

Easy Crochet Rose

Petal strip, five-point green calyx, wired leaves and a wrapped stem



IN THIS PATTERN

68-chain petal strip • 22 shells and scallops • 10-to-20-stitch calyx
Five tapered calyx points • 12-chain leaves • stem assembly

Step photographs taken from the supplied 720p tutorial. The instructions are a video-based companion written in US crochet terms; the maker can follow the original footage for every hand movement.

Adjustable yarn and hook / One rose with optional leaves

Before you begin

Gather your supplies

Flower-color yarn for the rose; green yarn for the calyx, leaves and stem. Use a crochet hook suited to your yarn, scissors and a yarn needle. For the stem shown in the video, have a slim stick or floral stem, thin floral wire, green wrapping tape or yarn and craft glue. The video does not establish one exact yarn weight or hook size.

US abbreviations

ch chain st stitch MR magic ring sl st slip stitch
sc single crochet hdc half double crochet dc double crochet
tr treble / triple crochet (labeled "tc" in the video) inc two stitches in one

THE PROJECT IN THREE PARTS

1 Crochet the white petal strip

Chain 68, make 67 sc, then build 22 open V stitches, 22 shells and 22 rounded scallops. Roll the strip from its narrower end.

2 Crochet the green calyx

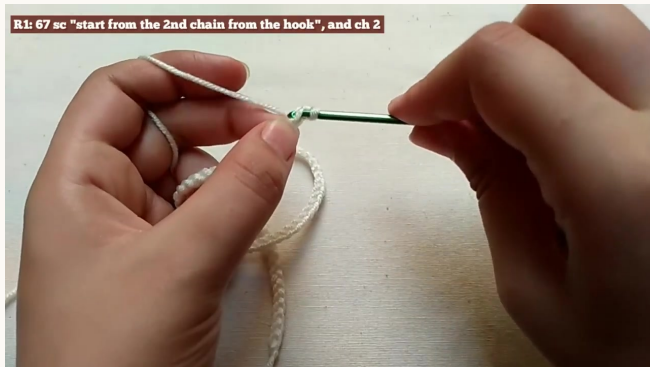
Start with 10 hdc in a magic ring, increase to 20, then shape five four-stitch tapered points.

3 Crochet the leaves and assemble

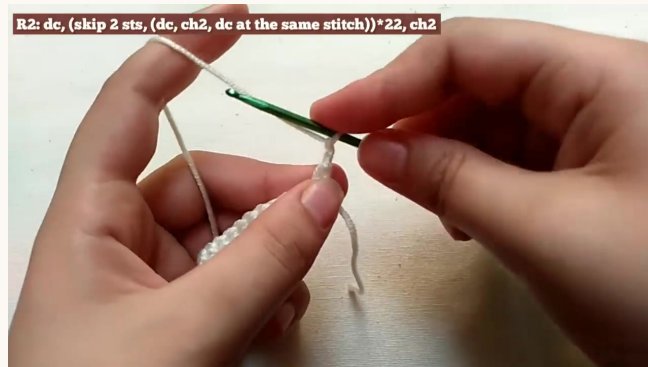
Make pointed green leaves from a 12-chain foundation. Fix the flower to its stem, add leaves, and wrap the visible stem.

Video navigation: petals 0:35-12:00 | calyx 12:30-18:40 | leaves 19:00-26:30 | final assembly 27:00-30:00.

Start the petal strip



0:55 / single crochet foundation



1:55 / open V-stitch row

Foundation and Row 1

Make a slip knot and ch 68. Starting in the second chain from the hook, work 67 sc across. Ch 2 to prepare for the next row. Count your base before adding the openwork.

