CROCHET ROSE EARRINGS

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Skill level: Beginner

Time: about 30 minutes for one pair

This is an original CrochetRooms pattern, inspired by the rose earring construction in Nicki's Homemade Crafts free rose earrings design (https://www.nickishomemadecrafts.com/crochet-rose-earrings-pattern/). The materials, hook size, gauge, and finished size below match that source. The rose strip is written here with a corrected starting chain so the shell repeat comes out exact; see the note at the end.

MATERIALS

- DK weight yarn in red, pink, or cranberry (rose), small amount
- DK or worsted weight yarn in green (leaves), small amount
- 2.5 mm crochet hook
- 2 fishhook ear wires
- 2 jump rings
- Yarn needle
- Scissors
- Optional: 2 small beads for the center of each rose

YARDAGE

Less than 10 yards (about 9 m) of yarn in total for one pair, estimated. The source gives no yardage, so this is an estimate, not a source figure. One small ball of each color is more than enough for several pairs.

GAUGE

5 stitches x 2 half double crochet rows = 1 inch (2.5 cm).

Gauge is not critical for this project. If your stitches are looser, the rose will be a little larger; if tighter, a little smaller.

FINISHED SIZE

Each rose is about 1.5 inches (4 cm) across, not counting the ear wire.

ABBREVIATIONS (US terms)

ch = chain

sl st = slip stitch

sc = single crochet

hdc = half double crochet

dc = double crochet

tr = treble crochet

st / sts = stitch / stitches

sk = skip

rep = repeat

PATTERN NOTES

Work the rose strip flat in one row, then roll it up. Work each leaf flat in one row. US crochet terms are used throughout.

ROSE (make 2, red yarn)

Ch 26.

Row 1: Starting in the 3rd ch from the hook, *(5 dc in next ch, sk next ch, sc in next ch); rep from * across. (48 sts: 40 dc and 8 sc)

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

To shape the rose: hold the strip with the right side facing you and roll it up from one end, letting the shells fan out like petals. Use the long tail to weave through the bottom edge of the roll and secure it so the rose holds its shape. Weave in the end.

Attach a jump ring to the top of the rose, then hook the fishhook ear wire through the jump ring. If you like, sew a small bead into the center of the rose.

LEAF (make 2, green yarn)

Ch 9.

Row 1: Starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, sc in next ch, hdc in next ch, dc in next ch, tr in next ch, ch 3, sl st in the same ch as the tr, ch 3, tr in next ch, dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sc in last ch. (8 sts plus the tip)

Fasten off, leaving a tail for sewing.

Sew the leaf to the back of the rose, below the bottom edge, with the tip pointing down.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends. Check that both earrings match. If the roses look a little uneven, pin them flat, mist lightly with water, and let them dry. Your earrings are ready to wear or to gift.

DESIGN NOTE

The source design starts its rose with ch 25, which gives 23 working chains. Its shell repeat uses 3 chains at a time, so 23 chains make 7 full shells and leave 2 chains unworked at the end. This pattern starts with ch 26 instead, giving 24 working chains and 8 exact shells, for a clean 48 stitch row. The finished size stays about 1.5 inches across because the shell height sets the rose diameter.

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