

Christmas Puppy Medallion



A puppy face with a Santa hat and red-and-white scarf sits on a green crochet medallion.

Version 1.0 | October 3, 2026 | Prototype-ready reading draft. No physical crochet sample, wash test or child/pet-use test was completed. Proposed corrections are editorial interpretations, not confirmed errata.

Starting specifications

Small amounts of worsted-weight yarn; 2.5 mm starting hook. Dog about $3 \times 3\frac{1}{2}$ inches; medallion about 5 inches across. Round face, shaped hat and decorative edging. Consult the complete supply list and color plan in the pattern pages.

Round puppy and Christmas details

Head is 7/14/21/28. Ears: ch 6 with sc, three dc, hdc plus sl st in the last chain. Eye patch: seven sc in MR. Hat rows narrow 7/7/6/6/5/5/4/4/3/3/2/2/1 by skipping the first stitch on narrowing rows. Trim has 11 sc, pompon five sc; scarf parts have 13 and 15 stitches. Use the photo to fold the hat and scarf. The backing is 6/12/18/24/32/42/42/56/56/74/74.

Proposed edging correction

The edging instruction consumes two base positions per repeat: hdc, three sc around that hdc, skip one base stitch. With 74 base stitches it supports 37 repeats, not the printed 38. A proposed 37-repeat edging produces 148 worked stitches if counting each hdc plus its three sc. Sample flatness and record any adjustment; 152 is not supported by a 74-stitch base. The patch is about 5 inches across according to the source. It is a decorative medallion without a functional buttonhole.

Measure, finish and check

Gauge and dimensions

No verified PetsCrochet gauge is available. Where no gauge is stated, make a six-round sc circle ending at 36 stitches, measure its diameter without stretching and record yarn/hook. Check filled fabric for gaps; flat appliqués should lie flat without pulling. Measure stuffed height head-to-base, plus width/depth and widest circumference; record whether ears/halo are included. For patches, measure maximum width and height flat, without stretching. Source dimensions are estimates, not measurements of a new sample.

Resizing method

For a yarn/hook change, make matching test circles: new circle diameter divided by original circle diameter is an approximate scale ratio. Multiply known dimensions by this ratio as an estimate only. Keep the written stitch schedule until a physical prototype supports a changed schedule. Clothes and backings must fit the actual dog/motif; do not scale a wire frame, spring, eye size or garment fastening blindly. No yardage or fit is verified by this ratio.

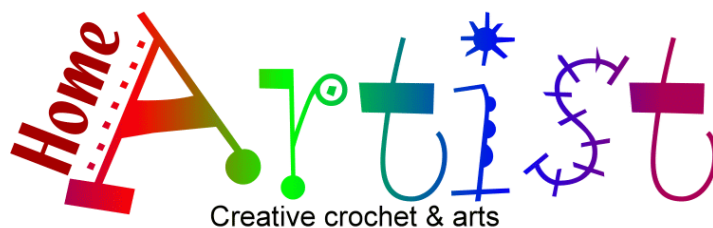
Terms and supply checks

MR: magic ring; ch: chain; sc: US single crochet; inc: two sc in one base; dec/sc2tog: two sc joined into one; sl st/ss: slip stitch; hdc: half double crochet; dc: double crochet; tr: treble; dtr: double treble; FLO/BLO: front/back loop only; FO: fasten off. Ranges include both endpoints. Mark the first stitch, count base positions consumed and resulting stitches, and make pairs together. Yarn package size is not measured project use. Keep stitch marker, needle and scissors ready; use filling and components only where the chosen pattern calls for them.

Finish, care and intended use

Pin parts before sewing, test seated/standing balance without forcing it and inspect all seams and attachments. These are dog-themed display crafts for people, not pet chew toys or certified baby toys. Keep wire, spring parts, hard eyes, felt, hair strands and craft tools out of pets' reach. Follow actual yarn/filling/component care labels; assembled washability is untested. Clean gently only when the materials allow it, dry fully and inspect again. If a round cannot consume its available stitches, pause and clarify or sample the proposed interpretation. Record changes so the paired part follows the same plan.

Complete pattern pages follow.



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CROCHET Dog Button

Applique crochet pattern



Materials:

- . Small amounts of Worsted Weight Yarn in desired colors
- . 2.50mm Crochet hook or any size that works with your yarn choice
- . Scissors and yarn needle
- . Optional beads for eyes and embellishments

Finished size approx.

Dog: 3 inches across by 3 ½ inches tall

Button: 5 inches across

Please note that this size may vary depending on the yarn and crochet hook size used.

Look at my finished piece and photos to help with placements of parts.

The 1st stitch of each round is to be worked in the same space as the starting chain.