Row 2 - 22 open V stitches

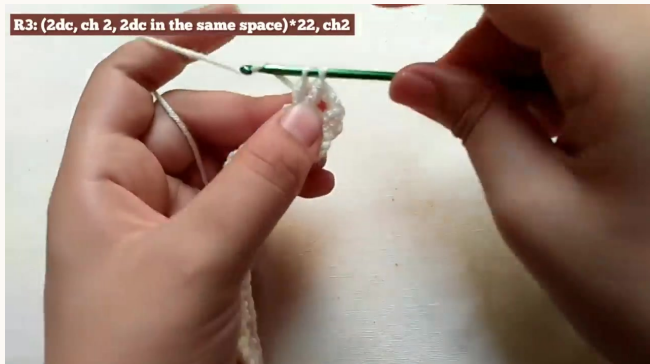
Work 1 dc at the starting edge. Repeat this sequence 22 times: skip 2 base stitches; work (dc, ch 2, dc) in the next stitch. Finish with ch 2, as displayed in the video. Each V has one central ch-2 opening for the next row.

Check your row

You should see 22 regularly spaced V openings. Keep the starting and final chain edges relaxed; a tight edge can make the completed strip curl unevenly.

The video writes "start from the 2nd chain from the hook" and labels this first worked row R1. Keep the 67-stitch count even if your turning chain practice differs.

Build the layered petals



5:25 / shell in a ch-2 opening



9:30 / rounded petal edge

Row 3 - 22 shells

In each V-stitch ch-2 opening, work (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc). Repeat across all 22 openings and finish with ch 2 as the video shows. The new ch-2 space at the center of each shell is where the rounded petal is made.

Row 4 - rounded scallops

Work 8 dc in the ch-2 opening of a shell, then 1 sc in the small gap between shells. Repeat across the strip. Each 8-dc fan becomes one soft rose petal. Fasten off with a sl st and leave a long tail for sewing.

What the strip should look like

The lower edge is a narrow foundation; the upper edge is a chain of 22 rounded fans. The fans naturally fold over one another when you roll the strip into a spiral.

Counts and abbreviations here follow the on-screen captions. Pause the tutorial when moving between the small gaps and the larger ch-2 spaces.

Roll and secure the rose



11:45 / begin rolling the scalloped strip

Shape the center

Start rolling from one end of the narrow foundation edge. Keep the first few scallops close to form the bud, then wrap the remaining strip around it more loosely so the outer petals open. Keep the foundation edge aligned underneath.

Secure the underside

Pass the long yarn tail through several foundation layers on the underside. Stitch across the base in different directions so the spiral cannot unwind. Leave an opening for the stem or attach it to a stem later as the video demonstrates.

Pause near 12:00 to compare the flower shape. The width and fullness depend on yarn and how tightly you roll the strip.

Crochet the green calyx

R1: MR, 10 hdc into it, slip stitch, ch2



12:30 / magic-ring center

R4: skip 1st stitch, 3 hdc, ch 2 and turn your work



15:30 / tapering one point

Base rounds

Round 1: MR, 10 hdc into the ring, join with a sl st, ch 2. Round 2: work 2 hdc in each stitch for 20 hdc; join with a sl st and ch 2. This circle sits below the rose.

One tapered point - repeat five times

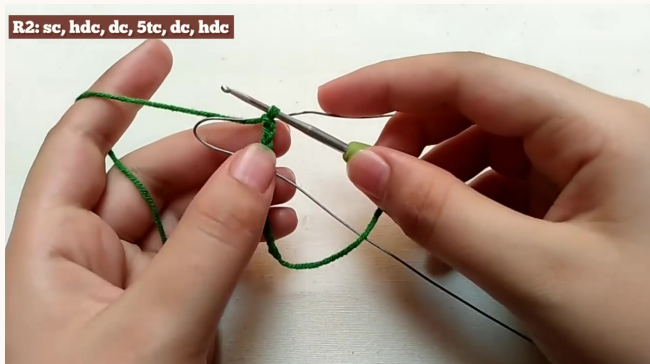
Row 3: work 4 hdc across the next four base stitches, ch 2 and turn. Row 4: skip the first stitch, 3 hdc, ch 2, turn. Row 5: skip the first stitch, 2 hdc, ch 2, turn. Row 6: skip the first stitch, 1 hdc, ch 1, then cut the yarn. Rejoin at the next four-stitch group and repeat until all five points are made.

