

Crochet magnetic leaf

The discovery of magnets has improved many of my crochet items - it is so much more fun to make, when you can easily stick it on to something, or together with other crochet items. It is also useful to make baby toys out of.

What has worked really well is this leaf, with a SALE-004 for these, but you will probably be able to use other, preferably smaller so the stalk will become thinner, but not less than 1,5kg.

If you would like to learn how to crochet, I can recommend looking at youtube videos, it is very easy.



How to make a crochet leaf

Tools

What you need is:

Cotton yarn, steel wire, crochet hook size 3, side-cutting nipper, needle, pair of scissors, tape and a magnet SALE – 004 1,5 kg

1. Step

- Cut the steel wire and fold it at the middle approximately 13 cm long.
- Make 24 chain stitches



2. Step

- Now we start making one side of the leaf. Make one single crochet into the second chain stitch.
- Make 2 half double crochet into the next two chain stitches
- Make 2 double crochet into the next two chain stitches



3. Step

- Make 4 double double crochet into the next 4 chain stitches
- Make 2 double crochet into the next two chain stitches
- Make 2 half double crochet into the next two chain stitches



4. Step

- Make single crochet stitches around the last bit of what will become the stalk.
- Turn it around to the back



5. Step

- Work your way back. This is going to be a small pocket for the magnet, so you will not be able to see it.



6. Step

- Make a single crochet stitch in the stitch at the corner of the pocket.
- Turn the leaf around to the front



7. Step

- Make the other side of the leaf, following step 2 and 3

8. Step

- Now the leaf is done. Cut the yarn, you will need 20 cm. to sew.

8. Step

- Tape the steel wire on to the magnet.
- Carefully put the wire underneath the top of the pocket so the magnet lies within the open pocket.
- Sow the wire on the back of the leaf and close the pocket around the magnet.

Complete

Now the leaf is complete, and you can stick it on to whatever you would like. The wire inside the leaf makes it bendable so you can have many different shapes and variations.

Get inspired to crochet magnets into other things as well!

