

CRAFTY INTENTIONS

Developed by Megan Lapp aka Crafty Intentions, this crochet pattern is for Celestial Whale Add-On Pattern to be used with the Whale Pattern by Crafty Intentions! It is recommended for Intermediate level or above. A Celestial Whale from this pattern (combined with the Whale pattern) is 5 inches from side to side on the body, 23 inches from head to tail tip, and 22 from side fin tip to side fin tip. This pattern is written in U.S. terminology. Have fun!



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Materials List:

Yarn, in worsted weight, all amounts are approximate:

Wing Fin:

Largest Single Color: 120 yds for two

Largest 3 Color: 30-50 yds per color for two fins

Medium: 66 yds for two

Medium 3 Color: 25-35 yds per color for two fins

Smallest: 28 yds for two

Smallest 3 Color: 5-10 yds per color for two fins

Optional Accent Color (for all Wing Fins): 6 yds for two fins

Tail Fin Single Color: 152 yds for two

Tail Fin 3 Color: 40-60 yds per color for two fins

Optional Accent Color: 8 yds for two fins

G (4.0mm) Hook

Darning Needle

10-12 18" 18-gauge paper-wrapped stem wires, or suitable alternative (Like Bonsai Wire)

Duct Tape

Whale Body (with Belly sewn in place) from the Crafty Intentions Whale pattern

Glossary of Terms:

Right side out v. Inside out amigurumi	This pattern is written with the "right side" of the work facing out, unless otherwise noted. See this link for information on how to determine if you are working with the right side facing out https://youtu.be/beReNFWQPAs
[Brackets]	Brackets [like this] are used to indicate that these stitches are BLO or FLO. Ex.: BLO [SC 6]
&	Located between two stitches, the & indicates that both stitches are made into the same stitch, as an increase – but with two different types of stitches. Go here for video demonstration: https://youtu.be/jGA2nAzL2cU
< or >	Indicates the stitch will start (<) or finish (>) in the same stitch as the last stitch or the next stitch.
<Dec>	Beginning in the SAME stitch as your last stitch, make a decrease stitch into that and the next stitch, then into the same stitch that the decrease stitch ends in, begin your next stitch. Go here for video demonstration: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ni2ZM1cXJI4

2 Dec in 3 SC	<p>Make one decrease as normal, make the second decrease starting in the SAME stitch as the 1st decrease and ending in the next stitch.</p> <p>Go here for video demonstration: https://youtu.be/vWRuWd689KQ</p>
BLO []	<p>Back Loop Only</p> <p>**Pro-Tip: The rows with FLO or BLO stitches will be structured with brackets []. The brackets will enclose any and all stitches that the FLO or BLO instruction should apply to. EG: FLO [SC 3], SC 3 would mean three Single crochet stitches in the FLO and then three normal SC.</p>
Ch	Chain
DC	Double Crochet
DC Dec	<p>Double Crochet Decrease</p> <p>YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through all three loops</p>
DC/Half Trip Dec	<p>Double Crochet/Half Triple Crochet Decrease</p> <p>YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO twice, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through all four loops</p>
DC/HDC Dec	<p>Double Crochet/Half Double Crochet Decrease</p> <p>YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through 1 loop, YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through all four loops</p>
DC Inc	<p>Double Crochet Increase</p> <p>Two Double Crochet Stitches into the same stitch</p>
DC Triple Inc	<p>Double Crochet Triple Increase</p> <p>Three Double Crochet Stitches in one space.</p>
Dec	Decrease: One stitch combining two spaces. All decreases are single crochet decreases unless otherwise stated.
FLO []	<p>Front Loop Only</p> <p>**Pro-Tip: The rows with FLO or BLO stitches will be structured with brackets []. The brackets will enclose any and all stitches that the FLO or BLO instruction should apply to. EG: FLO [SC 3], SC 3 would mean three Single crochet stitches in</p>

	the FLO and then three normal SC.
FP DC	<p>Front Post Double Crochet YO, insert hook from front to back to front around post of corresponding stitch below, YO, pull up, YO, pull through two loops, YO, pull through two remaining loops</p> <p>Go here for video demonstration: https://youtu.be/DvBWZ9dCnYk</p>
FP HDC	<p>Front Post Half Double Crochet YO, insert hook from front to back to front around post of corresponding stitch below, YO, pull up, YO, pull through all remaining loops</p>
Half Trip	<p>Half Triple Crochet YO twice, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through all remaining loops</p>
Half Trip Dec	<p>Half Triple Crochet Decrease YO twice, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, twice insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through all five remaining loops</p>
Half Trip Inc	<p>Half Triple Crochet Increase Two Half Trip stitches into the same stitch</p>
HDC	Half Double Crochet
HDC Dec	<p>Half Double Crochet Decrease YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through all four loops</p>
HDC/DC Dec	<p>Half Double Crochet and Double Crochet Decrease YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through 1 loop, YO, pull through all three remaining loops</p>
HDC Inc	<p>Half Double Crochet Increase Two Half Double Crochet Stitches into the same stitch</p>

HDC Triple Inc	Half Double Crochet Triple Increase Three Half Double Crochet Stitches into the same stitch
HDC/SC Dec	Half Double Crochet/Single Crochet Decrease YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, Insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through all three loops **Pro-Tip: The HDC/SC Dec are often worked up the “steps” made by skipping the final stitches in previous rows. Work into the tops of stitches, not into the sides.
Inc	Increase, 2 stitches in one space Assume all increases are SC increases, unless otherwise specified
OC	Original Chain This refers to the very first set of Chain stitches you made to start the piece you’re working on.
Picot	Ch 3, Sl St in the 3 rd Ch from Hook
SC	Single Crochet
SC/HDC Dec	Single Crochet/Half Double Crochet Decrease Insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, Pull through all remaining stitches For video demonstration go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkxMOMqXg **Pro-Tip: The SC/HDC Dec are often worked down the “steps” made by skipping final stitches in the previous rows. Work into the tops of stitches, not into the sides.
Sk St	Skip Stitch
Sl St	Slip Stitch
Sl St to beginning Stitch, Ch 1	JOINING: Most of this pattern is written with a Slip Stitch, Chain 1 joining method for each row. This DOES affect the shape of each piece, but in a minor way, as the piece was written with the seam shift in mind. If you prefer to crochet in spiral/in the round you are welcome to try it but I do not guarantee that all asymmetrical sections will come out exactly as shown. For video demonstration go here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qqu5N7TCt3U
Spiral	When instructions note to work in a Spiral, you should work in the round without joining. For these rows DO NOT Sl St, Ch 1 join at the end of each row.
St	Stitch
Triple Crochet	YO twice, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through 2 loops,