Attach around the rose base

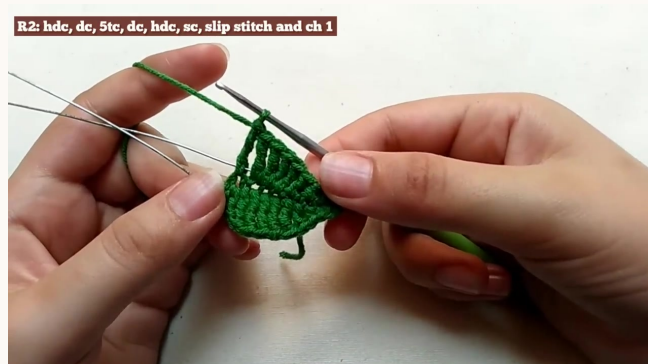
The video fixes the calyx under the rose with glue. Arrange all five green points around the flower base and make sure the attachment is secure before wrapping the stem.

The calyx uses all 20 hdc base stitches as five groups of four.

Make pointed green leaves



20:10 / first side of leaf



24:40 / work back along other side

Foundation and first side

Ch 12. Starting in the second chain from the hook, the video shows sc, hdc, dc, 5 tr, dc, hdc along the foundation, increasing stitch height toward the center and decreasing toward the tip. The maker holds thin floral wire beside the work to support the leaf.

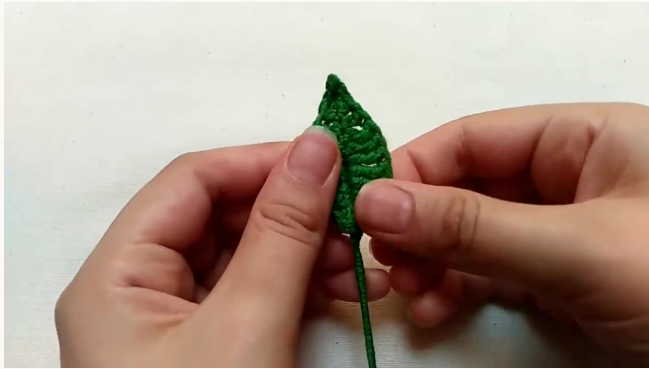
Turn around the tip

At the final chain, the caption shows 2 sc, ch 1, sl st, sc. Work back along the other side of the chain with the mirrored height sequence: hdc, dc, 5 tr, dc, hdc, sc. Finish with a sl st and ch 1. Shape the point gently over the wire; make another leaf the same way if desired.

Important placement note

The first-side caption omits the tip turn and the second-side caption starts after it. Use the close-up at about 23:00-25:30 for exact hook placement around that turn.

Finish the flower and stem



27:00 / three finished leaves



29:10 / wrapped rose stem

Assemble the rose

Fasten the rolled flower to the slim stem or stick. Place the five-point calyx snugly underneath. Attach the leaves along the stem using their wire ends, then wrap the stem with green tape or yarn to hide the joins. Tuck in the ends securely.

Final checklist

Petal strip: 68 chains, 67 sc, 22 V stitches, 22 shells and 22 scallops.

Calyx: 10 hdc increased to 20, shaped into five points.

Leaves: start from 12 chains and work around both sides.

Finish: rose and calyx secured; wire hidden under stem wrap.

About this guide

Adapted from the user-supplied video titled How to crochet an Easy Rose | Step by step and beginner FRIENDLY | Crochet flowers. All step photos are screenshots of that video. This is an independent written companion, not the creator's official pattern.

The video runs about 30 minutes. When a stitch entry point is hard to describe, use the matching time printed beside the photo.