

sakka-3 Birthday Garland



Suggested yarn:

- Pierrot Yarns Heat+ [100% polyester; 113 yds/103m per 1.41 oz./40g skein];
 - color #02 salmon, 1 skein [3g]
 - color #13 greige, 1 skein [3g]
 - color #03 camellia, 1 skein [4g]
 - color #04 lemon yellow, 1 skein [4g]
 - color #05 dark cyan, 1 skein [1g]
 - color #06 antique green, 1 skein [2g]
 - color #07 salvia blue, 1 skein [2g]
 - color #11 camel, 1 skein [2g]

Tools/Notions:

- 2.5mm (approx. US B or C) crochet hook or size necessary to achieve gauge

Finished measurements:

- Please refer to schematics. Note that all measurements shown refer to sizes *after* blocking with iron.

Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- lobster stitch (2 sts per row): 28 rows

Gauge may vary according to individual crochet style. Change hook size if necessary to achieve gauge. Alternatively, rework pattern with your own gauge measurements.

Summary

✳️**Note:** Like all Japanese patterns, stitch counts given here for foundation chains do not include any chain sts needed for turning posts.

Letters: For each letter, follow chart; crochet lobster stitch cord in the length indicated. Form into letter shape by working slip stitch where indicated (see chart).

Flower: Work magic ring to begin, then work in the round according to chart.

Apple: Work magic ring to begin, then work in sc in the round according to chart, increasing as indicated. After making red part of apple, crochet stem & leaf piece according to chart.

Cord: ?Work garland cord in ch st and slip st as shown in chart.

Finishing: Attach letters, flower, and apple to garland cord as shown in finishing schematic.

Blocking with iron: Lightly block with iron from wrong side of fabric.

Abbreviations:

m = magic ring/circle

R = row(s)

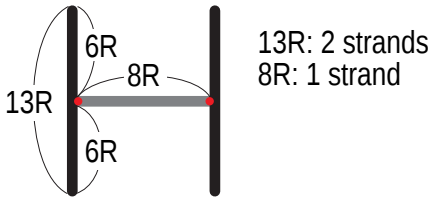
Letters

work in lobster stitch

◀ = cut yarn ● = join with slip stitch here
R = row(s)

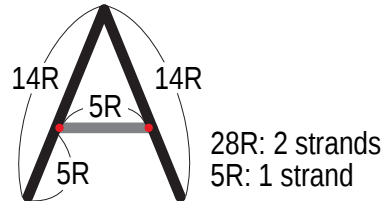
H (make 2)

1 in color #02 salmon
1 in color #03 camellia



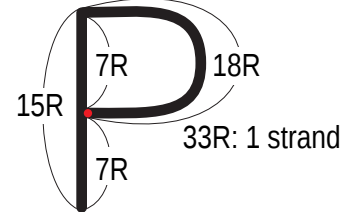
A (make 2)

1 in color #02 salmon
1 in color #04 lemon yellow



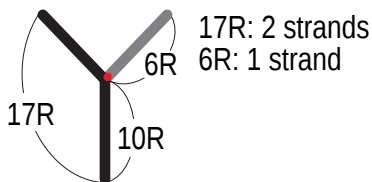
P (make 2)

1 in color #02 salmon
1 in color #06 antique green



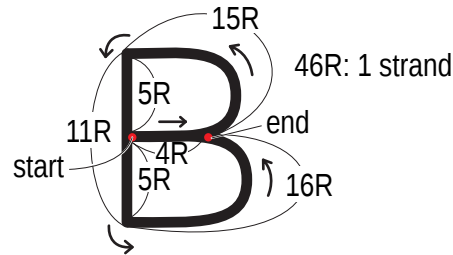
Y (make 2)

1 in color #04 lemon yellow
1 in color #07 salvia blue



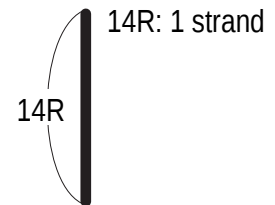
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color #04 lemon yellow



