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Knitted Poppy pattern

Knit abbreviations

K: knit | P: purl | K2tog: knit 2 together | (Sll, K2tog, pss): Slip 1 purl-wise, knit 2 together, pass slip stitch over

Materials required:

- 17-20 yards of any bright poppy red worsted weight (#4) yarn and 2 yards of the same type in black (Bernat Berry or Red Heart Supersaver in Cherry Red)
- Knitting needle: size 5 mm
- Crochet hook: size 5.0 mm/J (needle or hook size may be adjusted but finished poppy should be between 4-6 inches in diameter)



With red yarn, cast on 52 stitches.

Work the next 8 rows as follows:

Right side: *K10, p3* repeat from * to * to end.

Wrong side: *K3, P10* repeat from * to * to end. Cut red yarn.

Change to black yarn tying to red at needle.

Next row: K2 tog across.

Next row: P across.

Next row: *(Sll, K2tog, pss)* repeat from * to* across to last 2 sts. K2 tog.

Cut yarn and thread through the last stitches with a darning needle. Pull tight while removing from needle.

Sew sides up with black, then with red. There should be no seams showing.

Knitting pattern designed by Susan Simms

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Crocheted Poppy pattern

Crochet abbreviations: Ch: chain(s) | Dc: double crochet | Sc = single crochet | Sl st = slip stitch | (12) = indicates number of stitches at end of round

Materials required:

- 17-20 yards of any bright poppy red worsted weight (#4) yarn and 2 yards of the same type in black (Bernat Berry or Red Heart Supersaver in Cherry Red)
- Knitting needle: size 5 mm
- Crochet hook: size 5.0 mm/J (needle or hook size may be adjusted but finished poppy should be between 4-6 inches in diameter)



Row 1: With black, Ch 3, do not join. Do 11 dc into the last chain from hook. Sl st into top of Ch 3 (counts as dc). Ch 1 and pull yarn through.

Row 2: Change to red. Join to the top of any of black dc. Ch 3, work in 1 dc in same st. Work 2 dc into each dc across making sure you do not create an extra stitch out of the join from the black row. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. You have 24 dc in total. Do not turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, work 1 dc in same stitch. Work 2 dc in each of the next 3 dc, (8 dc group) *sc into each of the next 2 dc, 2 dc in each of the next 4 dc*. Repeat from * to * ending with the 2 sc and joining with a sl st into the Ch 3 at the beginning of the row. 4 sets of (8 dc + 2 sc). Do not turn.

Row 4: Ch 3, work 1 dc in same stitch. Work 2 dc into each of the next 7 dc, *sl st between the 2 sc of the previous row. Work 2 dc in each of the next 8 dc*. Repeat from * to * 3 times. Sl st between the sc of the previous row. Sl st to the top of sc 3. 4 sets of 16 dc with sl st between. Pull yarn through loop and cut to tie off.

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