

# Oh, Christmas Tree

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★ *No skills required.*

**RED HEART® “Light & Lofty®”, Art. E708**  
(6 ounce solid/4.5 ounce multi-color skeins):  
12 Ounces No. 9632 Pine.

Wire coat hanger; 4"-wide cardboard; scissors;  
one 30g package mixed 3mm/4mm silver beads;  
one 30g package mixed 3mm/4mm gold beads;  
sewing needle and thread; one 20g package  
assorted acrylic crystals; 2"-wide wire-edge gold  
ribbon; pliers; fine wire for securing bow; hot  
glue gun and glue sticks.

With pliers, shape wire hanger into a triangle  
(see diagram).

**Yarn Bundle (Make approximately 60):** Wind  
yarn 20 times around the cardboard. Slip these  
strands off the cardboard. Then, with a separate  
8" strand of yarn, tie strands together at center  
(see Figure 1); do not cut the yarn loops.

Using the ends of the 8" strand, tie the bundle  
to the triangle, positioning the bundle  
perpendicular to the wire (see Figure 2). If  
necessary, trim ends of 8" strand.

Make another bundle and tie to the wire  
adjacent to the previous bundle. Continue to  
make bundles and tie them to the wire in the  
same way, positioning each bundle against the  
previous bundle and working around the form  
until the entire wire triangle is filled.

With approximately 40" of a double strand of  
thread in the sewing needle, string beads: secure  
the first bead approximately 5" from the ends  
of the thread by passing the needle 2 or 3 times  
through the bead so that it doesn't move; string  
beads until approximately 5" from the  
remaining ends; secure the last bead as before.  
Wrap strings of beads around the tree, tying  
ends of strings together as necessary. Make a  
bow from the ribbon; attach to the hanger with  
wire or glue. Glue crystals randomly to tree.

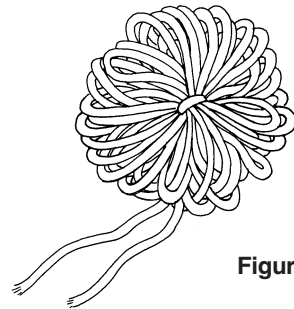
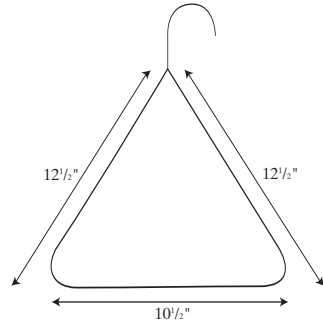
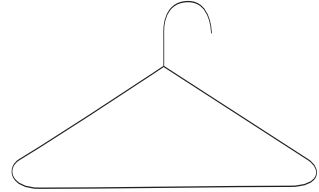


Figure 1

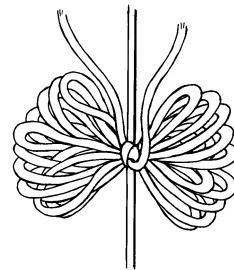


Figure 2

