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MATERIALS

Yarn:

Fingering weight (50gr/125m) cotton yarn in the skin color of your choice, pink, yellow, brown, gray and beige.

For my sample I use Scheepjes Catona in the colorways: Camel (502), Marshmallow (518), Primrose (522), Chocolate (507), Metal Grey (242) and Linen (505).

Crochet Hook:

2.5 mm crochet hook.

Notions:

Fiberfill for stuffing, 8 mm safety eyes, pins, tapestry needle, stitch marker, scissors.

GAUGE

26 stitches and 27 rows in single crochet worked in the round, with 2.5 mm crochet hook = 10 cm.

Gauge is not important for this project. However, changes might affect the finished measurements and the safety eyes size.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Approx. 19 cm (7.5 in) tall.

ABBREVIATIONS

This pattern is written in US terminology.

mc: magic circle

ch: chain

sc: single crochet

inc: increase 1 st (2 sc in the same st)

dec: decrease 1 st (single crochet 2 sts together)

dc: double cochet

pc: popcorn stitch - Work 5 dc in the same st. Drop the loop from the hook. Insert the hook into the first dc of the group. Grab the dropped loop from the last dc and pull it through the first dc.

blo: back loops only sl st: slip stitch

st(s): stitch(es)
rnds: rounds

{...}: repeat enclosed instructions the amount of times indicated

[...]: the enclosed instructions are worked in the same st

(...): total number of sts of the round and/or additional information

Unless otherwise noted, all the individual parts of the pattern are worked in continuous rounds. Use a stitch marker to keep track of your rounds.

Legs and Body

Use gray, skin color, pink and yellow yarn.

Start with gray yarn. Stuff the legs and the body as you go.

Round 1: In mc work 6 sc. (6 sts).

Round 2: 6 inc. (12 sts).

Round 3: 12 sc blo. (12 sts).

Round 4: 12 sc. (12 sts).

Change to skin color yarn.

Round 5: 12 sc blo (12 sts).

Rounds 6-20: 15 rnds. 12 sc. (12 sts).

Change to pink yarn.

Round 21: 12 sc. (12 sts).

For the first leg: Fasten off and weave in

the end.

For the second leg: Do not fasten off, continue to body instructions (Round 22).

For the body: Continue with the pink yarn.

Round 22: Connect the two legs together: Ch 2, work 12 sc around the first leg, 2 sc in the ch-2 and 12 sc around the second leg. (28 sts).

Rounds 23-28: 6 rnds. 28 sc. (28 sts).

Change to yellow yarn.



Round 29: 28 sc blo. (28 sts).

Round 30: {5 sc, dec} 4 times. (24 sts).

Rounds 31-38: 8 rnds. 24 sc. (24 sts).

Round 39: {2 sc, dec} 6 times. (18 sts).

Change to skin color yarn.

Round 40: {1 sc blo, dec blo} 6 times.

(12 sts).

Round 41: {1 sc, dec} 4 times. (8 sts).

Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Pic1.

Skirt

Use pink yarn.

Round 1: Attach yarn on the back side of the body, in one of the front loops of round 28, Pic2, and work 28 sc. (28 sts).

Round 2: {1 sc, inc} 14 times. (42 sts).

Rounds 3-12: 10 rnds. 42 sc. (42 sts).

SI st in the first st to close the round. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Pic3.



Use pink yarn.

The bib is worked in rows.

Ch 6, turn.

Row 1: Starting at the second ch from hook work 5 sc. (5 sts).

Rows 2-6: 5 rows. Ch 1, turn. 5 sc. (5 sts). Don't cut the yarn, ch 17 for the first strap.

Fasten of and leave a long tail for sewing.

For the second strap attach yarn on the opposite corner of the bib, Pic4, and ch 17.

Fasten of and leave a long tail for sewing. Pic5.









Head

Use skin color yarn.

Round 1: In mc work 6 sc. (6 sts).

Round 2: 6 inc. (12 sts).

