

ROCHET TUTORIAL FLOWER MEDALLION POT HOLDER

A beautiful flower medallion with layered petals, lacy rounds and a scalloped edge. Perfect as a potholder, trivet or wall decor.

ABBREVIATIONS (US TERMS)

ch — chain
sl st — slip stitch
sc — single crochet
hdc — half double crochet
dc — double crochet
tr — treble (triple crochet)
dc2tog — double crochet 2 together
sc2tog — single crochet 2 together
sp — space
... — repeat instructions
() — total stitches in round



FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 7.5 inches
(19 cm) in diameter

MATERIALS

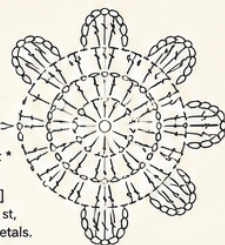
- Worsted Weight Cotton Yarn (4 colors)
 - Color A (Flower): Mustard
 - Color B (Leaves): Green
 - Color C (Inner & Lace): Cream
 - Color D (Edge & Loop): Mustard
- 4.0 mm (G/6) Crochet Hook
- Yarn Needle
- Scissors

STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS

1 CENTER FLOWER (Color A)



R1: ch 4, sl st to first ch to form a ring.
R2: ch 1, 10 sc in ring. (10)
R3: ch 1, * 2 sc in next st * repeat around. (20)
R4: ch 1, * sc, 2 sc in next st * repeat around. (30)
R5: ch 1, [hdc, dc, hdc, sl st] in next st (petal), sl st in next st, repeat around to make 10 petals. Fasten off.



2 LEAVES (Color B)



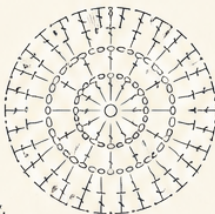
Make 6 leaves.
Ch 7.
Row 1: sc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc, dc, hdc, sc, sl st. (6 sts)
Row 2: ch 1, sl st in same st, sc, hdc, 2 dc, hdc, sc, sl st.
Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing.



3 INNER CIRCLE (Color C)



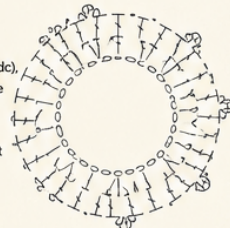
R1: With Color C, join with sl st behind any petal.
Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each st around. (30)
R2: ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same st, dc in next 2 sts, * [dc, ch 1, dc] in next st, dc in next 3 sts *, repeat around. (10 ch-1 spaces)
Join with sl st.



4 LACE ROUND (Color C)



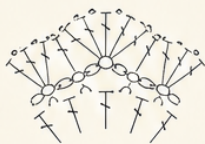
R1: Sl st into any ch-1 space, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in same space (corner made). * ch 3, skip next 3 dc, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 space * repeat around.
Join with sl st.



5 SCALLOPED EDGE (Color D)



R1: Join Color D in any ch-3 space.
* sc in next 3 dc, hdc in next ch-3 space, (dc, tr, dc) in same space, hdc in next ch-3 space * repeat around.
Join with sl st.



6 HANGING LOOP (Color D)



Ch 20.
Sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across.
Sl st into top center of scallop.
Weave in all ends and block lightly.



STITCH GUIDE (US TERMS)

ch	sl st	sc	hdc	dc	tr	dc2tog	sc2tog
Yarn over, pull through loop.	Insert hook, yarn over, pull through both loops.	Insert hook, yarn over, pull up loop, yarn over, pull through both loops.	Yarn over, insert hook, yarn over, pull up loop, yarn over, pull through 2 loops.	Yarn over, insert hook, yarn over, pull up loop, yarn over, pull through 2 loops.	Yarn over twice, insert hook, yarn over, pull up loop, yarn over, pull through 2 loops.	Yarn over, insert hook in next st, yarn over, pull up loop (3 loops on hook), yarn over, pull through all 3 loops.	Insert hook in next st, yarn over, pull up loop, insert hook in next st, yarn over, pull up loop (3 loops on hook), yarn over, pull through all 3 loops.