	YO, pull through all remaining loops
Triple Crochet Dec	YO twice, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO twice, insert into next stitch, YO, pull up, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through 2 loops, YO, pull through all three loops
Triple Dec/ Triple SC Dec	Triple Decrease/Triple Single Crochet Decrease One stitch combining three spaces using single crochet. (Insert in next stitch space, YO, pull up) x 3, YO, pull through all four loops
Triple SC Inc	Triple Single Crochet Increase Three Single Crochet Stitches in one space.
YO	Yarn Over

Foreword

This pattern is dedicated to Jen Starbird. A good friend, editor, and brilliant crochet designer (Starbird Creations). I'm so grateful to get to work with you. Thank you.

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Celestial Whale Wing Fin: Largest (Fin 1)

Tools:

- Either: 1 Wing Fin Color Yarn (~ 120 yds for two)
- OR: 3 Wing Fin Colors of Yarn (~ 30-50 yds per color for two)
- Optional: Accent Color Yarn (~5 yds for two)
- 'G' (4 mm) hook

Make 2

	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 3 colors (a different color for each layer). The piece can also be worked with 2 layers instead of 3. The instructions below will give further details.	Stitch count
	Layer 1: Largest Wing Fin Layer	
1.	Starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 9, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 8, Ch 1, Turn	[8]
2.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 6, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
4.	BLO [SC 8], Ch 2, Turn	[8]
5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 7, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
6.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 2, Turn	[9]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 8, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
8.	BLO [Inc, SC 9], Ch 2, Turn	[11]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 10, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
10.	BLO [Inc, SC 11], Ch 2, Turn	[13]
		
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
12.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[14]
	**Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkxMOMqXg	

14.	BLO [SC 13], Ch 2, Turn	[13]
15.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 12, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[15]
16.	BLO [SC 14], Ch 2, Turn	[14]
17.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
18.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
19.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 3, SC 2, Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
20.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
		
21.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
22.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 3, Turn	[6]
23.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
24.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]
25.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 6, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
26.	BLO [SC 18], Ch 3, Turn	[18]
27.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
28.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
29.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[15]
30.	BLO [SC 14], Ch 3, Turn	[14]
		

31.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 7, SC 6, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
32.	<p>BLO [SC 18], Ch 3, Turn</p> 	[18]
33.	<p>Starting in the 2nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 9, SC 8, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches</p> 	[42]
<p>For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 34) without fastening off.</p> <p>For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.</p>		

Layer 2: Medium Wing Fin Layer		
1. or 34.	Ch 6, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, Ch 1, Turn	[5]
2. or 35.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
3. or 36.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
4. or 37.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
5. or 38.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
6. or 39.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
7. or 40.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 5, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
8. or 41.	BLO [Inc, SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[8]
9. or 42.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 7, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
10. or 43.	BLO [Inc, SC 8], Ch 2, Turn	[10]
		
11. or 44.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
12. or 45.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
13. or 46.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
14. or 47.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 2, Turn	[10]
15. or 48.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 9, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
16. or 49.	BLO [SC 11], Ch 2, Turn	[11]
17. or 50.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
18. or 51.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
19. or 52.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2, Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
20. or 53.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]
		

21. or 54.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
22. or 55.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 3, Turn	[5]
23. or 56.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
24. or 57.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
25. or 58.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
26. or 59.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
27. or 60.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
28. or 61.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 3, Turn	[6]
29. or 62.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
30. or 63.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]
		
31. or 64.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 5, SC 6, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
32. or 65.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
33. or 66.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 7, SC 7, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the Wing Fin back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches	[39]
		



For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 67) without fastening off.

For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the second layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 3rd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.

For a Wing Fin with only 2 layers: Fasten off here with a 24” yarn tail. Proceed to Row 96.

Layer 3: Smallest Wing Fin Layer

1. or 67.	Ch 4, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, Ch 1, Turn	[3]
2. or 68.	BLO [SC 2], Ch 2, Turn	[2]
3. or 69.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
4. or 70.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
5. or 71.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
6. or 72.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
7. or 73.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
8. or 74.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
9. or 75.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
10. or 76.	BLO [Inc, SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
11. or 77.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
12. or 78.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
13. or 79.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
14. or 80.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]

15. or 81.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 6, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
16. or 82.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
17. or 83.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
18. or 84.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
19. or 85.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
20. or 86.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
		
21. or 87.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
22. or 88.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
23. or 89.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
24. or 90.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 3, Turn	[9]
25. or 91.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
26. or 92.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
27. or 93.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
28. or 94.	BLO [SC 8], Ch 3, Turn	[8]
29. or 95.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches, Ch 1, Turn	[32]
	<p>**Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.</p> 	



30. or 96.

Align all 3 (or 2) panels layering the smallest (3rd) on top, the medium (2nd) in the middle, and the largest (1st) on the bottom.

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Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each.

Working through all 3 (or 2) layers of the final row on each panel at the same time, SC 31, continuing through only the medium (2nd) and largest (1st) panel at the same time, SC 5, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn





31. or 97.

Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 36 back to the OC

[36]



Fasten off here with a 36" yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.

