## TwiddleMuffs can also be crocheted



Crocheted TwiddleMuffs are made in two layers and each layer is worked in the round and in a spiral with no need to join rounds unless instructed to do so. In the outer layer you could carry along strands of textured yarns - mohair, ribbon, chain and boucle in some rows. The bobbles are optional; you can work rows of bobbles, individual bobbles, or none at all in the outer layer

Instructions are given for two different diameters of muff

and length can be adjusted by working more of fewer rows.

Finished dimensions: S/M 10.5" long by 7" diameter, laid flat.

M/L 10.5" long by 7.5" diameter, laid flat.

Yarn: Aran

Hook: 8mm (or size required for tension)

Tension: 10 stitches and 9 rows to 4"

Abbreviations: ch - chain dc - double crochet

Make bobble (mb): [Yarn over hook, hook through stitch, yarn over and pull through 2 loops] 5 times in same stitch, yarn over and pull through all 6 loops on hook, 1 ch to secure (ch does not count as a stitch for next rnd.

## Inner/ outer sleeve: (make 2)

With aran yarn and 8mm hook chain 36 (40). Taking care not to twist the chain slip stitch into furthest chain from hook to make a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 1 (does not count as first stitch), 1 htr in same ch, 1 htr in each ch to end of rnd, place marker if using, 36 (40) sts.

Rnd 2: 1 htr in each st to end, move marker to denote new end of rnd, 36 (40) sts. Rnds 3-21: Repeat rnd 2.

Rnd 22: 1 htr in each st until 1 st remains, 1 dc in next st, sl st in next st.

Fasten off and break yarn leaving a long tail (at least 2 metres) for finishing off.

To make a bobble round mb in next st, dc in next st to end of rnd.

**Make bobble (mb):** [Yarn over hook, hook through stitch, yarn over and pull through 2 loops] 5 times in same stitch, yarn over and pull through all 6 loops on hook, 1 ch to secure N.B. following a bobble round remember that the chain that secures each bobble does not count as a stitch and should be skipped over on the next round.

Decorate inner and outer sleeve as desired with buttons, zips, beads and ribbons. **Please make sure that**, all sewn-on twiddles are securely stitched in place, and all ends are securely woven in.

## Join inner and outer sleeves

Turn the inner sleeve inside-out and slip it inside the outer sleeve. Make sure that you have one long yarn tail at either open end. Using 8mm hook and long yarn tail join the inner and outer sleeve together by working a round of dc, working into the starting chain of one layer and the final round of the other. Do this at each end to form a double-layered tube. Weave in all ends.

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