

Carnation



Skill Level: **Easy / Facile / Fácil**



Supplies: Size 10 cotton crochet thread; size B/1/2.25mm crochet hook, (or size 3 steel crochet hook for smaller size flower)

This pattern can also be completed using size 20 cotton crochet thread using a size 6 or size 10 steel crochet hook.

Stitches Used: sl st (slip stitch), ch (chain), sc (single crochet), dc (double crochet).

Gauge will vary depending on size of hook and thread.

Directions:

Rnd. 1: ch6, join with sl st to form ring.

Rnd. 2: ch1, 7sc, ch2, 7sc, ch2, 7sc, ch2 in ring; join with sl st to beginning sc. 21 sc

Rnd. 3: ch4, dc in same st; *dc, ch1, dc in next sc*, repeat 19 times (skip over ch-2 spaces); join with sl st to 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Rnd. 4: sl st to ch-1 sp; sc, ch3 in same sp; *sc, ch3 in next ch-1 sp*, repeat around, join with sl st to beginning sc; fasten off.

Rnd. 5: attach thread in ch-2 sp on rnd. 2; working behind first row of petals, ch1, sc, ch5 in same sp; *sc, ch5 in next ch-2 sp*, repeat from asterisk once; join with sl st to beginning sc. 3-ch 5 loops

Rnd. 6: ch1, sc in same st, 10sc in ch-5 loop; *sc in next sc, 10sc in next ch-5 loop*; repeat once; join with sl st to beginning sc. 33 sc

Rnd. 7: ch4, dc, ch-1 in same st; *dc, ch-1, dc in next sc*; repeat from asterisk around; join with sl st to 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Rnd. 8: sl st to ch-1 sp, ch1, sc, ch3 in same sp; *sc, ch3 in next ch-1 sp*; repeat around; join with sl st to beginning sc; fasten off.