Round 3: {1 sc, inc} 6 times. (18 sts).

Round 4: {2 sc, inc} 6 times. (24 sts).

Round 5: {3 sc, inc} 6 times. (30 sts).

Round 6: {4 sc, inc} 6 times. (36 sts).

Rounds 7-11: 5 rnds. 36 sc. (36 sts).

Round 12: 11 sc, 3 inc, 5 sc, 3 inc, 14 sc. (42 sts).

Rounds 13-15: 3 rnds. 42 sc. (42 sts).

Round 16: {5 sc, dec} 6 times. (36 sts).

Round 17: {4 sc, dec} 6 times. (30 sts).

Insert the safety eyes between rnds 10 and 11, on the same side as the increases, approx. 8 sts apart.

Round 18: {3 sc, dec} 6 times. (24 sts).

Stuff the head with fiberfill.

Round 19: {2 sc, dec} 6 times. (18 sts).

Round 20: {1 sc, dec} 6 times. (12 sts).

Round 21: {1 sc, dec} 4 times. (8 sts).

Fasten off and weave in the ends.

Use skin color yarn to embroider the nose. Pic6.

Arms

Use skin color and yellow yarn. Make

Start with skin color yarn.

Stuff lightly only the hands with fiberfill.

Round 1: In mc work 6 sc. (6 sts).

Round 2: {2 sc, inc} 2 times. (8 sts).

Rounds 3-7: 5 rnds. 8 sc. (8 sts).

Change to yellow yarn.

Rounds 8-17: 10 rnds. 8 sc. (8 sts).

Flatten the top and work 3 sc through both layers to close the opening.

Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing. Pic7.





Hair

Use brown yarn.

Round 1: In mc work 6 sc. (6 sts).

Round 2: 6 inc. (12 sts).

Round 3: {1 sc, inc} 6 times. (18 sts).

Round 4: {2 sc, inc} 6 times. (24 sts).

Round 5: {3 sc, inc} 6 times. (30 sts).

Round 6: {4 sc, inc} 6 times. (36 sts).

Rounds 7-11 5 rnds.: 36 sc. (36 sts).

Round 12: 15 sc, {ch 31, turn, starting at the second ch from hook work 30 sc, 1 sc in the next st} 6 times, 15 sc. SI st in the first st to close the round.

Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing. Pic8.



Assembly

- Sew the head to the body. Pic9.
- Sew the arms on the sides of the body. Pic10.
- Sew the bib in front of the body, right above the skirt and sew the straps ends at the back side of the body. Pic11,12.
- Sew the hair on the head. Twist half of the hair strands on the one side of the head and the other half on the other side of the head. Use the strands to make a bun at the back side of the head. Make a few stitches to secure the bun in place. Pic13,14.
- Weave in any remaining ends.



Bunny

Use beige yarn.

Round 1: In mc work 6 sc. (6 sts).

Round 2: 6 inc. (12 sts).

Round 3: {1 sc, inc} 6 times. (18 sts).

Round 4: 18 sc. (18 sts).

Round 5: 9 sc, 1 pc, 8 sc. (18 sts).

Round 6: 18 sc. (18 sts).

Round 7: {1 sc, dec} 6 times. (12 sts).

Stuff the body with fiberfill.

Round 8: 6 dec. (6 sts).

Round 9: 6 inc. (12 sts).

Round 10: 12 sc. (12 sts).

Stuff the head with fiberfill.

Round 11: 6 dec. (6 sts).

Fasten off and leave a long tail. Weave the tail through the front loops of the remaining 6 stitches, then pull to close the hole. Pic15.



Pic15

Ears

Use beige yarn.

The ears are worked in rows.

Row 1: {ch 6, turn. Starting at the second ch from hook work 1 sl st, 4 sc} 2 times. (10 sts).

Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing. Pic16.

Sew the ears on the bunny. Pic17.

Use pink yarn to embroider the nose. Pic17.

Weave in any remaining ends.







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