FREE CROCHET PATTERN

Crochet Rose Bouquet

Seven rolled roses with leaves on wire stems · forever flowers · US terms

SKILL LEVEL **Easy**	ROSE SIZE **About 2.5 in across**	HOOK **3.5 mm (US E-4)**
YARN **DK (#3) cotton**	BOUQUET **7 roses, ~13 in tall**	TIME **About 15 min per rose**

Materials

- DK (#3) cotton: red 34 yd, blush pink 23 yd, cream 23 yd, sage green 23 yd
- 3.5 mm (US E-4) hook, tapestry needle, scissors
- Seven 12 in pieces of 18-gauge florist wire, green floral tape, a hot glue gun
- Kraft paper (about 16 x 16 in) and 1 yd of ribbon for wrapping

Abbreviations (US terms)

ch	chain	**dc**	double crochet
sl st	slip stitch	**V**	(dc, ch 2, dc) in the same st
sc	single crochet	**sp**	space
hdc	half double crochet		

Each rose is one flat strip: a row of 12 V-stitches, then a row of shells that get bigger from one end to the other. You roll the strip up starting from the small petals, so the small petals end up in the centre.

Rose (make 3 red, 2 blush pink, 2 cream)

Row 1	Ch 38. (Dc, ch 2, dc) in the 5th ch from the hook (first V made). *Skip 2 ch, (dc, ch 2, dc) in the next ch; repeat from * to the end.	**(12 Vs)**
Row 2	Turn. Sl st into the first ch-2 space. Working a shell in each ch-2 space and a sl st in the gap between Vs: 5 dc in each of the first 4 spaces (small petals), 7 dc in each of the next 4 spaces (medium), 9 dc in each of the last 4 spaces (large). Sl st in the turning chain and fasten off, leaving a 14 in tail.	**(12 petals)**

Roll the rose

Roll	Start at the small-petal end and roll the strip loosely, keeping the bottom edge (the chain) level. Thread the tail on a needle and sew back and forth through all the layers at the base.
Shape	Gently fold the outer petals outward so the rose opens.

Leaf (make 7, sage green)

Leaf	Ch 10. Sc in the 2nd ch from the hook, hdc in the next ch, dc in the next 4 ch, hdc in the next ch, sc in the next ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in the last ch (tip). Turn the work and continue along the other side of the chain: sc, hdc, dc in the next 4, hdc, sc. Sl st to the first sc, leave a tail and fasten off.

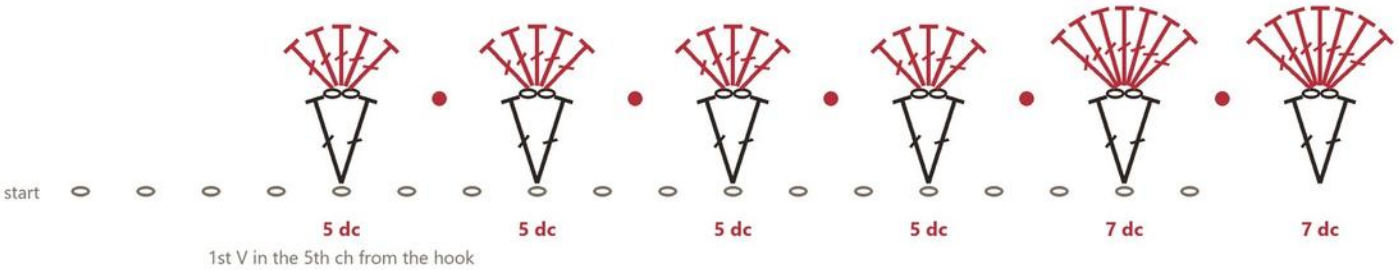
Stems and bouquet

Stem	Bend a small hook at the top of a 12 in wire, wrap it with floral tape, then wind sage yarn tightly down the wire and glue the end.
Attach	Push the hook into the base of a rose, add a dot of glue and sew the tail around the wire. Sew or glue a leaf just below the rose.
Bouquet	Arrange the 7 roses (tallest in the middle), wrap the stems with floral tape, then wrap the bouquet in kraft paper and tie the ribbon.

Crochet Rose · Strip & Leaf Chart

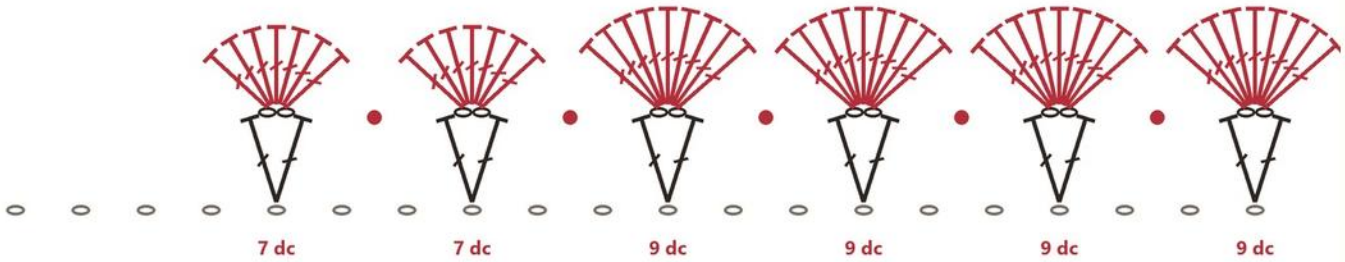
The rose is one flat strip: Row 1 = 12 V-stitches on the chain, Row 2 = a shell petal in each V. Roll it from the small end.

Petals 1–6 (rolled into the centre)

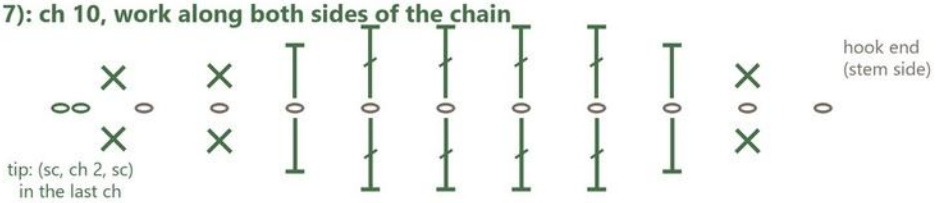


1st V in the 5th ch from the hook

Petals 7–12 (the outside of the rose)



Leaf (make 7): ch 10, work along both sides of the chain



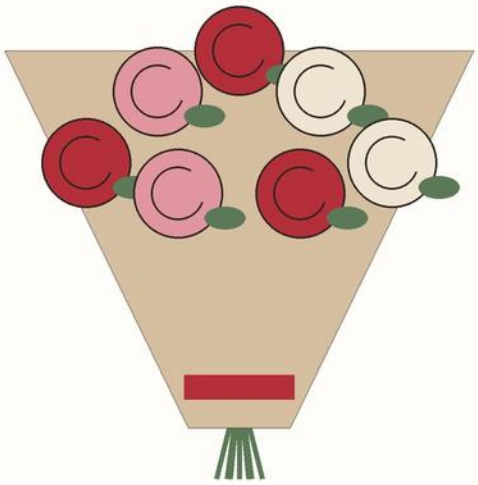
oval = ch T with a bar = dc T = hdc x = sc dot = sl st between petals · cozymakery.com

One rose, rolled · and the bouquet of seven



strip ≈ 8.4 in long → rose ≈ 2.5 in (6.3 cm) across

roll from the small petals, sew through all layers at the base



3 red · 2 blush pink · 2 cream · 7 leaves · 11 in stems

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