

# Pattern

## COTTON QUICK UNI

### Tulips

#### Difficulty level:



#### Needles:



2,5 - 3,0

#### Quality:

Cotton Quick uni from Gründl  
100 % Cotton (mercerised, gas-  
sed, combed)  
50 g / 125 m



1 x 1 x 1 x 1 x 1 x

#### Size:

Size of the flower: approx. 6,5 cm

#### Usage:

For each flower approx. 50 g in  
Cotton Quick uni in col. desired for  
the petals (shown here in col. 128  
(fuchsia), col. 128 (yellow), col. 107  
(raspberry), col. 120 (cherry) and  
col. 108 (orchid)

Approx. 50g Cotton Quick uni in  
col. 103 (kiwi) for the stem and leaf.  
Additionally you will also need  
1 piece of 3mm thick aluminum  
wire (30 cm for each stem), double  
sided tape 3-6 mm and polyester  
filling material (approx. 3g per  
flower)

#### Tension:

22 sts and 27 rnds to 10 cm meas over dc in rnds  
using size 2 - 2,5 mm needles or size needed to  
achieve given tension.

#### Pattern:

Dc in spiral rnds: the dc are worked cont over  
the beg of the rnds. Mark the first st in each rnd  
with a contrast piece of yarn or a stitch marker.  
Dc2tog: Insert the crochet hook into the front  
loop of the first st and then soft into the front  
loop of the next st. There are now 2 sts and one  
loop on the needle. Pick up the yarn and pull  
through both loops then once again through the  
st. This way the decs are almost invisible. The  
decs can also be done when the sts are pulled  
through together which then makes a thicker  
stitch.

#### Instructions:

##### Petals:

Make a total of 4 petals for each flower. 1 petal  
is stuffed with filling material to create the cen-  
tre bloom and the remaining 3 petals are left  
unfilled and sewn around the centre petal.  
First work the 3 outer petals, leaving the start-  
ing yarn hanging to the outside:

Make a magic ring and dc6 into the ring (= rnd  
1). Cont dcs in spiral rnds. |

*Rnd 2:* double every st (= 2 dcs into one st)(= 12  
sts)

*Rnd 3:* double every 2nd st (= 18 sts)

*Rnd 4:* double every 6th st (= 21 sts)

*Rnds 5-11:* dc rnds without incs

*Rnd 12:* dc2tog every 6th and 7th st (= 18 sts)

*Rnd 13:* dc2tog every 5th and 6th st (= 15 sts)

*Rnd 14:* dc2tog every 4th and 5th st (= 12 sts)

*Rnd 15:* dc2tog every 3rd and 4th st (= 9 sts)

*Rnd 16:* dc2tog every 2nd and 3rd st (= 6 sts)

Cut yarn and pull through the 6 sts. Gather  
together and secure ends.

Now make a forth petal and in the 14th rnd  
insert a piece of wire into the bottom and make  
a loop to fasten it so it will not slide out. Pull the

starting yarn piece and wrap tightly around the wire to secure. Additionally you can add a few drops of textile glue to the inside of the petal and the wire to secure. Sew end of yarn (starting thread) onto the inside of the petal. Insert filling into the petal. Finish petal as given.

Arrange the 3 petals around the centre petal and sew together.

#### Leaf:

Using col. kiwi, make a magic ring and dc6 into the ring (= rnd 1). Cont dcs in spiral rnds, leaving the starting yarn hanging to the outside:

*Rnd 2:* double every st (= 2 dcs into one st) (= 12 sts)

*Rnd 3:* double every 2nd st (= 18 sts)

*Rnd 4:* double every 6th st (= 21 sts)

*Rnds 5-16:* dc rnds without incs

*Rnd 17:* dc2tog every 6th and 7th st (= 18 sts)

*Rnd 18:* dc rnds without incs

*Rnd 19:* dc2tog every 5th and 6th st (= 15 sts)

*Rnd 20:* dc rnds without incs

*Rnd 21:* dc2tog every 4th and 5th st (= 12 sts)

*Rnd 22:* dc rnds without incs

*Rnd 23:* dc2tog every 3rd and 4th st (= 9 sts)

*Rnd 24:* dc rnds without incs

*Rnd 25:* dc2tog every 2nd and 3rd st (= 6 sts)

Cut yarn and pull through the 6 sts. Gather together and secure ends.

#### Finishing:

Wrap the wire with double sided tape. Then wrap Cotton Quick uni in col. kiwi tightly around the wire, beginning at the bottom of the petals. Secure the start of the wrapping by folding the yarn back a few cm and wrapping over the end. Additionally a few drops of craft glue can be used to secure the ends. Secure the yarn at the other end of the stem with craft glue. Lay the leaf flat and wrap around the stem, wrapping the starting thread around the stem and the bottom of the leaf a few times. Sew bottom of leaf together. Secure ends.

#### **Abbreviations:**

approx. = approximate(ly)

beg = begin(ning)

ch = chain

col = colour(s)

cont = continue (continuously)

dc = double crochet

dec(s) = decrease(s)

inc = increase

meas = measure(d)

prev = previous

rnd(s) = round(s)

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)