



# Crochet Ball Necklace

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Designed by Hartmut Hass

Necklace is 70" long.

**AUNT LYDIA'S® "Classic Crochet Thread," Size 10:**  
1 Ball 419 Ecu.

**Steel Crochet Hook:** 1.5mm [US 7].  
20 ½" wooden beads, fiberfill, yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** 1 Ball = ¾" x 1¼". **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

## SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

**Sc2tog** = [draw up a loop in next st] twice; yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

**Dc5tog** = [Yo and draw up a loop in indicated st, yo and draw through 2 loops on hook] 5 times; yo and draw through all 6 loops on hook.

**NOTE:** Before beginning to crochet, string wooden beads on thread. To position beads, work to indicated place, remove hook, insert hook through bead and back into last st, pull st through bead, push bead into place.

## NECKLACE

Ch 6.

**Ball-Round 1:** 8 Sc in 2nd ch from hook; join with a slip st to 1st sc.

**Round 2:** Ch 1, sc in same st, \* 2 sc in next st, sc in next st; repeat from \* to last st, 2 sc in last st; join – 12 sts.

**Round 3:** Ch 1, sc in same st, \* 2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next st; repeat from \* to last st, 2 sc in last st; join – 18 sts.

**Round 4:** Ch 3 (counts as 1st dc), \* dc in next st; repeat from \* around; join.

**Rounds 5-6:** Repeat Round 4.

**Round 7:** Ch 1, sc in same st, \* sc2tog, sc in next st; repeat from \* to last 2 sts; sc2tog; join – 12 sts. Stuff with fiberfill.

**Round 8:** Repeat Round 7 – 8 sts. Add more fiberfill.

**Round 9:** Ch 1; [draw up a loop in next st] 5 times; yo and draw through all 6 loops on hook – sc5tog made; [draw up a loop in next st] 3 times, yo and draw through all 4 loops on hook – sc3tog made; join with a slip st in middle of sc5tog.

**Connector-Row 1:** Ch 8, dc5 tog in 3rd ch from hook, ch 6, pull up a bead, dc5tog in 3rd ch from hook, ch 6.

Repeat Rounds 1-9 and Row 1 19 more times. Join to first st; fasten off.

## FINISHING

Weave in all ends. Roll each Ball between hands to even out the stuffing and give them their final shape.

**AUNT LYDIA'S® "Classic Crochet Thread," Size 10,**  
Art. 154 available in white and ecru 400 yd (368 m) and solid color 350 yd (322 m) and shaded color 300 yd (276 m) balls.

**ABBREVIATIONS:** ch = chain; dc = double crochet; mm = millimeters; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch(es); yo = yarn over; [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; \* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.



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