



Frida heart by essiebirdies



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Materials:

**You can use any kind of yarn and suitable hook for the pattern.
I used Durable Coral cotton and hook size 2,5 mm.**

- needle and scissors

Size: using the yarn and hook I used the size of the heart is: 8 x 8,5 cm.

Abbreviations (US):

Sc single crochet
Sl st slipstitch
St (s) stitch(es)
Ch chain
R row
Dc double crochet
Hdc half double crochet
Tr treble crochet
Inc increase

Pattern:

Make 2 hearts: (see photos below)

R1: Ch8, start in second ch from the hook; 7sc

R2- 7: turn, ch1, sc7

R8: turn, 7tr in the middle st of R7 (first bump), sl st in next corner st

R9: in middle st of next side; 7tr (second bump), sl st in next corner st

R10: ch3, 6dc along this side, point: 1dc, 1tr, 1dc, on next side; 7dc

R11: crochet along the bump; 2dc in next 6 tr stitches, in the last tr of the bump: hdc and sc

R12: in the next bump: (sc, hdc) in first tr, 2dc in each of the next 6 tr. Close with sl st in first dc

Make a second heart

Frida head:

Use a skin color; ch4, sl st in first ch to form a ring

R1: 10hdc in the ring

R2: ch2 *2hdc in next st* repeat, 1 hdc in last st where R started (20 hdc)

R3: ch2, 2hdc in next st, *1hdc in next st, 2hdc in next st*, repeat *, sl st in first st (30hdc)

R4 change color to black; ch2, (1hdc, 2hdc)5x, 1hdc, sl st in first st, fasten off

Now embroider the eyebrows and eyes with some black yarn and mouth with some red yarn

Crochet little roses to decorate the head and add some French knots in different colors

Rose:

Ch8, sc, hdc in first ch. 2hdc in every st, 1hdc in last st

Fasten off and fold into a rose shape. Sew to the head

Assembling:

Sew or glue the head on the heart.

Place the two hearts on top of each other. Attach yarn in the middle st of the two hearts and ch10, sl st in the same middle st (this forms a loop) *ch4, skip next st, sl st in next st* repeat around the whole piece. Fasten off and sew the ends.

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