

# Mini Christmas Wreath Decoration

## Materials

- Aran, chunky or 2x DK yarn in green or white (small ball)
- 5mm crochet hook
- Wooden or plastic curtain ring about 5cm/2" diameter
- 50cm/20" thin ribbon to thread through
- 15mm bell (optional)



## Abbreviations (UK terms)

- ch = chain
- dc = double crochet
- tr = treble crochet
- ss = slip stitch
- sts = stitches

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## Instructions

Hold the curtain ring with the small metal ring at the top—start working just to the left of the small metal ring. In green or white, fold first 5cm of yarn back on itself. Hook the loop formed and pull it to the front of the curtain ring. One ch at top of ring to secure it in place. Hold yarn end firmly in place so that future crochet stitches worked over it will hide it.

**Round 1:** 36 dc around ring. Do not turn. (36 sts)

**Round 2:** Dc into first st, ch 2, \*skip next st, dc into next st, ch 2\*. Repeat from \*to\* until end of round. SS to first dc in round. (18 dc, 18 ch2 spaces)

**Round 3:** 5 tr in first ch2 space, skip next dc, \*ss in next ch2 space, skip next dc, 5 tr in next ch2 space. Repeat from \*to\* ending with a ss in last ch2 space. (9 5tr clusters, 9 ss)

Fasten off. Leave 30cm end: create hanger for the decoration, pass the yarn through the small metal eyelet, fold yarn in half and tie end to small metal eyelet.

To Finish: Cut a strand of ribbon about 50 cm long and weave it in and out through the ch2 openings starting and ending at the bottom of the ring. Tie a bow with the two ends. Add a bell beneath the bow if desired.

