

crochet a hand



Tutorial for the community project

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Abbreviations US/UK

st = stitch

sc/dc = single crochet/double crochet

ch = chain stitch

dc/tr = double crochet/treble

sl st = slip stitch

rep = repeat from * to *

() = everything in between brackets is crocheted into one stitch of pervious round

Materials

Wool/Yarn (grab some leftover yarn from your stash)

best for Yarnbombing is acrylic yarn, especially for outdoor projects

crochet hook (size depends on your choice of yarn)

darning needle

scissors

Following the Tutorial for the peace symbols, crochet in the round to form a circle, but one round less then for the peace symbols

Start: Beginn with a slip knot. Crochet 8 st into a magic ring (magic ring/ picture 2 to 5); by pulling the Yarn's tail, form a ring, pull tight. To end the round, join with a sl st. (8 st in total)

Round 1: ch 2 in sl st/first st of the previous round, dc/tr 1 in same st; then 2 dc/tr in each of the following st, join with 1 sl st. (16 st)

Round 2: ch 2 in sl st/first st of the previous round, dc/tr 1 in same st, then *dc/tr 1, (2 dc/tr)*; rep from * to * to last st, join with 1 sl st. (24 st)



Don't cut yarn after this round, continue with first Finger (pinkie)

Pinkie: ch 2, dc/tr 3, turn (picture 1); rep this row 3 times (= 4 rows of dc/tr); last row: sc/dc 1 into 2nd dc/tr (=skip one st), sc/dc 1 into last st (= - 2st), cut yarn (picture 2).

picture 1

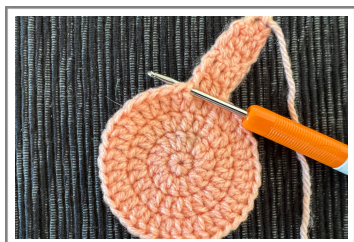


picture 2



Ring finger: Join yarn to last dc/tr of the first row of the pinkie (picture 1 und 2), then ch 2, dc/tr 3, turn (picture 2); rep this row 4 more times; last row: sc/dc 1 into 2nd dc/tr, sc/dc 1 into last dc/tr (= -2 st), cut yarn. (picture 3).

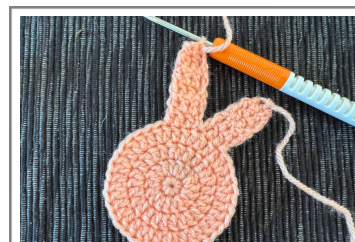
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picture 2



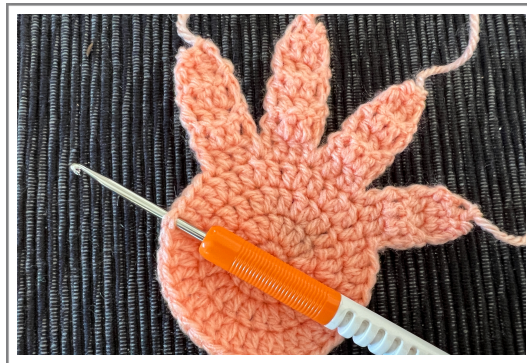
picture 3



Middle finger: Join yarn to last dc/tr of the first row of the ring finger (just like you did for ring finger), then ch 2, dc/tr 3, turn; rep this row 5 more times; last row: sc/dc 1 into 2nd dc/tr, sc/dc 1 into last dc/tr (= -2 st), cut yarn.

Index finger: Join yarn to last dc/tr of the first row of the middle finger, then ch 2, dc/tr 3, turn; rep this row 4 more times; last row: sc/dc 1 into 2nd dc/tr, sc/dc 1 into last dc/tr (= -2 st), cut yarn.

Thumb: For the thumb, counterclockwise skip 3 st of the last round of the palm of the hand, join yarn into 4th st (see picture below). Ch 2, dc/tr 3, turn; rep this row 2 more times. Last row: sc/dc 1 into 2nd dc/tr, sc/dc 1 into last dc/tr (= -2 st), cut yarn.



Weave in all yarn ends. You can leave your crocheted Hand open or bend pinkie, ring finger and thumb inwards to form a gesture known as a symbol for victory or peace around the world.

