# *Russian Flag*

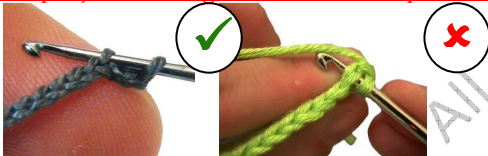## *Step-by-step detailed tutorial*

## Introduction:

- Size:
  Depends on the yarn and hook sizes you are using, approximately 4.5 cm/ 1.75".

- Skill level**:**
  Beginner.
  You should be familiar with crocheting in rounds and basic stitches.
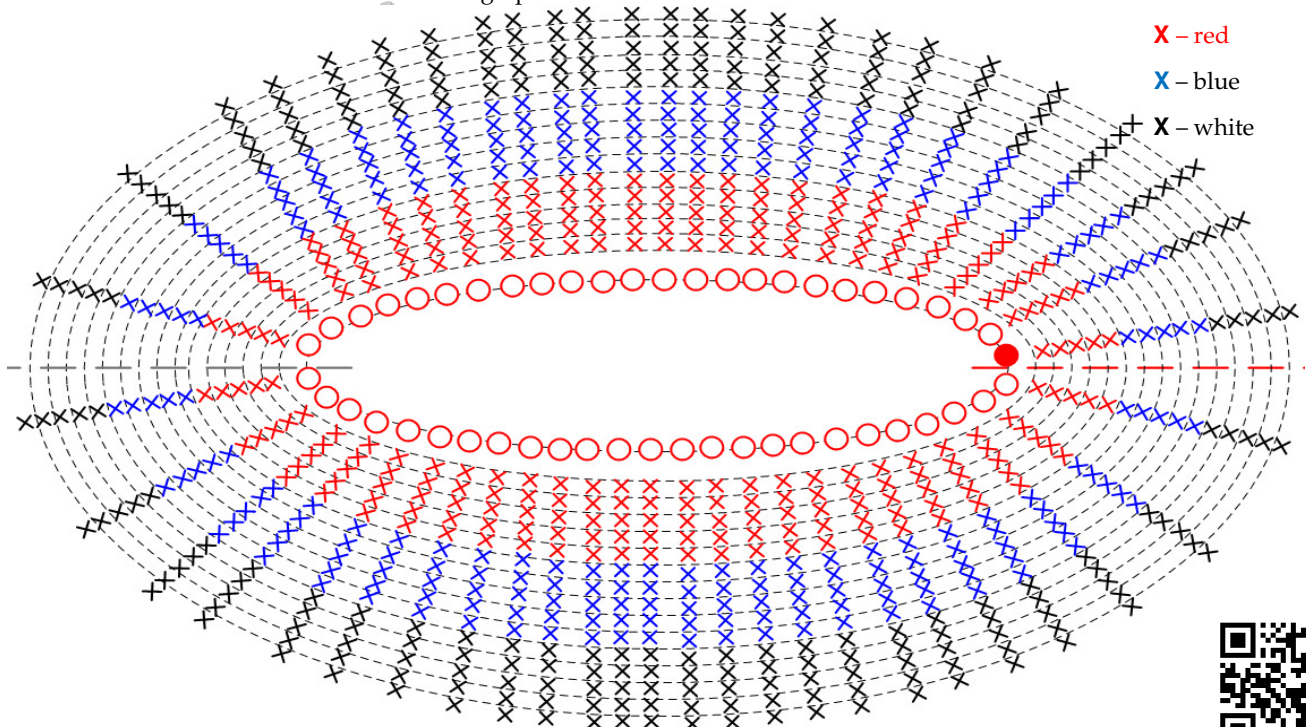  **There are no basic crochet tutorials included**.

## Important Note:

- Please read the graphic chart counter-clockwise.
- The remaining project will be worked in continuous rounds, so you may wish to use a marker to keep track of your rounds.
- Red dot indicates the first chain.
- **<u>Continue crochet counter-clockwise, do not turn the inside out at the end of the project</u>**
- <u>This project is designed for back loop crochet:</u>

## Materials:

- 3 colors of thread (#10): red, blue and white
- Crochet hook, size 1 mm.
- Akrilon or other type of fiberfill.
- Scissors
- Needle.

## Abbreviations and symbols:

- Ch – chain, symbol **O**.
- SC – Single Crochet, **X**.
- Rnd – Round.
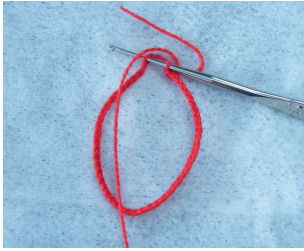- St – Stitch.

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## Small Russian Flag:

- Start with the red color.
- Read the graphic chart counter-clockwise.
- Red dot indicates the first chain.

**X** – red
**X** – blue
**X** – white

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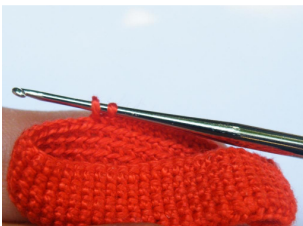- Rnd 1: Leave a long tail of the red thread. Crochet 50 Ch and join it to the loop by crocheting 1 SC.
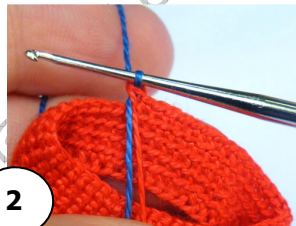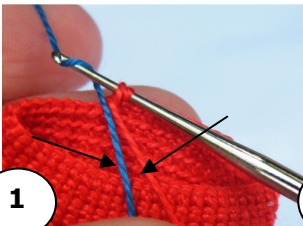


- Rnd 2-6 : 1 SC in next 50 SC( 6 red rnds total).



- Rnd 7 Change the thread to blue and crochet 1 SC in next 50 SC.

  - Change the color by following instruction:
  - Insert your hook into the last CS in the row, grab the yarn and draw it through the loop. You should have 2 red loops on your crochet hook.



  - Put the red yarn on a working thread. Place the new thread (the white) as close as possible to the last stitch.
  - Use the new thread (the white) instead of the previous (the red) thread and crochet 1 SC in the next stitch.
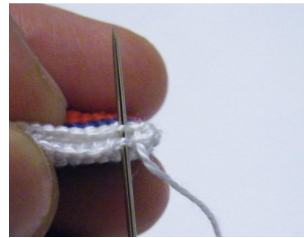


- Rnd 8-11 : 1 SC in next 50 SC (5 blue rnds total).



- Rnd 12: Change the color to the white an crochet 1 SC in next 50 SC
- Rnd 13-16 : 1 SC of white color in next 38 SC (5 white rnds total).

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- Sew the bottom and the upper part of the flag.
- Do it for both sides. Knot and secure the tail of the thread.



- Stuff the flag with fiberfill. Use the back end of crochet hook to reach the edges. Do not make a puffy body, keep it flat.



- Sew the bottom part of the flag.. Knot and secure the tail of the thread.
- Squeeze the flag a little to spread the fiberfill equally



- Insert the ring

# There you go: Russian Flag!

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