Celestial Whale Wing Fin: Medium (Fin 2)

Tools:

- Either: 1 Fin Color Yarn (~ 66 yds for two)
- OR: 3 Fin Colors of Yarn (~ 25-35 yds per color for two)
- Optional: Accent Color Yarn (~5 yds for two)
- 'G' (4 mm) hook

Make 2

	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 3 colors (a different color for each layer). The piece can also be worked with 2 layers instead of 3. The instructions below will give further details.	Stitch count
	Layer 1: Largest Wing Fin Layer	
1.	Starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 7, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, Ch 1, Turn	[6]
2.	BLO [Inc, SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 5, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
4.	BLO [Inc, SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[8]
5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 7, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
6.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 2, Turn	[9]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 8, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
8.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 2, Turn	[10]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
10.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
		
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
	**Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkxMOMqXg	
12.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 9, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
14.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]

15.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
16.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 3, Turn	[5]
17.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
18.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
19.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
20.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
		
21.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
22.	BLO [SC 8], Ch 3, Turn	[8]
23.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 3, SC 4], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 14 stitches	[32]
		
<p>For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 24) without fastening off.</p> <p>For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.</p>		
Layer 2: Medium Wing Fin Layer		
1. or 24.	Ch 4, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, Ch 1, Turn	[3]
2. or 25.	BLO [Inc, SC], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
3. or 26.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
4. or 27.	BLO [Inc, SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
5. or 28.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
6. or 29.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
7. or 30.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 5, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
8. or 31.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]

9. or 32.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
10. or 33.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
		
11. or 34.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
12. or 35.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
13. or 36.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 6, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
14. or 37.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 3, Turn	[9]
15. or 38.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
16. or 39.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 3, Turn	[5]
17. or 40.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
18. or 41.	BLO [SC 11], Ch 3, Turn	[11]
		
19. or 42.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 5, SC 6], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 14 stitches	[27]
		

		
	<p>For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 43) without fastening off.</p> <p>For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the second layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 3rd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.</p> <p>For a Wing Fin with only 2 layers: Fasten off here with a 24” yarn tail. Proceed to Row 60.</p>	
	<p>Layer 3: Smallest Wing Fin Layer</p>	
1. or 43.	Ch 3, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, Ch 1, Turn	[2]
2. or 44.	BLO [SC], Ch 2, Turn	[1]
3. or 45.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC], Ch 1, Turn	[2]
4. or 46.	BLO [SC], Ch 2, Turn	[1]
5. or 47.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[3]
6. or 48.	BLO [SC 2], Ch 2, Turn	[2]
7. or 49.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
8. or 50.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
9. or 51.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
10. or 52.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
		
11. or 53.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[3]
12. or 54.	BLO [SC 2], Ch 3, Turn	[2]
13. or 55.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
14. or 56.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 3, Turn	[6]
15. or 57.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 6], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
16. or 58.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]

17. or 59.	<p>Starting in the 2nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 4], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 14 stitches, Ch 1, Turn</p> <p>**Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.</p>	[23]
		
18. or 60.	<p>Align all 3 (or 2) panels layering the smallest (3rd) on top, the medium (2nd) in the middle, and the largest (1st) on the bottom.</p> <p>Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each.</p>	[26]
		
<p>Working through all 3 (or 2) layers of the final row on each panel at the same time, SC 22, continuing through only the medium (2nd) and largest (1st) panel at the same time, SC 3, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn</p>		



19. or 61.

Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 25 back to the OC

[25]



Fasten off here with a 36" yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.

Celestial Whale Wing Fin: Small (Fin 3)

Tools:

- Either: 1 Fin Color Yarn (~28 yds)
- OR: 2 Fin Colors of Yarn (~5-10 yds for two)
- Optional: Accent Color Yarn (~5 yds for two)
- 'G' (4 mm) hook

Make 2

	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 2 colors (a different color for each layer).	Stitch count
	Layer 1: Largest Wing Fin Layer	
1.	Starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 5, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, Ch 1, Turn	[4]
2.	BLO [Inc, SC 2], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
4.	BLO [Inc, SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
6.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
8.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 3, Turn	[3]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
	**Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkwMOMqXg	
10.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
		
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
12.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[8]

14.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
15.	<p>Starting in the 2nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 8 stitches</p> 	[19]
<p>For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 24) without fastening off.</p> <p>For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24" yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.</p>		

	Layer 2: Smallest Wing Fin Layer	
1. or 16.	Ch 3, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, Ch 1, Turn	[2]
2. or 17.	BLO [SC], Ch 2, Turn	[1]
3. or 18.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC], Ch 1, Turn	[2]
4. or 19.	BLO [Inc], Ch 2, Turn	[2]
5. or 20.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
6. or 21.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 3, Turn	[3]
7. or 22.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
8. or 23.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
		
9. or 24.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 8 stitches, Ch 1 **Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.	[14]
		
10. or 25.	Align the 2 panels layering the smallest (2 nd) on the top, and the largest (1 st) on the bottom. Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each.	[17]
		



Working through both layers of the final row on both panels at the same time, SC 13, continuing through only the largest (1st) panel, SC 3, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn

11. or 26.

Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 16 back to the OC

[16]



Fasten off here with a 36" yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.

Celestial Whale Tail Fin

Tools:

- Either: 1 Tail Fin Color Yarn (~152 yds for two)
- OR: 3 Fin Colors of Yarn (~40-60 yds for two)
- Optional: Accent Color (~8 yds for two)
- 'G' (4 mm) hook

Make 2

	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 3 colors (a different color for each layer). The piece can also be worked with 2 layers instead of 3. The instructions below will give further details.	Stitch count
	Layer 1: Largest Tail Fin Layer	
1.	Start with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 21, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 18, HDC Dec, Ch 1, Turn,	[19]
2.	BLO [Dec, SC 16], Ch 7, Turn	[17]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 15, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[22]
4.	BLO [Dec, SC 18], Ch 7, Turn	[19]
5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 17, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[24]
6.	BLO [Dec, SC 20], Ch 7, Turn	[21]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 21], Ch 1, Turn	[27]
8.	BLO [Dec, SC 23], Ch 4, Turn	[24]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 24], Ch 1, Turn	[27]
10.	BLO [SC 25], Ch 4, Turn	[25]
		
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 25], Ch 1, Turn	[28]
12.	BLO [Dec, SC 23], Ch 4, Turn	[24]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 24], Ch 1, Turn	[27]
14.	BLO [Dec, SC 23], Ch 4, Turn	[24]
15.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 6, SC 6], Ch 1, Turn	[15]

16.	BLO [SC 13], Ch 4, Turn	[13]
17.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 5, SC 7, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 5, SC 4, Dec], Ch 1, Turn **Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkxMOMqXg	[27]
18.	BLO [SC 24], Ch 3, Turn	[24]
19.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 22, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[25]
20.	BLO [Dec, SC 20], Ch 3, Turn 	[21]
21.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 5, SC 5], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
22.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 5, Turn	[9]
23.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC 4, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[18]
24.	BLO [SC 16], Ch 7, Turn	[16]
25.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, DC 3, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 9, SC 6, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC 3, Dec], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last Stitch, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the tail fin back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches by working SC 17 and then an Increase in the final available stitch space at the OC 	[46]



For a Tail Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 26) without fastening off.