CHART LEGEND

- = chain (ch)
- = slip stitch (sl st)
- +
- † = single crochet (sc)
- † = half double crochet (hdc)
- † = double crochet (dc)
- † = treble crochet (tr)
- ↶ = work in same stitch
- Λ = 2 stitches together (dc2tog/sc2tog)
- () = chain space (ch-sp)

TIPS

Use cotton yarn for best stitch definition and durability.
Block gently to open the lace pattern and even the shape.



CARE

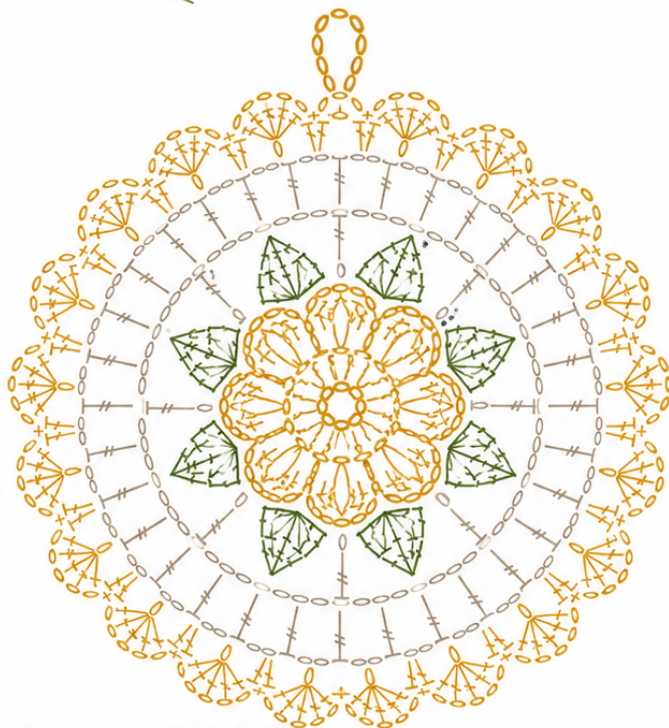
Hand wash, lay flat to dry.
Do not bleach.

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CROCHET FLOWER MEDALLION

DIAGRAM, STITCH GUIDE & HOOKS



STITCH KEY (US TERMS)

- Chain (ch)
- Slip Stitch (sl st)
- + Single Crochet (sc)
- T Double Crochet (dc)
- T Treble Crochet (tr)
- T Double Treble Crochet (dtr)
- Puff Stitch (puff st)
- ⌵ 5 Double Crochet Cluster (5-dc cluster)

COLOR GUIDE

- Mustard Yellow (Flower & Border)
- Green (Leaves)
- Cream / Off White (Rounds)

ROUND BY ROUND INSTRUCTIONS

- 1 **Center (Flower):**
Ch 4, join with sl st to form a ring.
Ch 1, 12 sc in ring. Join with sl st. (12 sc)
- 2 **Flower Petals (Puff Stitch):**
Ch 1, * 1 puff st, ch 1 * repeat around.
Join with sl st. (12 puff sts, 12 ch-1 spaces)
- 3 **Flower Petals (2nd Round):**
Ch 1, * 5 dc in next ch-1 space * repeat around.
Join with sl st. (60 dc)
- 4 **Leaves:**
Ch 1, * sc in next st, hdc in next st, dc in next st,
tr in next st, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next st *
(leaf made over 7 sts), sl st in next st. Repeat around.
(8 leaves)
- 5 **Round (Open Mesh):**
Ch 1, * sc in next st, ch 3, skip 2 sts * repeat around.
Join with sl st.
- 6 **Round (Double Crochet):**
Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same space,
* dc in next ch-3 space, ch 1 * repeat around.
Join with sl st.
- 7 **Round (Clusters):**
Ch 1, * 5-dc cluster in next ch-1 space,
ch 1 * repeat around. Join with sl st.
- 8 **Scalloped Border:**
Ch 1, * 5 dc in next ch-1 space, sl st in next ch-1 space *
repeat around. Fasten off and weave in ends.

HOOK SUGGESTION

For fine thread / lace weight
1.75 mm – 2.0 mm



For sport / DK weight
2.5 mm – 3.0 mm



For worsted / aran weight
3.5 mm – 4.0 mm



FINISHED SIZE (approx.)



