

# Father Christmas lampposts

Instructions No. 456

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**Glowing Santa Claus**es make for a wonderful Advent season. The pretty fairy lights are not an optical highlight in the only house. Why not decorate your garden or terrace and provide a warm light during the dark season.



Here's [how it works](#)

Paint the lampion lampshades with red and skin colored Handicraft paint Paint the Wooden balls with skin-coloured and the wooden feet with black Handicraft paint .

Swirl the white and red Chenille wire together. From this, arms and legs are made: Knitted tube and Chenille wire cut to size. For the arms cut two small crosses on each side of the lampshades. Pull the Chenille wire through the holes and let it dangle out of the opening at the bottom as legs. Fix the small Wooden balls for the hands and the wooden feet with hot glue at the ends

Insert a light chain into the lampshades

Fix the Christmas cap, Wobbly eyes and the big Wooden ball for the nose as well and knot the Knitted tube around the lampshades - done!

## extra handicraft tip

You wish to hang the Santa Claus lanterns outside? Instead of using normal Handicraft paint VBS Outdoor Color paint. Spray the complete handicraft work with Clear varnish and everything will be weatherproof. Use an outdoor light chain for this.

## Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
560085-26	VBS Craft paint, 50 mlPowder	1
755627-06	VBS Chalky Outdoor Color, 100 mlNougat	1
756235-02	Clear varnish-Spray, 400 mlSilkmatt	1
688314-01	VBS LED chain of light with switch, circular circuit, 10 LEDsTransparent Cable	1
970020	VBS Side cutter	1
970373	VBS Handicraft scissors "Pointed"	1
120371-10	VBS Flat brush "Easy-Brush"Size 10/10 mm	1
560085-30	VBS Craft paint, 50 mlRed	1
658119-80	Knitted tube, two-coloured, 12 Needles/Ø1,5 cmRed/White	1
650519-02	VBS Chenille wire, 10 piecesWhite	1
650519-18	VBS Chenille wire, 10 piecesRed	1

620803	VBS Wobbly eyes to glue on "Round", 4 mm, 100 pieces	1
620833	Wooden feet with hole, 4 pieces	1
11930	VBS Wooden balls half drilled "Ø 20 mm" 50 pieces	1