For a Tail Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Tail Fin Layer with Row 1 below.

Layer 2: Medium Tail Fin Layer

1. or 26.	Ch 15, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 12, HDC Dec, Ch 1, Turn,	[13]
2. or 27.	BLO [Dec, SC 10], Ch 7, Turn	[11]
3. or 28.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 9, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
4. or 29.	BLO [Dec, SC 12], Ch 7, Turn	[13]
5. or 30.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 11, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[18]
6. or 31.	BLO [Dec, SC 14], Ch 7, Turn	[15]
7. or 32.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 15], Ch 1, Turn	[21]
8. or 33.	BLO [Dec, SC 17], Ch 4, Turn	[18]
9. or 34.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 18], Ch 1, Turn	[21]
10. or 35.	BLO [SC 19], Ch 3, Turn	[19]



11. or 36.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 19], Ch 1, Turn	[21]
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12. or 37.	BLO [Dec, SC 16], Ch 3, Turn	[17]
13. or 38.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 17], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
14. or 39.	BLO [Dec, SC 15], Ch 4, Turn	[16]
15. or 40.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 4, SC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
16. or 41.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 4, Turn	[9]
17. or 42.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 3, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 3, SC 2, Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
18. or 43.	BLO [SC 16], Ch 3, Turn	[16]
19. or 44.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 14, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[17]
20. or 45.	BLO [Dec, SC 12], Ch 5, Turn	[13]
		
21. or 46.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC 3, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
22. or 47.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 6, Turn	[7]
		
23. or 48.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, BLO [HDC 2, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2, Dec], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the tail fin back to the OC,	[37]

SC EXACTLY 19 stitches by working SC 17 and then an Increase in the final available stitch space at the OC



For a Tail Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 49) without fastening off.

For a Tail Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the second layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 3rd Tail Fin Layer with Row 1 below.

For a Tail Fin with only 2 layers: Fasten off here with a 24” yarn tail. Proceed to Row 68.

Layer 3: Smallest Tail Fin Layer

1. or 49.	Ch 8, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, HDC Dec, Ch 1, Turn,	[6]
2. or 50.	BLO [Dec, SC 2], Ch 7, Turn	[3]

3. or 51.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
4. or 52.	BLO [Dec, SC 4], Ch 7, Turn	[5]
5. or 53.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 3, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
6. or 54.	BLO [Dec, SC 6], Ch 7, Turn	[7]
7. or 55.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 7], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
8. or 56.	BLO [Dec, SC 9], Ch 4, Turn	[10]
9. or 57.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 10], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
10. or 58.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
		
11. or 59.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 10], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
12. or 60.	BLO [Dec, SC 7], Ch 4, Turn	[8]
13. or 61.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 8], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
14. or 62.	BLO [Dec, SC 6], Ch 5, Turn	[7]
15. or 63.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2, Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
16. or 64.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 5, Turn	[7]
17. or 65.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
18. or 66.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 6, Turn	[4]
		

19. or 67.

Starting in the 2nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, Dec], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the tail fin back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 17 stitches by working SC 15 and then an Increase in the final available stitch space at the OC, Ch 1

[29]

****Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.**



20. or 68.

Align all 3 (or 2) panels layering the smallest (3rd) on top, the medium (2nd) in the middle, and the largest (1st) on the bottom.

[45]

Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each.

Working through all 3 (or 2) layers of the final row on each panel at the same time, Inc, SC 26, continuing through only the medium (2nd) and largest (1st) panel at the same time, SC 7, continuing through only the largest (1st) panel, SC 9, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn





21. or 69. Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 44 back to the OC

[44]



Fasten off here with a 36" yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.

Assembly

Tools:

All finished pieces (Whale Body with Whale Belly sewn in place, Wing Fins, Wing Tail)
10-12 pieces of 18-inch 18-gauge wire

Darning Needle

Scissors

	Wing Fins Wiring and Assembly:	
1.	<p>Pin ALL the Side fins to attach to either side of the body of the whale. The three sets of side celestial fins should start just above the belly area, and continue along the side of the body, aligned with the tail fin. Pinning all 3 at the same time is important to make sure that it looks right to you with all 3 pinned to either side.</p> 	
2.	<p>Use wire that is strong, yet moldable. I recommend 18" 18g paper-wrapped stem wire, the kind found in the faux floral section of craft stores. There are many alternate wires that will work. Do not use pipe cleaners as they are far too light/weak. You are creating a wire armature inside the crochet work to support and stabilize the piece.</p> <p>Using two separate pieces of approximately 18" wire per fin size, insert the first through the body of the whale at the point just under where the top edge of the side fin is positioned.</p> <p>Insert the second wire 2 - 4 stitches down (closer to the tail tip) from the first. This can be a wider distance for the largest side fin, but a much smaller distance for the smallest side fin. The wires will need to be hidden between the panels of the side fin. If the wires are too far apart, they will not be hidden between the side fin panels. Double check that they are spaced appropriately by putting the side fin's largest panels around the two wires to check that they can be hidden between those panels.</p>	







3.	Wrap the two separate pieces of wire for each fin together with thin strips of duct tape on either side of the whale body to secure them together	
4.	<p>Sandwich the wire in between the two largest panels of the fin. The wire should be shaped to match the curves of the leading edge of the side fin. Pin the fin around the wire.</p>  <p>If the wire is not long enough to reach the end of the area between the two largest panels, you can add a small amount of wire by taking a length of wire, folding it in half, and securing it to the original fin wire with thin strips of duct tape. This will likely be necessary for the largest side fin and you do not need a full piece of 18” wire, you can use half or less, just make sure it overlaps with the current wire by several inches to ensure it is strong enough.</p> 	

If the wire is too long and extends beyond the area between the two largest panels, you can trim the wire to only be 2 – 3 inches beyond the end of the Wing Fin panel, then fold the wire over on itself and secure this fold with thin strips of duct tape. This will likely be necessary for the smallest side fin. You want the bent end of the wire at the Wing Fin tip so that the end of the wire will not poke through the work.