4.5 – 5.5 inches (11 – 14 cm)
(depends on yarn weight and hook size)

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Flower Medallion Pot Holder Crochet Tutorial

Create a beautiful Flower Medallion Pot Holder featuring a layered crochet flower, realistic leaves, an elegant lace center, a scalloped border, and a practical hanging loop. This project works perfectly as a pot holder, hot pad, trivet, kitchen decoration, or wall hanging.

This tutorial is written using US Crochet Terms and follows the structure shown in the original chart while expanding every step with detailed explanations, making it easy for beginners and intermediate crocheters to complete successfully.



Skill Level: Intermediate



Finished Size: Approximately 7.5 inches (19 cm) in diameter

Materials

You'll need the following supplies:

- **Worsted Weight Cotton Yarn**
 - **Color A – Mustard (Flower)**
 - **Color B – Green (Leaves)**
 - **Color C – Cream (Inner Circle & Lace)**
 - **Color D – Mustard (Scalloped Border & Hanging Loop)**
- **4.0 mm (G/6) Crochet Hook**
- **Yarn Needle**
- **Sharp Scissors**
- **Stitch Markers (optional)**

Crochet Abbreviations (US Terms)

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- **dc – double crochet**
- **tr – treble crochet**
- **dc2tog – double crochet two together**
- **sc2tog – single crochet two together**
- **sp – space**
- **rep – repeat**
- **st – stitch**
- **rnd – round**

Before You Begin

This project is built in separate pieces:

- 1. Crochet the flower.**
- 2. Crochet six leaves.**
- 3. Crochet the inner circle.**
- 4. Attach the flower and leaves.**
- 5. Crochet the decorative lace round.**
- 6. Add the scalloped edge.**
- 7. Finish with the hanging loop.**

Blocking the finished project will greatly improve the appearance of the lace.

Step 1 – Crochet the Center Flower (Color A)

Round 1

Chain 4.

Join with a slip stitch into the first chain to create a ring.

Chain 1.

Work 10 single crochet into the ring.

Join with a slip stitch.

Total: 10 stitches

Round 2

Chain 1.

Work 2 single crochet into every stitch around.

Join with a slip stitch.

You should now have 20 stitches.

Round 3

Create the first layer of petals.

Repeat around:

- **Slip stitch into next stitch.**
- **Chain 2.**
- **Work 2 single crochet into the next stitch.**
- **Chain 2.**
- **Slip stitch into the following stitch.**

Continue around until petals are evenly distributed.

Join with a slip stitch.

Round 4

Work behind the first layer of petals.

Repeat:

- **Chain 1.**
- **Single crochet.**
- **Two single crochet in the next stitch.**

Continue evenly around.

Join with a slip stitch.

Round 5

Create the outer flower petals.

In each petal work:

- **1 half double crochet**
- **1 double crochet**
- **1 half double crochet**
- **1 slip stitch**

Repeat around until you have 10 beautiful rounded petals.

Fasten off.

Your flower should now have two distinct layers with a dimensional appearance.

 **Set the flower aside.**

Step 2 – Crochet Six Leaves (Color B)

You will make 6 identical leaves.

Foundation

Chain 7.

Row 1

Starting in the second chain from the hook, work:

- **1 single crochet**
- **1 half double crochet**
- **2 double crochet**
- **1 half double crochet**
- **1 single crochet**

At the tip of the leaf, chain 1.

Continue working along the opposite side of the foundation chain using the same stitch pattern.

Slip stitch into the starting stitch.

Row 2

Continue shaping the leaf.

Work:

- **Single crochet**
- **Half double crochet**
- **Double crochet**
- **Increase at the center**

- Double crochet
- Half double crochet
- Single crochet

Keep both sides symmetrical.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail for sewing.

Repeat until six leaves are completed.

 Set the leaves aside.

Step 3 – Crochet the Inner Circle (Color C)

This section forms the lace background of the project.

Round 1

Join Color C.

Work into the center.

Chain 1.

Single crochet evenly around.

Join with a slip stitch.

Round 2

Chain 3.

Work double crochet around while spacing stitches evenly.

Join.

Round 3

Continue increasing.

