# Crochet Christmas Ornament Balls 

## Yarn

Red Heart, Heart \& Sole, 187 yds
MC - Berry Bliss
This yarn has been discontinued.
This pattern has 5 sizes of plastic ornament balls. 1.5" dia. 2" dia. 2.5" dia. 2.75 dia. \& 3.25 " dia. These are sizes I found at my local dollar store.

This project is created in 4 sections. This project is completed in continuous rounds. Use stitch marker to record the rounds to make it easier to follow.

Abbreviations<br>Approx = Approximate(ly)<br>Beg $=$ Begin(ning)<br>Ch = Chain(s)<br>SI St = Slip Stitch<br>Sts = Stitches<br>Tog = Together<br>Dec-Decrease<br>Rep $=$ Repeat<br>Sc = Single Crochet

## Ball 1.5" Dia.

Make adjustable or magic ring.
Rnd $1: 6 \mathrm{sc}$ into the adjustable ring. Pull ring closed to form circle. Mark the 6th with a st marker. You will be working in a continuous circle to avoid any slip stitching lines from appearing. Every time you get to the st marker, move it up to indicate your last st in each round. (see video tutorial)
Rnd 2: Beg with first available st, 2 sc in each around.
Rnd 3: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next. Rep * around.
Rnd 4: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 5: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 6: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 7: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 8: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 9: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around.

Insert ball.
Rnd 10: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 1 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 11: 2 tog dec increase all the way around. Fasten off and collect all remaining sts and pull tight to secure it around the neck of the ball.

## Ball 2.0" Dia.

Make adjustable or magic ring.
Rnd 1: 6 sc into the adjustable ring. Pull ring closed to form circle. Mark the 6th with a st marker. You will be working in a continuous circle to avoid any slip stitching lines from appearing. Every time you get to the st marker, move it up to indicate your last st in each round. (see video tutorial)
Rnd 2: Beg with first available st, 2 sc in each around.
Rnd 3: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next. Rep * around.
Rnd 4: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 5: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 6: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 7: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 8: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 9: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 10: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 11: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 12: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 13: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around.

Insert ball.
Rnd 14: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 15: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 16: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 1 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 17: 2 tog dec increase all the way around. Fasten off and collect all remaining sts and pull tight to secure it around the neck of the ball.

Ball 2.5" Dia.
Make adjustable or magic ring.
Rnd 1: 6 sc into the adjustable ring. Pull ring closed to form circle. Mark the 6th with a st marker. You will be working in a continuous circle to avoid any slip stitching lines from appearing. Every time you get to the st marker, move it up to indicate your last st in each round. (see video tutorial)
Rnd 2: Beg with first available st, 2 sc in each around. Rnd 3: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next. Rep * around.
Rnd 4: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 5: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 6: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 7: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 8: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 6 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 9: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 7 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 10: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnds 11-13: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 14: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 7 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 15: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 6 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 16: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 17: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around.

## Insert ball.

Rnd 18: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 19: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 20: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 1 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 21: 2 tog dec increase all the way around.Fasten off and collect all remaining sts and pull tight to secure it around the neck of the ball.

## Ball 2.75" Dia.

Make adjustable or magic ring.
Rnd 1: 6 sc into the adjustable ring. Pull ring closed to form circle. Mark the 6th with a st marker. You will be working in a continuous circle to avoid any slip stitching lines from appearing. Every time you get to the st marker, move it up to indicate your last st in each round. (see video tutorial)
Rnd 2: Beg with first available st, 2 sc in each around. Rnd 3: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next. Rep * around.
Rnd 4: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 5: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 6: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 7: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 8: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 6 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 9: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 7 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 10: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 8 sts. Rep * around.
Rnds 11-15: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 16: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 8 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 17: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 7 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 18: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 6 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 19: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around.

Insert ball.
Rnd 20: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 21: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 22: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 23: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 1 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 24: 2 tog dec increase all the way around. Fasten off and collect all remaining sts and pull tight to secure it around the neck of the ball.

### 3.25" Ball Dia.

Make adjustable or magic ring.
Rnd 1: 6 sc into the adjustable ring. Pull ring closed to form circle. Mark the 6th with a st marker. You will be working in a continuous circle to avoid any slip stitching lines from appearing. Every time you get to the st marker, move it up to indicate your last st in each round. (see video tutorial)
Rnd 2: Beg with first available st, 2 sc in each around.
Rnd 3: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next. Rep * around.
Rnd 4: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 5: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 6: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 7: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 8: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 6 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 9: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 7 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 10: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 8 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 11: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 9 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 12: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc into next 10 sts. Rep * around.
Rnds 13-15: 1 sc into each st around.
Rnd 16: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 10 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 17: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 9 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 18: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 8 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 19: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 7 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 20: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 6 sts. Rep * around.

Insert ball.
Rnd 21: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 5 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 22: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 4 sts. Rep * around.
Rnd 23: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 3 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 24: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 2 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 25: *2 tog dec, 1 sc into next 1 sts. Rep * around. Rnd 26: 2 tog dec increase all the way around. Fasten off and collect all remaining sts and pull tight to secure it around the neck of the ball.