5. Use yarn tails to sew the fin in place around the wire, and to sew the fin to attach to the body wherever the fin touches the body. Sew around the wire tightly to help prevent spinning on the wire, sew in between the two wires if possible. You can also sew/tack down the tip of each feather on the fin, so that they don't curl up. Weave in the ends.



Wing Tail Wiring and Assembly:

1. Pin the Tail fins to attach to either side of the body of the whale. The bottom inner-edge of the tail fin (Row 1 of each part) should be aligned with the tip of the whale's tail.



2. Use wire that is strong, yet moldable. I recommend 18" 18g paper-wrapped stem wire, the kind found in the faux floral section of craft stores. There are many alternate wires that will work. Do not use pipe cleaners as they are far too light/weak. You are creating a wire armature inside the crochet work to support and stabilize the piece.

Using two separate pieces of approximately 18" wire, insert the first through the side of the end of the tail on the whale's body at the point just under where the top edge of the tail fin is pinned to the Body.



Insert the second wire 2 stitches down from the first, closer to the tail tip on the whale's body.



3. Wrap the two separate pieces of wire together with thin strips of duct tape. To secure them.



4. Sandwich the wire in between the two largest panels of the fin. The wire should be shaped to match the curves of the leading edge of the fin. Pin the fin around the wire.





If the wire is too long and extends beyond the area between the two largest panels, you can trim the wire to only be 2 – 3 inches beyond the end of the Tail Fin panel, then fold the wire over on itself and secure this fold with thin strips of duct tape. You want the bent end of the wire at the Tail Fin tip so that the end of the wire will not poke through the work.

5. Use yarn tails to sew the fin in place around the wire, and to sew the fin to attach to the body wherever the fin touches the body. Sew around the wire tightly to help prevent spinning on the wire, sew in between the two wires if possible. You can also sew/tack down the tip of each feather on the fin, so that they don't curl up. Weave in the ends.



Finished Photos

Photos of Finished whales were taken as they were supported by a sharpened acrylic donut stand. If it is not visible in the photo, it was edited out of the photo to put the focus on the crochet work.







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TEXT ONLY: Celestial Whale Wing Fin: Largest (Fin 1)

Tools:

- Either: 1 Wing Fin Color Yarn (~ 120 yds for two)
- OR: 3 Wing Fin Colors of Yarn (~ 30-50 yds per color for two)
- Optional: Accent Color Yarn (~5 yds for two)
- 'G' (4 mm) hook

Make 2

		Stitch count
	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 3 colors (a different color for each layer). The piece can also be worked with 2 layers instead of 3. The instructions below will give further details.	
	Layer 1: Largest Wing Fin Layer	
1.	Starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 9, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 8, Ch 1, Turn	[8]
2.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 6, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
4.	BLO [SC 8], Ch 2, Turn	[8]
5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 7, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
6.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 2, Turn	[9]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 8, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
8.	BLO [Inc, SC 9], Ch 2, Turn	[11]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 10, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
10.	BLO [Inc, SC 11], Ch 2, Turn	[13]
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
12.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[14]
	**Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wvxMOMqXg	
14.	BLO [SC 13], Ch 2, Turn	[13]
15.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 12, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[15]
16.	BLO [SC 14], Ch 2, Turn	[14]
17.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
18.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
19.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 3, SC 2, Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
20.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
21.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
22.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 3, Turn	[6]
23.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
24.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]

25.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 6, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
26.	BLO [SC 18], Ch 3, Turn	[18]
27.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
28.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
29.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[15]
30.	BLO [SC 14], Ch 3, Turn	[14]
31.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 7, SC 6, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
32.	BLO [SC 18], Ch 3, Turn	[18]
33.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 9, SC 8, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches	[42]
	For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 34) without fastening off.	
	For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.	
	Layer 2: Medium Wing Fin Layer	
1. or 34.	Ch 6, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, Ch 1, Turn	[5]
2. or 35.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
3. or 36.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
4. or 37.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
5. or 38.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
6. or 39.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
7. or 40.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 5, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
8. or 41.	BLO [Inc, SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[8]
9. or 42.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 7, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
10. or 43.	BLO [Inc, SC 8], Ch 2, Turn	[10]
11. or 44.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
12. or 45.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
13. or 46.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
14. or 47.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 2, Turn	[10]
15. or 48.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 9, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
16. or 49.	BLO [SC 11], Ch 2, Turn	[11]
17. or 50.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
18. or 51.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
19. or 52.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2, Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
20. or 53.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]
21. or 54.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
22. or 55.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 3, Turn	[5]

23. or 56.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
24. or 57.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
25. or 58.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
26. or 59.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
27. or 60.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
28. or 61.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 3, Turn	[6]
29. or 62.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
30. or 63.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]
31. or 64.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 5, SC 6, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
32. or 65.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
33. or 66.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 7, SC 7, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the Wing Fin back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches	[39]
	For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 67) without fastening off.	
	For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the second layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 3rd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.	
	For a Wing Fin with only 2 layers: Fasten off here with a 24” yarn tail. Proceed to Row 96.	
	Layer 3: Smallest Wing Fin Layer	
1. or 67.	Ch 4, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, Ch 1, Turn	[3]
2. or 68.	BLO [SC 2], Ch 2, Turn	[2]
3. or 69.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
4. or 70.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
5. or 71.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
6. or 72.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
7. or 73.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
8. or 74.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
9. or 75.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
10. or 76.	BLO [Inc, SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
11. or 77.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
12. or 78.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
13. or 79.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
14. or 80.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
15. or 81.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 6, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
16. or 82.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
17. or 83.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
18. or 84.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]

