

# Starla – Christmas Decoration

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## What you need for this pattern:

- Yarn Scheepjes Maxi Bon Bon or Maxi Sugar Rush
- Crochet hook 2.0 mm
- Darning needle
- A small amount of filling (or cotton-wool)
- Scissors

You will use 2 colours for this pattern. Color (1) is your main color and will be the color of the star motif and is shown as yellow in this tutorial. Color (2) is your background color which is dark purple in this tutorial.

## Abbreviations (US):

Ch - chain  
Dc - double crochet  
Fp tr - front post treble crochet  
Fp tr 2-tog - front post treble 2 together  
Fp hdc - front post half double crochet  
Sc - single crochet  
Sl.st - slip stitch

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### Row 1: (1)

Ch 4. Sl.st in 1st ch to form a ring.

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### Row 2: (1)

Ch 2, 11 dc in chain-ring. Sl.st in 2nd ch. Cut yarn!

[12 dc]

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### Row 3: (2)

Sl.st in any dc. Ch 2, dc in same dc. 2 dc in each dc around. Sl.st in 2nd ch. Cut yarn!

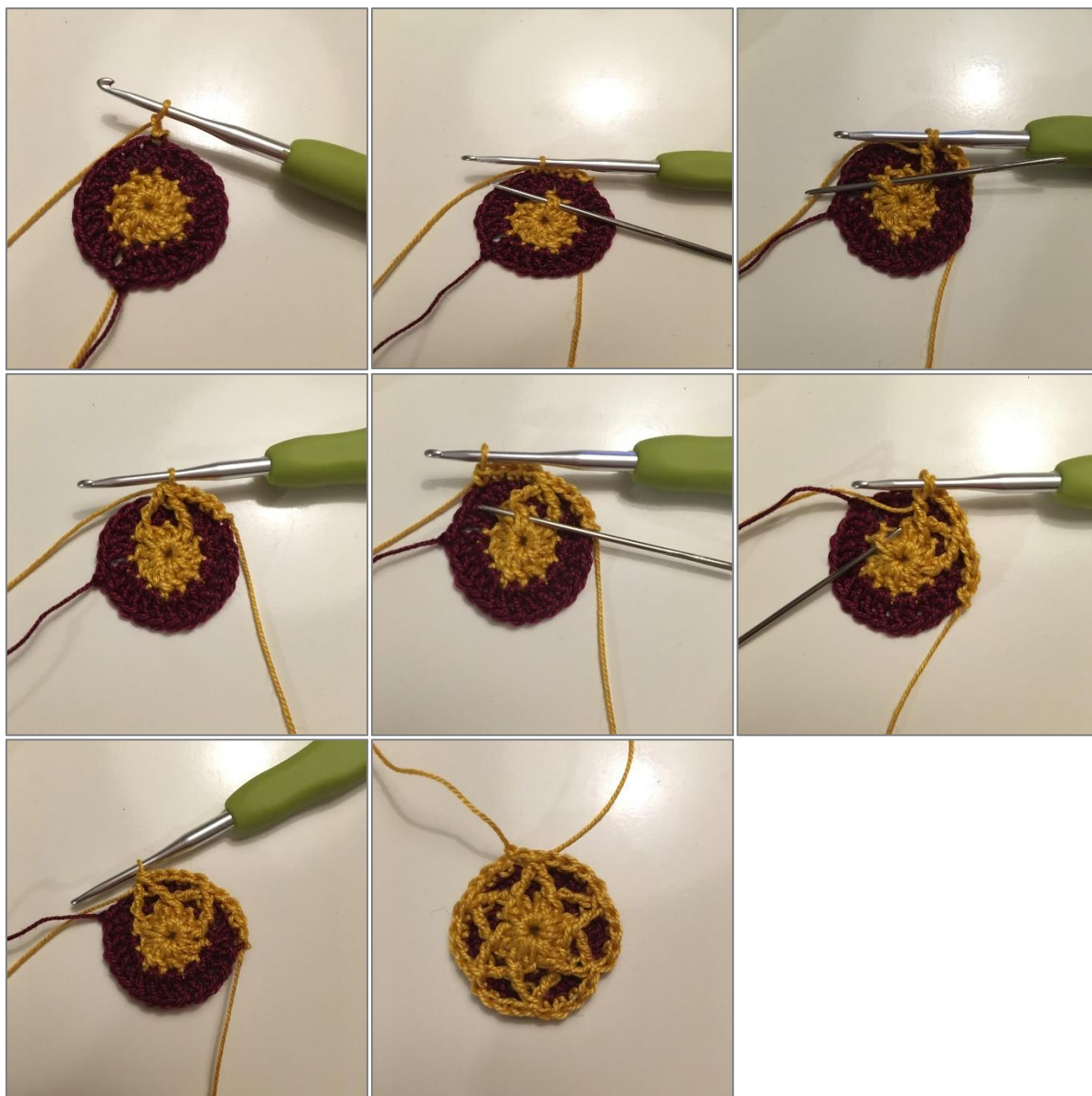
[24 dc]



