s) stitch(es)
sl st slip stitch

yo yarn over