19. or 85.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
20. or 86.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
21. or 87.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
22. or 88.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
23. or 89.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
24. or 90.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 3, Turn	[9]
25. or 91.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
26. or 92.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
27. or 93.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
28. or 94.	BLO [SC 8], Ch 3, Turn	[8]
29. or 95.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC], Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches, Ch 1, Turn **Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.	[32]
30. or 96.	Align all 3 (or 2) panels layering the smallest (3 rd) on top, the medium (2 nd) in the middle, and the largest (1 st) on the bottom. Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each. Working through all 3 (or 2) layers of the final row on each panel at the same time, SC 31, continuing through only the medium (2 nd) and largest (1 st) panel at the same time, SC 5, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn	[37]
31. or 97.	Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 36 back to the OC	[36]
	Fasten off here with a 36” yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.	

TEXT ONLY: Celestial Whale Wing Fin: Medium (Fin 2)

Tools:

- Either: 1 Fin Color Yarn (~ 66 yds for two)
 OR: 3 Fin Colors of Yarn (~ 25-35 yds per color for two)
 Optional: Accent Color Yarn (~5 yds for two)
 ‘G’ (4 mm) hook

Make 2

		Stitch count
	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 3 colors (a different color for each layer). The piece can also be worked with 2 layers instead of 3. The instructions below will give further details.	
	Layer 1: Largest Wing Fin Layer	
1.	Starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 7, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, Ch 1, Turn	[6]
2.	BLO [Inc, SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 5, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
4.	BLO [Inc, SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[8]
5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 7, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
6.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 2, Turn	[9]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 8, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
8.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 2, Turn	[10]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
10.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
	**Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkxMOMqXg	
12.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 9, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
14.	BLO [SC 12], Ch 3, Turn	[12]
15.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
16.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 3, Turn	[5]
17.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
18.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
19.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
20.	BLO [SC 15], Ch 3, Turn	[15]
21.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[9]
22.	BLO [SC 8], Ch 3, Turn	[8]

23.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 3, SC 4], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 14 stitches	[32]
	For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 24) without fastening off.	
	For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.	
	Layer 2: Medium Wing Fin Layer	
1. or 24.	Ch 4, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, Ch 1, Turn	[3]
2. or 25.	BLO [Inc, SC], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
3. or 26.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
4. or 27.	BLO [Inc, SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
5. or 28.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
6. or 29.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
7. or 30.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 5, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
8. or 31.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 2, Turn	[7]
9. or 32.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
10. or 33.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
11. or 34.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
12. or 35.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
13. or 36.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 6, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
14. or 37.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 3, Turn	[9]
15. or 38.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[6]
16. or 39.	BLO [SC 5], Ch 3, Turn	[5]
17. or 40.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 3, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
18. or 41.	BLO [SC 11], Ch 3, Turn	[11]
19. or 42.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 5, SC 6], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 14 stitches	[27]
	For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 43) without fastening off.	
	For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the second layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 3rd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.	
	For a Wing Fin with only 2 layers: Fasten off here with a 24” yarn tail. Proceed to Row 60.	
	Layer 3: Smallest Wing Fin Layer	
1. or 43.	Ch 3, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, Ch 1, Turn	[2]
2. or 44.	BLO [SC], Ch 2, Turn	[1]
3. or 45.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC], Ch 1, Turn	[2]

4. or 46.	BLO [SC], Ch 2, Turn	[1]
5. or 47.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[3]
6. or 48.	BLO [SC 2], Ch 2, Turn	[2]
7. or 49.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
8. or 50.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[3]
9. or 51.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 2, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
10. or 52.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
11. or 53.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[3]
12. or 54.	BLO [SC 2], Ch 3, Turn	[2]
13. or 55.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [SC, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
14. or 56.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 3, Turn	[6]
15. or 57.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 6], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
16. or 58.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
17. or 59.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3, SC 4], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 14 stitches, Ch 1, Turn **Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.	[23]
18. or 60.	Align all 3 (or 2) panels layering the smallest (3 rd) on top, the medium (2 nd) in the middle, and the largest (1 st) on the bottom. Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each. Working through all 3 (or 2) layers of the final row on each panel at the same time, SC 22, continuing through only the medium (2 nd) and largest (1 st) panel at the same time, SC 3, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn	[26]
19. or 61.	Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 25 back to the OC	[25]
	Fasten off here with a 36” yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.	

TEXT ONLY: Celestial Whale Wing Fin: Small (Fin 3)

Tools:

- Either: 1 Fin Color Yarn (~28 yds)
 OR: 2 Fin Colors of Yarn (~5-10 yds for two)
 Optional: Accent Color Yarn (~5 yds for two)
 ‘G’ (4 mm) hook

Make 2

		Stitch count
	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 2 colors (a different color for each layer).	
	Layer 1: Largest Wing Fin Layer	
1.	Starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 5, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, Ch 1, Turn	[4]
2.	BLO [Inc, SC 2], Ch 2, Turn	[4]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
4.	BLO [Inc, SC 3], Ch 2, Turn	[5]
5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC 4, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
6.	BLO [SC 6], Ch 2, Turn	[6]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
8.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 3, Turn	[3]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
	**Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkxMOMqXg	
10.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
12.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
14.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 3, Turn	[7]
15.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 4, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 8 stitches	[19]
	For a Wing Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 24) without fastening off.	
	For a Wing Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Wing Fin Layer with Row 1 below.	
	Layer 2: Smallest Wing Fin Layer	
1. or 16.	Ch 3, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, Ch 1, Turn	[2]
2. or 17.	BLO [SC], Ch 2, Turn	[1]

3. or 18.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC], Ch 1, Turn	[2]
4. or 19.	BLO [Inc], Ch 2, Turn	[2]
5. or 20.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, BLO [HDC, HDC Inc], Ch 1, Turn	[4]
6. or 21.	BLO [SC 3], Ch 3, Turn	[3]
7. or 22.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[5]
8. or 23.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 3, Turn	[4]
9. or 24.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 2, SC 2], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the wing back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 8 stitches, Ch 1 **Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.	[14]
10. or 25.	Align the 2 panels layering the smallest (2 nd) on the top, and the largest (1 st) on the bottom. Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each. Working through both layers of the final row on both panels at the same time, SC 13, continuing through only the largest (1 st) panel, SC 3, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn	[17]
11. or 26.	Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 16 back to the OC	[16]
	Fasten off here with a 36” yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.	