#### Row 4: (1)

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Sl.st in 1st dc of 2 dc's in same dc (see picture). Ch 1, 1 sc in each next 3 dc. Fp tr 2 tog in dc from r 2. First leg in dc right below your 2 first sc and second leg in third dc after the first leg (see picture). (1 sc in each next 4 dc. Fp tr 2 tog with first leg in dc before last leg in previous fp tr 2 tog and second leg in second dc after previous fp tr 2 tog second leg (see picture)) 5 times. Sl.st in 1st ch. Cut yarn!



### Row 5: (2)

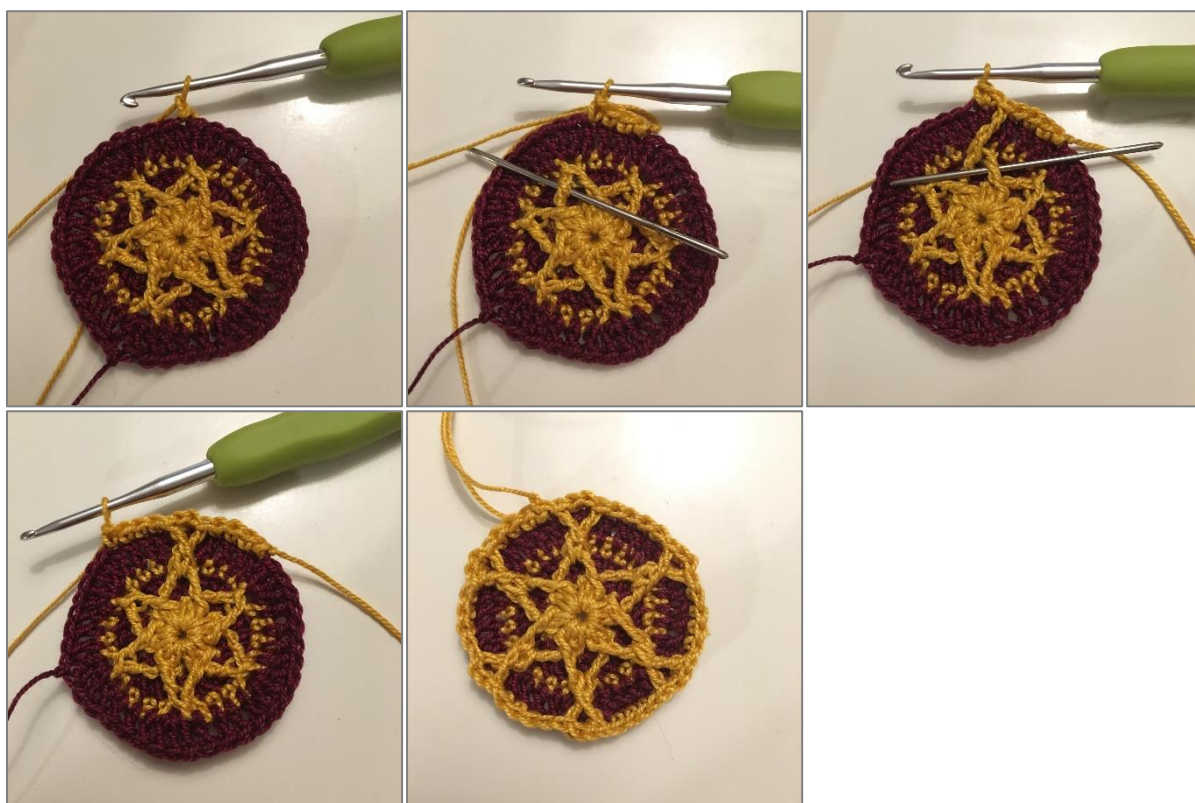
Sl.st in any sc. Ch 2. 1 dc in each sc and 3 dc in each fp tr 2 tog. Sl.st in 2nd ch. Cut yarn!

[42 dc]



### Row 6: (1)

Sl.st in any dc after 3 dc in a fp tr 2 tog. Ch 1, 1 sc in each next 3 dc. (fp tr in 2nd leg of underlying fp tr 2 tog. Skip 1 dc. 2 sc in next dc. 1 fp tr in 1st leg of underlying fp tr 2 tog. Skip 1 dc. 1 sc in each next 4 dc) 5 times. (fp tr in 2nd leg of underlying fp tr 2 tog. Skip 1 dc. 2 sc in next dc. 1 fp tr in 1st leg of underlying fp tr 2 tog. Skip 1 dc. Sl.st in 1:st ch. Cut yarn!



