

# Christmas Baubles in Hayfield Bonus Glitter



**SIZE** to fit 8cm, (3in) diameter polystyrene ball

## MATERIALS

F016 Hayfield Bonus Glitter DK

### Bauble 1

Oddments of A shade 226, B shade 220, C shade 229, D shade 225, E shade 228 and F shade 227.

### Bauble 2

Oddments of A shade 227 and B shade 220.

### Bauble 3

Oddments of A shade 229, B shade 227 and C shade 225.

### Bauble 4

Oddments of A shade 220 or 225, B shade 227 or 228 and C shade 229 or 227.

You will also need 1 3.50 (UK9 – USAE/4) crochet hook.

1 8cm, (3in) diameter polystyrene ball and 20cm, (8in) length of ribbon for each bauble. Pins for attaching ribbon to ball.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**NB** These instructions use **UK** crochet terms throughout – **US** terms are given in brackets below where applicable

**ch** chain, **cm** centimetre, **dc** double crochet (US single crochet), **DK** double knitting, **g** grammes, **in** inch(es), **rep** repeat, **rnd** round(s), **sp(s)** space(s), **ss** slip stitch, **st(s)** stitch(es), **tog** together, **tr** treble (US double crochet), **yoh** yarn over hook.

**tr2tog** (yoh, insert hook into next st, yoh, draw a loop through, yoh and draw through 2 loops)

twice, yoh and draw through 3 loops.  
**tr3tog** (yoh, insert hook into next st, yoh, draw a loop through, yoh and draw through 2 loops) 3 times, yoh and draw through 4 loops.

## BAUBLE 1 (Make 2 pieces)

Using 3.50 hook and A, make a magic ring.

**1st Rnd.** 12dc into ring, pull ring to close, change to B, ss into 1st dc.

**2nd Rnd.** 3ch (3ch counts as 1tr, 1ch), \* 1tr into next dc, 1ch, rep from \* to end, change to C, ss to 1st tr. 24 sts.

**3rd Rnd.** 2ch (2ch counts as 1tr), 2tr into next 1ch sp, \* 1tr into next tr, 2tr into next 1ch sp, rep from \* to end, change to D, ss to 1st tr. 36tr.

**4th Rnd.** 2ch, tr2tog over next 2tr (2ch and tr2tog counts as tr3tog), 3ch, \* tr3tog over next 3tr, 3ch, rep from \* to end, change to E, ss to 1st tr. 48 sts.

**5th Rnd.** 1ch (1ch counts as 1dc), \* 3dc into next 3ch sp, 1dc into next tr, 2dc into next 3ch sp, 1dc into next tr, rep from \* to last 7 sts, 3dc into next 3ch sp, 1dc into next tr, 2dc into next 3ch sp, change to F, ss to 1st dc. 42dc.

**6th Rnd.** 2ch, 1tr into each dc to end, ss to 1st tr.

**7th Rnd.** 1ch, 1dc into each tr to end, ss to 1st dc. Fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Insert polystyrene ball between 2 bauble pieces. Pin 1.5cm, (1/2in) at each end of 20cm, (8in) length of ribbon to polystyrene ball then sew 2 bauble pieces together around circumference.

### BAUBLE 2 (Make 2 pieces)

Work as given for Bauble 1 working colour sequence as follows:-

**1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Rnds.** Work in A.

**5th, 6th and 7th Rnds.** Work in B.

### BAUBLE 3 (Make 2 pieces)

Work as given for Bauble 1 working colour sequence as follows:-

**1st and 2nd Rnds.** Work in A.

**3rd and 4th Rnds.** Work in B.

**5th, 6th and 7th Rnds.** Work in C.

### BAUBLE 4 (Make 2 pieces)

Using 3.50 hook and A, make a magic ring.

**1st Rnd.** 12dc into ring, pull ring to close, ss into 1st dc.

**2nd Rnd.** 3ch (3ch counts as 1tr, 1ch), \* 1tr into next dc, 1ch, rep from \* to end, ss to 1st tr. 24 sts.

**3rd Rnd.** 1ch (1ch counts as 1dc), 2dc into next 1ch sp, \* 1dc into next tr, 2dc into next 1ch sp, rep from \* to end, change to B, ss to 1st dc. 36dc.

**4th Rnd.** 5ch (5ch counts as 1dc, 4ch), miss next 2dc, \* 1dc into next dc, 4ch, miss next 2dc,

rep from \* to end, ss to 1st dc, break off yarn.

12 4ch sps.

**5th Rnd.** Using C, rejoin yarn to next 4ch sp, 1dc, 2ch, \* 1dc into next 4ch sp, 2ch, rep from \* to end, ss to 1st dc. 36 sts.

**6th Rnd.** 1ch, 2dc into next 2ch sp, \* 1dc into next dc, 2dc into next 2ch sp, rep from \* to end, change to A, ss to 1st dc. 36dc.

**7th Rnd.** 2ch (2ch counts as 1tr), 1tr into each of next 4dc, 2tr into next dc, \* 1tr into each of next 5dc, 2tr into next dc, rep from \* to end, change to B, ss to 1st tr. 42tr.

**8th Rnd.** 5ch, miss next 2tr, \* 1dc into next tr, 4ch, miss next 2tr, rep from \* to end, ss to 1st dc. Break off yarn. 14 4ch sps.

**9th Rnd.** Using C, rejoin yarn to next 4ch sp, 1dc, 2ch, \* 1dc into next 4ch sp, 2ch, rep from \* to end, ss to 1st dc. 42 sts.

**10th Rnd.** 1ch, 2dc into next 2ch sp, \* 1dc into next dc, 2dc into next 2ch sp, rep from \* to end, ss to 1st dc. 42dc. Fasten off.

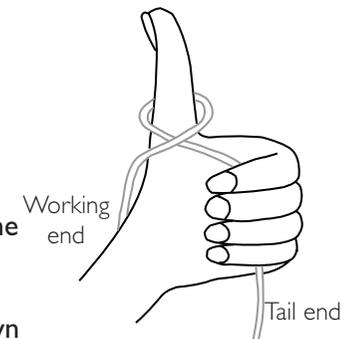
### TO MAKE UP

Work as given for To Make Up of Bauble 1.

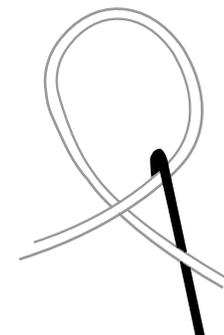
# MAGIC RING

A magic ring is made and worked into to prevent a hole being present in the middle of the work. By pulling the tail it tightens up the ring to create a centre with no hole.

Lay the tail end of yarn down across the left hand so the tail is pointing downwards. Take the working end of the yarn and wrap it around the thumb clockwise so that where the yarn crosses is facing you. Lay the working end down the back of the hand.



Take the hook and insert it under the tail end, grab the yarn and pull under the tail end to form a loop around the hook.



Yarn over with the working end of yarn and make 1ch.

Keeping the ring in place slip the ring off the thumb and hold the hook and yarn as you would to work your crochet. Insert the hook into the ring and work as many dcs as needed into the ring. Whilst holding onto the work pull the tail gently to close up the ring. This will now count as your 1st round.

