



CrochetRooms

Christmas Bunting: Free Crochet Pattern

Finished Size & Skill Level

- **One size:** about 4 ft (122 cm) long including the hanging loops; 8 triangle flags, each about 3.5 in (9 cm) wide and 2 in (5 cm) tall
- **Skill level:** Easy - single crochet with simple decreases, joined as you go
- **Time:** one evening

Materials

- **Worsted-weight (#4) yarn** - about 45 yds (41 m) total: 15 yds red, 15 yds cream, 15 yds green; acrylic for a soft drape or cotton for crisper flags
- **US H-8 (5.0 mm) crochet hook** - keeps the single crochet firm enough to hold the triangle shape
- Yarn needle and scissors

Abbreviations (US Terms)

- **ch** = chain | **st(s)** = stitch(es) | **sc** = single crochet (UK: double crochet)
- **sl st** = slip stitch | **sc2tog** = single crochet 2 together (decrease)

Gauge

Gauge is not critical for this project. Each finished triangle should measure about 3.5 in (9 cm) across the top; if yours is much smaller, try a larger hook.

Pattern Notes

- This is an original CrochetRooms pattern. The flags are joined directly onto the hanging string as you work, so there is no sewing.
- Make 3 flags in red, 3 in cream, and 2 in green (or any 8-flag rhythm you like). The instructions below alternate red, cream, green.
- All stitch counts are given in parentheses at the end of each row.

Triangle Flags (make 8)

Ch 15.

Row 1: Sc in the 2nd ch from the hook, sc in each ch across. Turn. (14 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in the next 10 sts, sc2tog. Turn. (12 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in the next 8 sts, sc2tog. Turn. (10 sc)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in the next 6 sts, sc2tog. Turn. (8 sc)

Row 5: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in the next 4 sts, sc2tog. Turn. (6 sc)

Row 6: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in the next 2 sts, sc2tog. Turn. (4 sc)

Row 7: Ch 1, sc2tog twice. Turn. (2 sc)

Row 8: Ch 1, sc2tog. Fasten off, leaving a short tail to weave in. (1 sc)

Make 8 flags total, alternating colors: red, cream, green, red, cream, green, red, cream.

Stringing Them Together

With cream, ch 12 for the first hanging loop.

Joining row: *Sc across the top edge of the next triangle (14 sc), ch 6; repeat from * 8 times total, working the triangles in color order. Ch 6. Fasten off.

You now have 12 chains at each end for hanging loops, 8 flags joined onto the string, and 6 chains spacing each pair of flags. The strand measures about 4 ft (122 cm).

Finishing

Weave in all remaining ends. If any flag curls, lay the bunting flat and gently pat each triangle into shape. Hang your bunting with a soft swag and enjoy.