### Row 7: (2)

Sl.st in 2nd of 2 fp tr. Ch 2. ((1 dc in next sc, 2 dc in next dc) 2 times. 1 dc in each next fp tr, sc, sc and fp tr)) 5 times. (1 dc in next sc, 2 dc in next dc) 2 times. 1 dc in each next fp tr, sc and sc. Sl.st in 2:nd ch. Cut yarn!

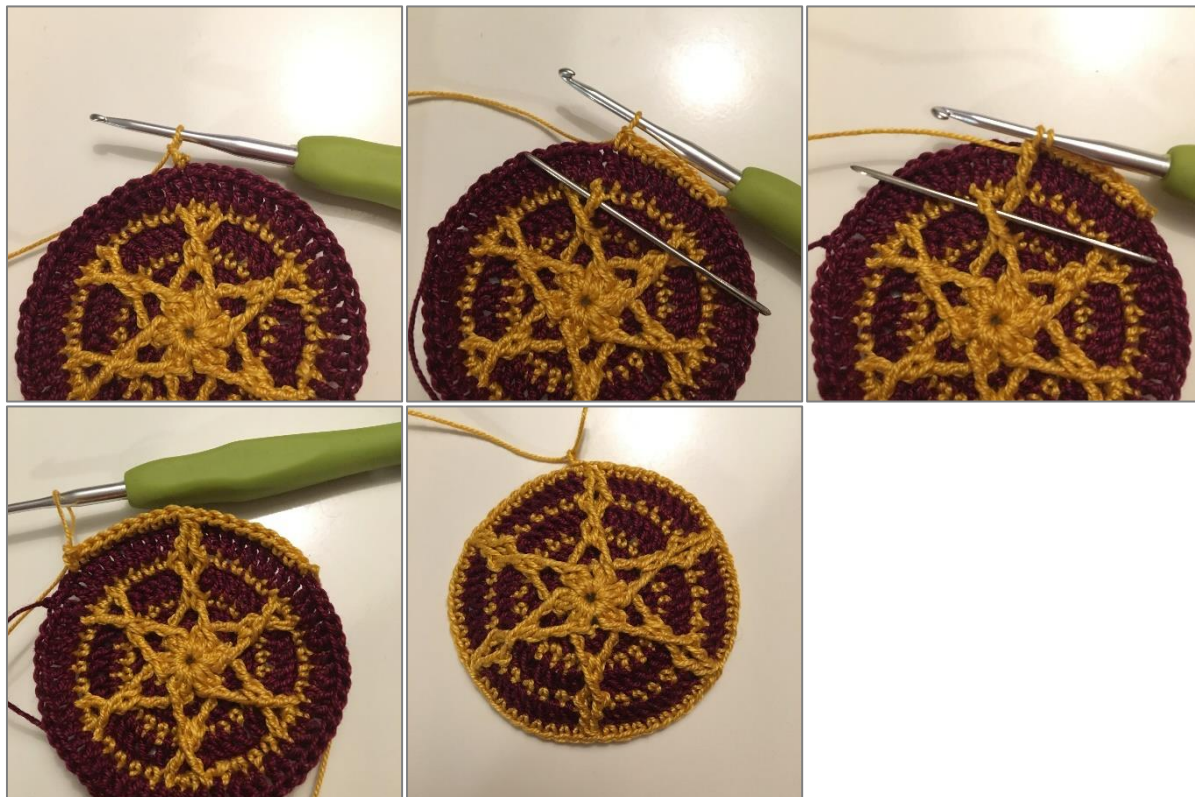
[60 dc]





## Row 8: (1)

Sl.st in any dc in 2nd of 2 fp tr of r 6 (se picture). Ch 1. 1 sc in next 8 dc. (fp tr 2 tog in 1st and 2nd underlying fp tr. Skip 1 dc. 1 sc in next 9 dc) 5 times. Fp tr 2 tog in 1st and 2nd underlying fp tr. Skip 1 dc. Sl.st in 1st ch.



## Row 9: (1)

Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc. 1 fp hdc in each fp tr 2 tog. Sl.st in 1st ch. Cut yarn!

Done, now make a second one :)



## Assemble:



You can put this decoration together in many ways, but this is how I did it:

Put the pieces together with the back sides towards each other. With your main color crochet them together with single crochets. Cut yarn!

Make a picot border with your back ground colour:

Sl.st in any sc, ch 1, 1 sc, picot. (2 sc, picot) around. Sl.st in 1st ch.

Make a little loop of yarn to hang your decoration and make a little tassel as extra finesse if you like :)