Repeat:

- **Double crochet**
- **Double crochet**
- **Two double crochet in the next stitch**

Maintain a perfectly flat circle.

Round 4

Create chain spaces.

Repeat around:

- **Chain 1**
- **Skip one stitch**
- **Double crochet**

Continue evenly.

Join with a slip stitch.

Your circle should remain flat without curling.

Step 4 – Attach the Leaves and Flower

Lay the six leaves evenly around the center.

The pointed tips should face outward.

Arrange them equally around the circle.

Place the flower directly over the center.

Using the yarn tails and a yarn needle:

- **Sew each leaf securely.**
- **Sew the flower on top.**
- **Hide all yarn tails underneath.**

Take your time arranging the pieces.

A symmetrical layout creates the professional appearance shown in the tutorial.



At this stage, your medallion should already resemble a blooming flower.

Step 5 – Crochet the Lace Round (Color C)

Join Color C into any chain space.

Round 1

Repeat around:

- **Slip stitch into chain space**
- **Chain 3**
- **Three double crochet**
- **Chain 1**
- **Three double crochet**

Skip to the next chain space.

Repeat around the entire circle.

Join with a slip stitch.

This creates the decorative lace framing the flower.

Keep your tension loose so the lace opens beautifully after blocking.

Step 6 – Crochet the Scalloped Edge (Color D)

Join Color D.

Work into every chain space around.

Repeat:

- **Single crochet**
- **Three double crochet**
- **Half double crochet**
- **Three double crochet**
- **Single crochet**

Move to the next chain space.

Repeat around the entire edge.

Each repeat forms one rounded shell.

Continue until the circle is complete.

Join with a slip stitch.

The finished border should create full, rounded scallops all around the potholder.

✨ This decorative edging gives the project its signature flower-like silhouette.

Step 7 – Crochet the Hanging Loop (Color D)

Without fastening off after the border:

Chain 20.

Working back along the chain:

Slip stitch into the second chain from the hook.

Continue making slip stitches across all remaining chains.

Attach the loop securely to the top center scallop using a slip stitch.

Fasten off.

Weave in all remaining yarn ends carefully.

Final Finishing

Weave every loose end into the back of the work.

Trim excess yarn.

Lightly steam or wet block the potholder.

Shape every scallop evenly.

Open the lace gently using your fingers or blocking pins.

Allow the project to dry completely before use.

Stitch Guide (US Terms)

Chain (ch)

Yarn over and pull through the loop on the hook.

Slip Stitch (sl st)

Insert the hook into the stitch, yarn over, and pull through both the stitch and the loop on the hook.

Single Crochet (sc)

Insert hook, yarn over, pull up a loop, yarn over, pull through both loops.

Half Double Crochet (hdc)

Yarn over, insert hook, pull up a loop, yarn over, pull through all three loops.

Double Crochet (dc)

Yarn over, insert hook, pull up a loop, yarn over, pull through two loops, yarn over, pull through the remaining two loops.

Treble Crochet (tr)

Yarn over twice before inserting the hook, then complete the stitch by pulling through two loops at a time until one loop remains.

Double Crochet Two Together (dc2tog)

Work two unfinished double crochet stitches and complete them together.

Single Crochet Two Together (sc2tog)

Insert the hook into two consecutive stitches and complete them as one single crochet.

Helpful Tips

- Use 100% cotton yarn for a heat-resistant potholder.
- Maintain even tension throughout the project.
- Count your stitches at the end of every round.
- Block the finished piece to fully open the lace design.
- Sew the flower and leaves securely if the potholder will be used frequently.
- Avoid acrylic yarn if the potholder will come into contact with hot cookware.

Care Instructions

- Hand wash in cool or lukewarm water.
- Lay flat to dry.
- Do not bleach.
- Reshape while damp.
- Light steam blocking may be used if necessary.

Finished Project

When completed, your Flower Medallion Pot Holder will feature:

-  A dimensional layered flower

- 🌿 Six realistic crochet leaves
- 💎 Elegant lace center
- 🌸 Decorative scalloped border
- 🪝 Built-in hanging loop
- 🍴 Perfect size for use as a potholder, hot pad, trivet, or decorative wall hanging

Enjoy your handmade creation and happy crocheting! 🧶💛