

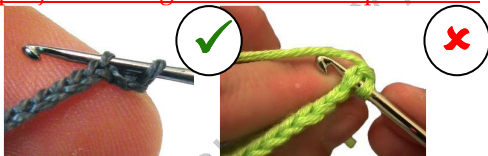


Introduction:

- @ 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.
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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.
- @ **Continue crochet counter-clockwise, do not turn the inside out at the end of the project**
- @ **This project is designed for back loop crochet:**



Vive la France!

Step-by-step detailed tutorial

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Materials:

- @ 3 colors of yarn (#10): red, white and blue
- @ 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.
- @ SC Dec – SC Decrease. This is where you join 2 SC, reducing them down to 1 stitch. V
- @ SC Inc - SC Increase. Crochet twice into the same stitch. ^
- @ St – Stitch.
- @ [] (brackets) – used to enclosed a sequence meant to be repeated. After the closing brackets will be the number of times to repeat the instruction.

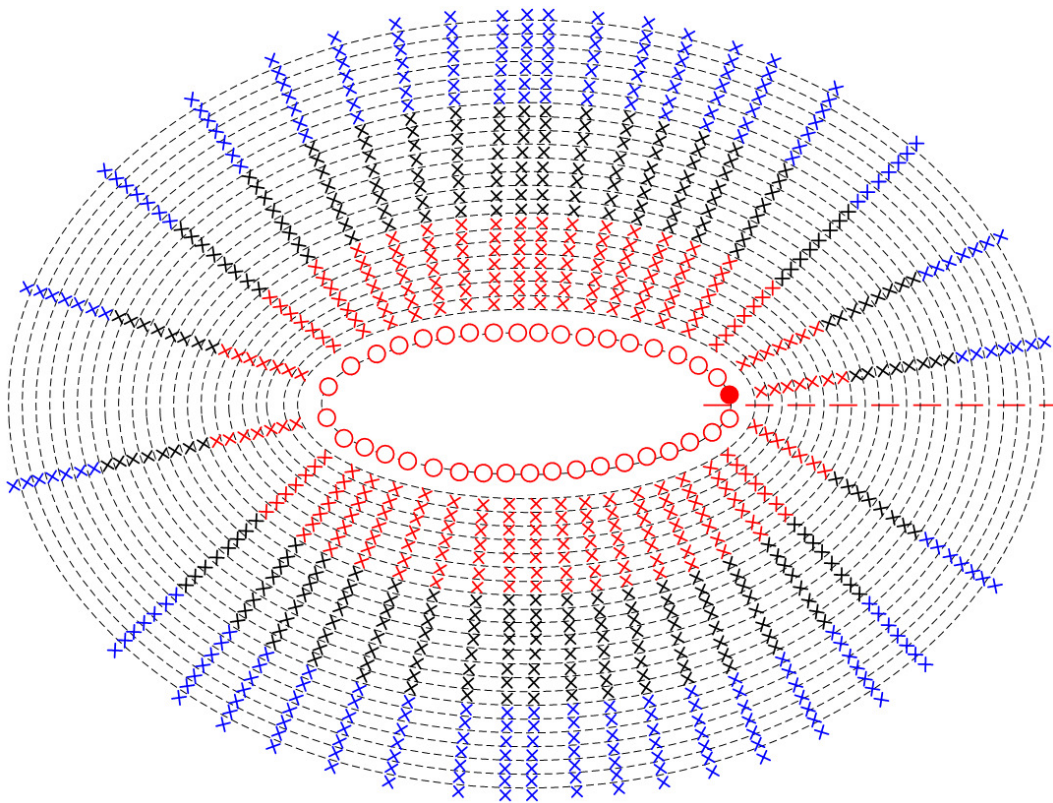
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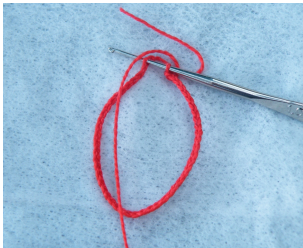


Small France Flag:

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



- Rnd 1: Leave a long tail of the red thread. Crochet 38 Ch and join it to the loop by crocheting 1 SC.



- Rnd 2-8 : 1 SC in next 38 SC (8 red rnds total).

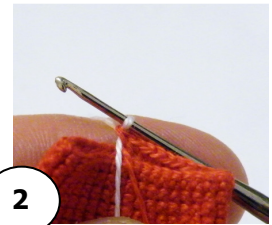
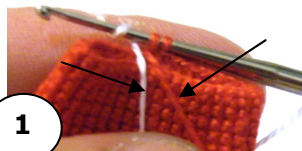


- Rnd 9 Change the color to white and crochet 1 SC in next 38 SC.

- 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.



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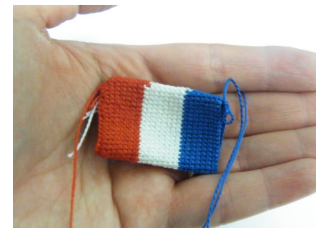
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- Rnd 10-16 : 1 SC in next 38 SC (8 white rnds total).



- Rnd 17: Change the color to the blue and crochet 1 SC in next 38 SC (38 SC in total)

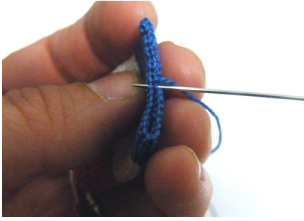
- Rnd 18-23 : 1 SC of white color in next 38 SC (7 blue rnds total).





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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.

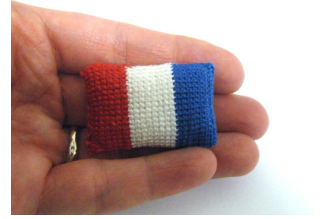


- Stuff the flag with fiberfill. Use the back end of crochet hook to reach the edges. Do not make a puffy body, keep it flat.



- 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: Vive la France!



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