

## Do-Do Candy Cane Ornaments

(set of four)

### Fabric Requirements:

1/3 yard - White/Cream

1/3 yard - Red

### Notions:

Hand sewing needle and neutral thread

8 – 1/2” or 5/8” red buttons

18g Floral stem wire

Needle-nose pliers

Clover Quick Yo-Yo Maker Small (optional)

If you enjoyed the Yo-Yo Candy Cane Ornaments project, be sure to check out the other five projects in this series:



### Cutting Instructions for four ornaments:

Cut (48) – circles from the white fat quarter using the template provided or following the instructions on the yo-yo maker

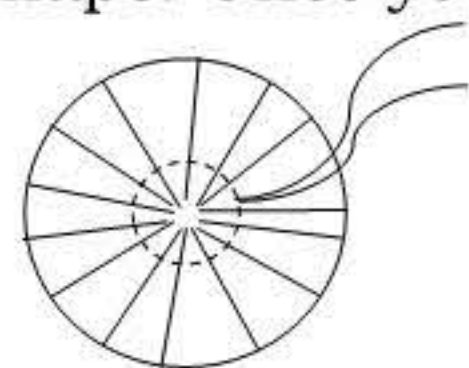
Cut (52) – circles from the red fat quarter using the template provided or following the instructions on the yo-yo maker

### Sewing Instructions:

If using the yo-yo maker, follow manufacturer’s instructions to make yo-yos. If using the enclose template, follow instructions below to make yo-yos.

With a neutral thread and needle, leave a 4” tail at start point and make a running stitch about 1/4” from the edge all the way around the perimeter of each of the yo-yo circles. Leave an additional 4” tail at end point.

Gently pull the tails together to gather the yo-yo. As you pull the tails, use your finger to push the fabric out into a balloon shape. Once you have gathered the yo-yo tightly, tie the ends in a knot, thread the tails through your needle and pull threads through the back of your yo-yo. Tie another knot on the back for added security and trim the ends close.



You should now have 48 white and 52 red yo-yos.

Cut floral stem wire pieces in half.

Bend one end of the wire into a small “U” shape using pliers. Thread straight end of wire on button and squeeze “U” with pliers so that button is secured on wire. Bend wire and clip off excess as shown. Make four.



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Thread a red yo-yo on wire first with gathered side against the button. You can create a hole with the point of your seam ripper or a doll needle to make it easier to thread onto the wire.



Continue threading white and red yo-yos with gathered sides toward the button, alternating colors until you have 12 red yo-yos and 12 white yo-yos on the wire. Make four.



When threading on your final red yo-yo, face the gathered side toward the end of the wire as shown so that the flat sides from the last two yo-yos are touching.

Snug all yo-yos toward the button end of the wire without crushing them. Thread a red button on the wire and cut the wire 1/2” past the last yo-yo. Make four.



Bend straight end of wire into “U” shape as you did before. Slide button up to the top of the “U” and twist end with pliers to secure it in place. Make four.

Bend wire into candy cane shape. Make four. Enjoy!

