



## Christmas Tree Pattern

*Another Pixie Purrfect Pattern*

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This tree is created as one piece and then stuffed to keep it rigid and upright. You can decorate it or create a different look with your imagination.

This tree will make a centerpiece for your Christmas table or just a nice decoration for your house or office. It stands at five inches tall and two inches in diameter at the base.

The decorated version is adorned with pearl ended pins stuck in, but if you have children around you may want to sew or glue the beads on.

Glitter can be glued on the peaks of branches to simulate snow.

### **YOU WILL NEED**

- 3.5mm (E/4) Crochet Hook
- Color A: Bernat Softee Chunky in Med. Sea Green (CA)
- Sequins (optional)
- Sequin Star (optional)
- Beads (optional)
- Pearl ended stick pins (optional)
- Glitter (optional)
- Glue: Unique Hi Tak (dries clear)- to secure beads, sequins or glitter
- Stitch Marker or contrasting yarn to mark rows
- Stuffing: Fiberfill or desired stuffing material
- Hemostat or other stuffing tool
- Wool Needle or Large Tapestry Needle for sewing the pieces together.
- Scissors
- Size: 5" tall and 2.5" wide at base.

## ABBREVIATIONS

CA = Color A

ch = chain

dc = double crochet (UK treble crochet)

dc2tog = double crochet 2 stitches  
together (decrease)

hdc = half double crochet

hdc2tog = half double crochet 2 stitches  
together (decrease)

MC = Magic Circle

mm = millimeter(s)

p/u = pick-up

sc = single crochet (UK double crochet)

sc2tog = single crochet 2 stitches  
together (decrease)

sk = skip

sl st = slip stitch (UK single crochet)

st = stitch(es)

## STITCHES USED

**Single Crochet (sc)** = Insert hook in stitch, yarn over hook and pull through (2 loops on hook). Yarn over and pull through 2 loops.

**Magic Circle (MC) or Adjustable Ring** = Wrap yarn around 3 fingers making a loop with the loose end under the working yarn, with hook reach under the loose yarn (above where the yarns cross) and pull the working yarn through and chain 1 stitch (1 loop on hook). Working around the yarn held by the chain stitch, single crochet the number of stitches called for in the pattern. For an MC of 6, you would crochet 6 single crochet stitches around the starting loop. Then pull the loose end of the yarn tight and you have made your Magic Circle.

## NOTES:

Do not join rounds unless otherwise indicated.

Use a yarn marker or contrasting yarn to mark rows.

Keep crochet stitches close together so the stuffing will not show when finished.

The number in brackets (#) at the end of the row is the number of stitches you should have in that row.

## PATTERN DIRECTIONS

### **TREE** (Using 3.5mm hook)

1. In CA, MC of 3 or (Ch 2 and in 2nd ch from hook 3sc in st) (3)
2. 2 sc in each st. (6)
3. 2 sc in each st. (12)
4. \*1 sc in st, 3 sc in st\* repeat from \* to \* around. (24)
5. \*1 sc in st, sk 3\* repeat from \* to \* around. (6)
6. 2 sc in each st. (12)
7. 2 sc in each st. (24)
8. \*1 sc in 2 st, 3 sc in st\* repeat from \* to \* around. (48)
9. \*1 sc in st, sk 5\* repeat from \* to \* around. (6)
10. 2 sc in each st. (12)
11. 2 sc in each st. (24)
12. 1 sc in each st. (24)
13. \*1 sc in st, 3 sc in st\* repeat from \* to \* around. (48)
14. \*1 sc in st, sk 6\* repeat from \* to \* around. (6)
15. 2 sc in each st. (12)
16. 2 sc in each st. (24)
17. 2 sc in each st. (48)
18. \*1 sc in st, 3 sc in st\* repeat from \* to \* around. (96)
19. \*1 sc in st, sk 8\* repeat from \* to \* around. (12)
20. 2 sc in each st. (24)
21. 2 sc in each st. (48)
22. 2 sc in each st. (96)
23. 1 sc in each st. (96)
23. \*1 sc in st, 3 sc in st\* repeat from \* to \* around. (192)
24. \*1 sc in st, sk 11\* repeat from \* to \* around. (16) and fasten off with long tail for closing bottom.



### **Assembling the Christmas Tree:**

Stuff the Christmas Tree firmly with fiberfill.

Using the fastening off tail, sew the bottom of the Tree closed by weaving the tail through the stitches around the bottom of the Tree hole and pulling it closed. Over sew the bottom to keep the bottom of the tree closed.



### DECORATIONS

Sew or glue sequins or beads on tree for decorations.

Alternatively, push colored pearl ended stick pins into the tree at the bottom of the branch ends. Cut the stick pin in half with wire cutters for the top row.

For Star at the top, glue or double-sided tape the two star shaped sequins and put a pin in the middle or glue in place at the top of the tree.

If you want to, glitter can be glued on the peaks of branches to simulate snow.

Now your little Christmas Tree is ready to display.

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