



Simply Ami shoes, boots, and slippers

designed to fit 8.5 and 7 inch Simply Ami crochet doll

Materials:

- Fingering weight yarn. Models used Knit Picks Palette yarn
- Size C crochet hook
- Stitch marker
- Tapestry needle
- Buttons, beads, and bobs for decoration

Gauge: 7 sc = 1 inch

BLO = Back loops only. Work the indicated stitches in the back loops.

Picot = ch2, sl st in the top of the last st.

Basic shoe shape: work in rounds and do not join unless otherwise instructed. Use a stitch marker to keep track of the beginning of each round.

1: Chain 2, six sc in the second chain from the hook. 6sc

2: 2sc in each sc around. 12 sc

3: (Sc in the next sc, two sc in the next sc) around. 18 sc

4: (Sc in the next two sc, two sc in the next sc) around. 24 sc

5: BLO, sc in each sc around. 24 sc

6: Sc in the next eight sc, (dc next two sts tog) four times, sc in the last eight sc. 20 sts

7: Sc in the next eight sc (dc next two dc tog) twice, sc in the last eight sc. 18 sts

8: Sc in each sc around. 18 sts

At this point, you can stop and you have a ballet type slipper.



Ballet slipper on the left, Mary Jane's in the middle, Elf boots on the right

For MaryJanes: Work as for basic shoe through round 8

9: Sc in the next five sts. (Ch1, sc in the top of the last sc) nine times. This makes the strap. Skip the next 10 sts on the shoe, join in the next st with a sc, sc in the last three sts, slip st in the next st and fasten off.

For Elf shoes: Work the basic shoe through round 8

9: Sc in the next two sts, hdc in the next two sts, dc in the next two sts, trc in the next three sts, picot in the top of the last trc, ch4, sl st in the same st as the last trc. Sl st in the next st, ch4, trc, picot in the same st as the sl st; trc in the next two sts, dc in the next 2 sts, hdc in the next two sts, sc in the last two sts. Join and fasten off.



Joining for the tongue on the left, joining for the side of the boot on the right.

For Lace-up Boots: These can be worked in one or more colors, work as for basic shoe through round 7. Fasten off yarn.

The next nine rows make the tongue of the boot.

8: With the right side of the boot facing you, join yarn with a sc in the back loop of the sixth st from where you fastened off; sc in the back loops only of the next six sts (seven total), ch1, turn.

9-10: Sc in each sc across, ch1, turn. 7 sc

11: Sc first two sts tog, sc in the next three sts, sc the last two sts tog, ch1, turn

12-15: Sc in each sc across, ch1, turn. 5 sc

16: Skip the first st, sc in the next three sts, sl st in the last st, Finish off.

The next seven rows make the sides of the boot.

8: With the right side of the boot facing you, join yarn with a sc in sixth unused loop on first row of the tongue, sc in the same st; sc in the unused loop of the next st, sc in the next eleven sts, sc in the first unused loop on the first row of the tongue, two sc in the next unused loop, ch1, turn. 17 sc.

9-13: Sc in each sc across, ch1, turn. 17 sc.

14: Skip first sc, sc in the next 15 sc, sl st in the last sc, fasten off.

Cut a length of fingering yarn for the shoestrings and lace up the boot.

You can make the boots into saddle oxfords by removing two rows from the tongue and two rows from the sides of the boot.