Written in standard American Terms.

Abbreviations:

- ch – chain stitch
- st(s) – Stitch(es)
- slst- slip stitch
- sc- single crochet
- hdc- half double crochet
- dc- double crochet
- tr- treble crochet
- dtr- double treble crochet
- MR - Magic Ring
- Rnd – Round
- inc – Increase (Stitch 2 times into next st)
- sc2tog - Decrease (Stitch next 2 sc together)
- hdc2tog - Decrease (Stitch next 2 hdc together)
- dc2tog - Decrease (Stitch next 2 dc together)
- () – Number of sts to have at the end of row/round
- ** – Repeat instructions between asterisks as many times as directed or repeat at specified locations
- FO – Fasten off

Head

With beige color

- Rnd 1** Begin with a Magic Ring. Work 7 sc into the ring. Pull center tight. Join to first st with a slst, chain 1 (7)
Rnd 2 *2 sc in next st* repeat 7 times in total, join, ch 1 (14)
Rnd 3 *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next st* repeat 7 times in total, join, ch 1 (21)
Rnd 4 *1 sc in next 2 st, 2 sc in next st* repeat 7 times in total, join, FO (28)



Ears

With beige color, make 2

Ch 6, 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook, 1 dc in next 3 ch, 1 hdc + 1 slst in next ch, FO (6)



Eye

With brown color

Begin with a Magic Ring. Work 7 sc into the ring. Pull center tight. Join to first st with a slst, chain 1 (7)
Sew the eye to the head. Sew the ears to the head as pictured.



With black color embroider the eyes and mouth. For the nose make a triangle.

Hat

With red color

- Row 1** Ch 8, 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook, 1 sc in next 6 ch, turn (7)
Row 2 1 sc in next 7 st, turn (7)
Row 3 Skip 1st st, 1 sc in next 6 st, turn (6)
Row 4 1 sc in next 6 st, turn (6)
Row 5 Skip 1st st, 1 sc in next 5 st, turn (5)
Row 6 1 sc in next 5 st, turn (5)
Row 7 Skip 1st st, 1 sc in next 4 st, turn (4)
Row 8 1 sc in next 4 st, turn (4)
Row 9 Skip 1st st, 1 sc in next 3 st, turn (3)

Row 10 1 sc in next 3 st, turn (3)
Row 11 Skip 1st st, 1 sc in next 2 st, turn (2)
Row 12 1 sc in next 2 st, turn (2)
Row 13 Skip 1st st, 1 sc in next 1 st, FO (1)
 Fold it to form the hat.

Trim With white color

Chain 8, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, *1 sc in next ch, 2 sc in next ch* repeat for a total of 3 times, FO (11)

Sew the trim to the hat.

Pompon Begin with a Magic Ring. work 5 sc into the ring. Join with slst. Pull center tight. Fasten off and leave long thread to stitch the pompon to the hat (5)



Scarf With red color

Part 1 Chain 10, 1 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, *2 hdc in next ch, 1 hdc in next 2 ch* repeat 2 times in total, 2 hdc in next ch, 1 hdc + 1 slst in next ch, FO (13)

Part 2 Chain 16, 1 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, 1 hdc in next 14 ch, FO (15)
 Fold part 2 and sew it to the part 1



For 2 colors scarf, alternate white and red changing color after every stitch. Sew scarf to the head.

Button

With green color

- Rnd 1** In a MR, work 6 sc, pull center tight, join, ch 1 (6)
Rnd 2 *2 sc in next st* repeat 6 times in total, join, ch 1 (12)
Rnd 3 *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next st* repeat 6 times in total, join, ch 1 (18)
Rnd 4 *1 sc in next 2 st, 2 sc in next st* repeat 6 times in total, join, ch 1 (24)
Rnd 5 *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 2 st* repeat 8 times in total, join, ch 1 (32)
Rnd 6 *1 sc in next 2 st, 2 sc in next st* repeat 10 times in total, 1 sc in next 2 st, join, ch 1 (42)
Rnd 7 1 sc in next 42 st, join, ch 1 (42)
Rnd 8 *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 2 st* repeat 14 times in total, join, ch 1 (56)
Rnd 9 1 sc in next 56 st, join, ch 1 (56)
Rnd 10 *1 sc in next 2 st, 2 sc in next st* repeat 18 times in total, 1 sc in next 2 st, join, change to white color, ch 1 (74)
Rnd 11 1 sc in next 74 st, join, change to light green color, ch 1 (74)
Edging *1 hdc in next st, using the hdc as base chain, work 3 sc over the hdc, skip 1 st* repeat 38 times in total, FO (152)

And you're done !! Congratulations !!

This is the basic pattern, have fun making your own color combos !!



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