TEXT ONLY: Celestial Whale Tail Fin

Tools:

Either: 1 Tail Fin Color Yarn (~152 yds for two)
OR: 3 Fin Colors of Yarn (~40-60 yds for two)
Optional: Accent Color (~8 yds for two)
‘G’ (4 mm) hook

Make 2

	**Note: This piece can be worked with 1 color or with 3 colors (a different color for each layer). The piece can also be worked with 2 layers instead of 3. The instructions below will give further details.	Stitch count
	Layer 1: Largest Tail Fin Layer	
1.	Start with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later, Ch 21, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 18, HDC Dec, Ch 1, Turn,	[19]
2.	BLO [Dec, SC 16], Ch 7, Turn	[17]
3.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 15, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[22]
4.	BLO [Dec, SC 18], Ch 7, Turn	[19]

5.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 17, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[24]
6.	BLO [Dec, SC 20], Ch 7, Turn	[21]
7.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 21], Ch 1, Turn	[27]
8.	BLO [Dec, SC 23], Ch 4, Turn	[24]
9.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 24], Ch 1, Turn	[27]
10.	BLO [SC 25], Ch 4, Turn	[25]
11.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 25], Ch 1, Turn	[28]
12.	BLO [Dec, SC 23], Ch 4, Turn	[24]
13.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 24], Ch 1, Turn	[27]
14.	BLO [Dec, SC 23], Ch 4, Turn	[24]
15.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 6, SC 6], Ch 1, Turn	[15]
16.	BLO [SC 13], Ch 4, Turn	[13]
17.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 5, SC 7, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 5, SC 4, Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[27]
	**Note: For video demonstration of the SC/HDC Dec, go here: https://youtu.be/h4wkwMOMqXg	
18.	BLO [SC 24], Ch 3, Turn	[24]
19.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 22, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[25]
20.	BLO [Dec, SC 20], Ch 3, Turn	[21]
21.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 5, SC 5], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
22.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 5, Turn	[9]
23.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC 4, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[18]
24.	BLO [SC 16], Ch 7, Turn	[16]
25.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC, DC 3, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 9, SC 6, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, SC 3, Dec], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last Stitch, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the tail fin back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches by working SC 17 and then an Increase in the final available stitch space at the OC	[46]
	For a Tail Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 26) without fastening off.	
	For a Tail Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the first layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 2nd Tail Fin Layer with Row 1 below.	
	Layer 2: Medium Tail Fin Layer	
1. or 26.	Ch 15, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 12, HDC Dec, Ch 1, Turn,	[13]
2. or 27.	BLO [Dec, SC 10], Ch 7, Turn	[11]
3. or 28.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 9, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[16]
4. or 29.	BLO [Dec, SC 12], Ch 7, Turn	[13]
5. or 30.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 11, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[18]
6. or 31.	BLO [Dec, SC 14], Ch 7, Turn	[15]
7. or 32.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 15], Ch 1, Turn	[21]
8. or 33.	BLO [Dec, SC 17], Ch 4, Turn	[18]
9. or 34.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 18], Ch 1, Turn	[21]
10. or 35.	BLO [SC 19], Ch 3, Turn	[19]

11. or 36.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 19], Ch 1, Turn	[21]
12. or 37.	BLO [Dec, SC 16], Ch 3, Turn	[17]
13. or 38.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 17], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
14. or 39.	BLO [Dec, SC 15], Ch 4, Turn	[16]
15. or 40.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 4, SC 4], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
16. or 41.	BLO [SC 9], Ch 4, Turn	[9]
17. or 42.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 3, SC 5, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 3, SC 2, Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[19]
18. or 43.	BLO [SC 16], Ch 3, Turn	[16]
19. or 44.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 14, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[17]
20. or 45.	BLO [Dec, SC 12], Ch 5, Turn	[13]
21. or 46.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC 3, SC 3], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
22. or 47.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 6, Turn	[7]
23. or 48.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, BLO [HDC 2, SC 4, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC 2, SC 2, Dec], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the tail fin back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 19 stitches by working SC 17 and then an Increase in the final available stitch space at the OC	[37]
	For a Tail Fin with one color: Continue to the next row (Row 49) without fastening off.	
	For a Tail Fin with multiple colors: Fasten off the second layer here with a 24” yarn tail. Using the new yarn color (starting with a long enough yarn tail to weave in later), Start the 3rd Tail Fin Layer with Row 1 below.	
	For a Tail Fin with only 2 layers: Fasten off here with a 24” yarn tail. Proceed to Row 68.	
	Layer 3: Smallest Tail Fin Layer	
1. or 49.	Ch 8, Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, HDC Dec, Ch 1, Turn,	[6]
2. or 50.	BLO [Dec, SC 2], Ch 7, Turn	[3]
3. or 51.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[8]
4. or 52.	BLO [Dec, SC 4], Ch 7, Turn	[5]
5. or 53.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 3, HDC Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
6. or 54.	BLO [Dec, SC 6], Ch 7, Turn	[7]
7. or 55.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 6, BLO [HDC 7], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
8. or 56.	BLO [Dec, SC 9], Ch 4, Turn	[10]
9. or 57.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 10], Ch 1, Turn	[13]
10. or 58.	BLO [SC 10], Ch 3, Turn	[10]
11. or 59.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 2, BLO [HDC 10], Ch 1, Turn	[12]
12. or 60.	BLO [Dec, SC 7], Ch 4, Turn	[8]
13. or 61.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 3, BLO [HDC 8], Ch 1, Turn	[11]
14. or 62.	BLO [Dec, SC 6], Ch 5, Turn	[7]
15. or 63.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC 3, SC 2, Dec], Ch 1, Turn	[10]
16. or 64.	BLO [SC 7], Ch 5, Turn	[7]
17. or 65.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 4, BLO [HDC, SC 2], Ch 1, Turn	[7]
18. or 66.	BLO [SC 4], Ch 6, Turn	[4]

