



**YOU WILL NEED**

- Any DK cotton, such as Rowan Handknit Cotton (100% cotton, 50g/85m)
  - 1 ball of China Rose (366)
  - A 4mm (US G/6) hook
  - A brooch pin
  - Sewing needle and thread
- For yarn stockists, contact  
**Rowan 01924 371501**  
[www.knitrowan.com](http://www.knitrowan.com)

**MEASUREMENTS**

7cm (2¾in) diameter

**ABBREVIATIONS**

For a full list, see page 78 of *Simply Crochet* magazine



Worked in just five rounds, this floral pattern creates a double row of petals

# Blooming brooch

Bring a touch of spring to your outfit (whatever the weather) with this flower by Cara Medus

**FLOWER BROOCH**

Ch4, ss to first ch to join into a ring.

**Round 1 (RS)** Ch1 (does not count as st), 10dc into the ring, ss to first ch to join. [10 dc]

**Round 2** Ch1 (does not count as st), \*dc into next st, ch3, skip 1 dc; repeat from \* 4 times more, ss to first dc. [5 dc, 5 ch-3 sp]

**Round 3** \*Ss into next ch-3 sp, ch3, 5tr, ch3, ss into same ch-3 sp; repeat from \* 4 times more. [5 petals]

**Round 4** \*Dc around the next dc from Rnd 2 as follows: insert hook into the ch-3 sp before the

next dc from Round 2, bring the hook back to front of work in the ch-3 sp on the other side of the dc, and complete the dc stitch as usual, ch3; repeat from \* 4 times more, ss to first dc.

[5 dc, 5 ch-3 sp in front of the petals from Rnd 3]

**Round 5** \*Ss into next ch-3 sp, ch2, 5dtr, ch2, ss into same ch-3 sp; repeat from \* 4 times more. [5 petals]

**Fasten off.**

Sew brooch pin to the back.