

HOW TO MAKE A PLAIN XMAS BAUBLE

Cast on 8 stitches. Join to work in the round.

1. *Increase 1 by knitting into the front and the back of the stitch.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. (16 stitches.)
2. Knit 2 rounds.
4. *Knit 1 stitch, **make 1 stitch**, knit 1 stitch.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. (24 stitches.)
5. Knit 7 rounds.
6. *Knit 1 stitch, **knit 2 stitches together**.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. (16 stitches.)
7. Knit 2 rounds.
8. Stuff your bauble with a polyester toy stuffing.
9. ***Knit 2 stitches together**.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. Cut the yarn leaving a 20cm tail.

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HOW TO MAKE A STRIPED XMAS BAUBLE

With colour A, cast on 8 stitches. Join to work in the round.

1. *Increase 1 by knitting into the front and the back of the stitch.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. (16 stitches.)
2. Knit 1 round.
3. With colour B, knit 1 round.
4. With colour A, *knit 1 stitch, **make 1 stitch**, knit 1 stitch.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. (24 stitches.)
5. Knit 1 round.
6. With colour B, knit 1 round.
7. With colour A, knit 2 rounds.
8. With colour B, knit 1 round.
9. With colour A, knit 2 rounds.
10. With colour B, *knit 1 stitch, **knit 2 stitches together**.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. (16 stitches.) Cut colour B.
11. With colour A, knit 2 rounds.
12. Stuff your bauble with a polyester toy stuffing.
13. *Knit 2 stitches together.* Repeat the section inside the stars a further 7 times. Cut the yarn leaving a 20cm tail.

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