19. or 67.	Starting in the 2 nd Ch from Hook, HDC 5, BLO [HDC, SC 2, SC/HDC Dec & HDC, HDC, Dec], NOT Starting in the same stitch as where you worked the last SC, Continue to crochet down the unfinished edge of the tail fin back to the OC, SC EXACTLY 17 stitches by working SC 15 and then an Increase in the final available stitch space at the OC, Ch 1 **Note: It is optional to fasten off here, and work the following Row in an Accent color, or using the color of one of the previous panels.	[29]
20. or 68.	Align all 3 (or 2) panels layering the smallest (3 rd) on top, the medium (2 nd) in the middle, and the largest (1 st) on the bottom. Hold the layered wing pieces so that the largest panel is closest to you for a RIGHT Wing Fin. For the second layered Wing Fin, hold it so that the smallest layer is closest to you for a LEFT Wing Fin. This alignment of the layers will create either a LEFT Wing Fin or a RIGHT Wing Fin – make sure you make one of each. Working through all 3 (or 2) layers of the final row on each panel at the same time, Inc, SC 26, continuing through only the medium (2 nd) and largest (1 st) panel at the same time, SC 7, continuing through only the largest (1 st) panel, SC 9, Sl St, Ch 1, Turn	[45]
21. or 69.	Skip the Slip Stitch, Sl St 44 back to the OC Fasten off here with a 36” yarn tail. See Assembly Section for Wiring instructions.	[44]

TEXT ONLY: Assembly

Tools:

All finished pieces (Whale Body with Whale Belly sewn in place, Wing Fins, Wing Tail)
 10-12 pieces of 18-inch 18-gauge wire
 Darning Needle
 Scissors

	Wing Fins Wiring and Assembly:	
1.	Pin ALL the Side fins to attach to either side of the body of the whale. The three sets of side celestial fins should start just above the belly area, and continue along the side of the body, aligned with the tail fin. Pinning all 3 at the same time is important to make sure that it looks right to you with all 3 pinned to either side.	
2.	Use wire that is strong, yet moldable. I recommend 18” 18g paper-wrapped stem wire, the kind found in the faux floral section of craft stores. There are many alternate wires that will work. Do not use pipe cleaners as they are far too light/weak. You are creating a wire armature inside the crochet work to support and stabilize the piece. Using two separate pieces of approximately 18” wire per fin size, insert the first through the body of the whale at the point just under where the top edge of the side fin is positioned.	

	<p>Insert the second wire 2 - 4 stitches down (closer to the tail tip) from the first. This can be a wider distance for the largest side fin, but a much smaller distance for the smallest side fin. The wires will need to be hidden between the panels of the side fin. If the wires are too far apart, they will not be hidden between the side fin panels. Double check that they are spaced appropriately by putting the side fin's largest panels around the two wires to check that they can be hidden between those panels.</p>	
3.	<p>Wrap the two separate pieces of wire for each fin together with thin strips of duct tape on either side of the whale body to secure them together</p>	
4.	<p>Sandwich the wire in between the two largest panels of the fin. The wire should be shaped to match the curves of the leading edge of the side fin. Pin the fin around the wire.</p> <p>If the wire is not long enough to reach the end of the area between the two largest panels, you can add a small amount of wire by taking a length of wire, folding it in half, and securing it to the original fin wire with thin strips of duct tape. This will likely be necessary for the largest side fin and you do not need a full piece of 18" wire, you can use half or less, just make sure it overlaps with the current wire by several inches to ensure it is strong enough.</p> <p>If the wire is too long and extends beyond the area between the two largest panels, you can trim the wire to only be 2 – 3 inches beyond the end of the Wing Fin panel, then fold the wire over on itself and secure this fold with thin strips of duct tape. This will likely be necessary for the smallest side fin. You want the bent end of the wire at the Wing Fin tip so that the end of the wire will not poke through the work.</p>	
5.	<p>Use yarn tails to sew the fin in place around the wire, and to sew the fin to attach to the body wherever the fin touches the body. Sew around the wire tightly to help prevent spinning on the wire, sew in between the two wires if possible. You can also sew/tack down the tip of each feather on the fin, so that they don't curl up. Weave in the ends.</p>	
	<p>Wing Tail Wiring and Assembly:</p>	
1.	<p>Pin the Tail fins to attach to either side of the body of the whale. The bottom inner-edge of the tail fin (Row 1 of each part) should be aligned with the tip of the whale's tail.</p>	
2.	<p>Use wire that is strong, yet moldable. I recommend 18" 18g paper-wrapped stem wire, the kind found in the faux floral section of craft stores. There are many alternate wires that will work. Do not use pipe cleaners as they are far too light/weak. You are creating a wire armature inside the crochet work to support and stabilize the piece.</p> <p>Using two separate pieces of approximately 18" wire, insert the first through the side of the end of the tail on the whale's body at the point just under where the top edge of the tail fin is pinned to the Body.</p> <p>Insert the second wire 2 stitches down from the first, closer to the tail tip on the whale's body.</p>	
3.	<p>Wrap the two separate pieces of wire together with thin strips of duct tape. To secure them.</p>	

4.	<p>Sandwich the wire in between the two largest panels of the fin. The wire should be shaped to match the curves of the leading edge of the fin. Pin the fin around the wire.</p> <p>If the wire is too long and extends beyond the area between the two largest panels, you can trim the wire to only be 2 – 3 inches beyond the end of the Tail Fin panel, then fold the wire over on itself and secure this fold with thin strips of duct tape. You want the bent end of the wire at the Tail Fin tip so that the end of the wire will not poke through the work.</p>	
5.	<p>Use yarn tails to sew the fin in place around the wire, and to sew the fin to attach to the body wherever the fin touches the body. Sew around the wire tightly to help prevent spinning on the wire, sew in between the two wires if possible. You can also sew/tack down the tip of each feather on the fin, so that they don't curl up. Weave in the ends.</p>	