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Christmas Present Pattern

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This is a PixieKitten Free Pattern for this beautiful little gift package.

This is a delightful little piece that can be used in a display or as an ornament. This is two and a quarter inches wide by three and a quarter inches long

This is a very festive Christmas item and can be used as a gift tag or just as an ornament or decoration.

YOU WILL NEED

- 3.5mm (E/4) Crochet Hook
- Color A: Paton's Astra in Cardinal (CA)
- Color B: Paton's Astra in White (CB)
- 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: 2.25" wide and 3.25" long.

ABBREVIATIONS

CA = Color A

CB = Color B

ch = chain

dc = double crochet (UK treble crochet)

hdc = half double crochet

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.

Single Crochet 2 together (sc2tog) = Insert hook in stitch, yarn over hook and pull through and insert hook in next st, yarn over and pull through (3 loops on hook). Yarn over and pull through all 3 loops. (**Decrease 1 stitch**)

NOTES

Do not join rounds unless otherwise indicated.

Use a yarn marker or contrasting yarn to mark rows.

Stuff the piece lightly or it will be a ball.

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

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

PATTERN DIRECTIONS

PRESENT (TOP/BOTTOM) (Make 2) (Using 3.5mm hook)

1. In CA, Ch 11, in 2nd ch from hook, 1 sc in st, ch 1 to turn. (10)
- 2-14. 1 sc in each st, ch 1 to turn (10)
15. 1 sc in each st and fasten off with long tail for sewing pieces together.



PRESENT (SIDES) (Make 2) (Using 3.5mm hook)

1. In CA, Ch 17, in second ch from hook, 1 sc in each st, ch 1 to turn. (16)
- 2-4. 1 sc in each st, ch 1 to turn (16)
5. 1 sc in each st and fasten off with long tail for sewing pieces together.

PRESENT (ENDS) (Make 2) (Using 3.5mm hook)

1. In CA, Ch 11, in second ch from hook, 1 sc in each st, ch 1 to turn. (10)
- 2-4. 1 sc in each st, ch 1 to turn (10)
5. 1 sc in each st and fasten off with long tail for sewing pieces together.

Assembling the Present:

Using the fastening off tail, sew the side to the Bottom, all the way down the side, making sure to make the edges very square, repeat with the other side. Then, using the fastening off tail, sew the end to the Bottom, all the way down the end, making sure to make the edges very square.

Using the fastening off tails, sew up the corners of the sides; again making sure to keep the corners very square.

Then, using the fastening off tail, sew the Top onto three sides on the edge, again making sure to keep the edges very square. Leave one end open for stuffing.

Stuff the Present lightly with fiberfill (otherwise you will have a ball instead of a square box) and sew the open end closed and weave in all the tails.

**BOW** (Make 2) (Using 3.5mm hook)

1. In CB, Ch 5, in 2nd ch from hook, 1 sc in each st, ch 1 to turn. (4)
2. 1 sc in each st, ch 1 to turn. (4)
3. 1 sc in st, sc2tog, 1 sc in st, ch 1 to turn. (3)
4. Sc2tog, 1 sc in st, ch 1 to turn. (2)
5. Sc2tog, ch 1 to turn. (1)
6. 1 sc in each st (1) and fasten off with long tail for sewing pieces together.

TAILS (Make 2) (Using 3.5mm hook)

1. In CB, Ch 8 (8)
2. Start in second ch from hook, 2 sc in second ch. 1 sc in third ch and ch 1, 1 sc in fourth chain, 1 sc in fifth st, 1sl st in sixth ch, and fasten off with long tail for sewing.

Assembling the Bow:

Attach the two narrow ends of the Bow pieces together and sew down the narrow ends to secure the two pieces together. Then make sure the fastening off tails are in the back of the Bow. This makes the top part of the bow.

Next, take the Tails and pin them to the back of the Bow top, making them different lengths and putting them at different angles to make them look like a real bow. Once you are happy with their placement, sew them to secure them in place. Using the fastening off tail, sew the top of each tail to the back of the Bow.

This completes the Bow and now it is ready to put it on the Present.

RIBBON (Using 3.5mm hook)

1. In CB, Ch 75 and fasten off with a long tail for sewing.

ASSEMBLING

Wrap the ribbon around the present like you would a real present, Lay the Present over the middle of the Ribbon. Wrap the ribbon over the Present. Next, make a half knot and take the tails and wrap around the other side of the Present. Taking the fastening off tails, weave them into the body of the Present or tie in a knot and clip the ends.

Take the fastening off tails and attach the bow to one side of the Present (cover the knot of the Ribbon.) Sew the Bow to the center of the Present, securing it by stitching through the Present body and weaving the ends in and clip them.

Now your Present is ready to use. Display as a decoration or use as a gift tag or just hang it on your Christmas Tree with an ornament hanger or opened out paper clip.



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