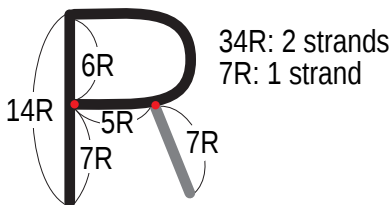
I (make 1)

color #03 camellia



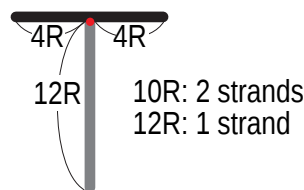
R (make 1)

color #11 camel



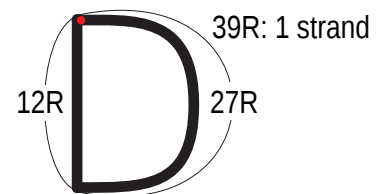
T (make 1)

color #07 salvia blue



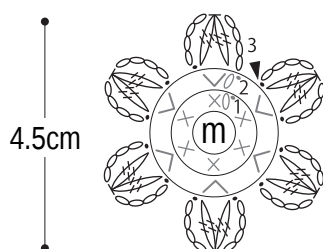
D (make 1)

color #06 antique green



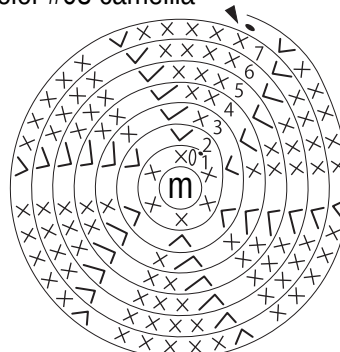
Flower

rounds 1-2: color #11 camel
round 3: color #04 lemon yellow



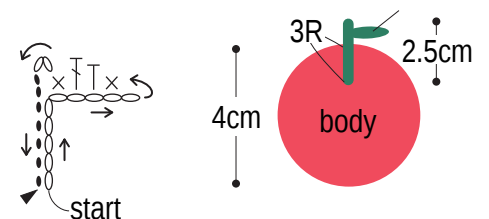
Body of apple

color #03 camellia



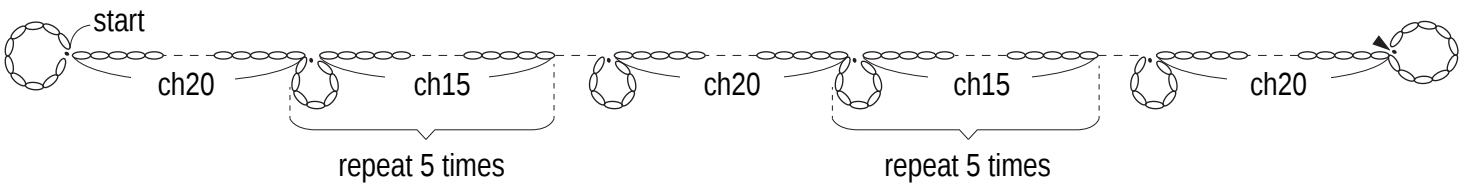
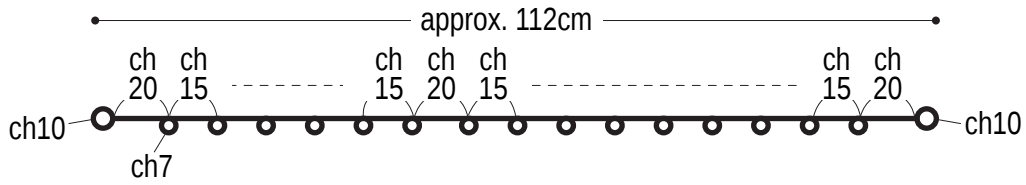
Apple leaf

color #05 dark cyan



Place leaf piece on top of body piece and seam from wrong side.

Cord color #13 greige



Finishing

To attach each item (letter/apple/flower), thread a piece color #13 greige through a stitch in the item from the wrong side. Form a loop by tying a knot.

Individual letters

