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It's time to fire up your cro-jo and find a comfy spot, as you're going to be busy for a long while – this issue is packed with 100 Days of gorgeous crochet projects!

Whether you like making cushions and blankets, toys and baby items, or clothes and fashion accessories, we have plenty of makes to suit all skill levels.

Interiors fans will want to try out our selection of projects for the home, including a colourful dreamcatcher (p10), floral wreath (p73) and Boho coasters (p72). And those looking to expand their skill sets should check out the trendy mosaic method blanket on page 68 and tapestry technique cushion on page 87. We also have several chic cardis and cover-ups that are perfect for summertime, as well as stylish bags and accessories. For the young and young at heart, there are 20 adorable characters to set your heart aflutter – from a cute bunny (p66) and rainbow hedgehog (p38) to a friendly lion (p88) and pretty dolls (p70). And don't miss our sweet baby makes starting on page 50. Enjoy!

Corinne

CORINNE BRADD **EDITOR**

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DESIGNER **HEATHER GIBBS**

Cleo Caterpillar

Many caterpillars dream about the day they'll become a beautiful butterfly, but our Cleo knows she's gorgeous just as she is!

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Pretty Blush, Cheery Lilac, Happy Orange, Joyous Blue, Glimmer Pink, Bright Red
- ★ 3.5mm hook
- ★ Stitch markers
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Stuffing
- ★ Black thread
- ★ Two 8mm black safety eyes
- ★ Blusher (optional)
- ★ Scissors

Length: 23cm

HEAD

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- Using 3.5mm hook and Pretty Blush make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
 - Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
 - Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
 - Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
 - Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
 - Rnds 6-11: 1dc in each st to end
- Insert safety eyes between Rnds 6-7, approx four sts apart
- Rnd 12: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
 - Rnd 13: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
- NOTE:** stuff as you go
- Rnd 14: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
 - Rnd 15: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
 - Rnd 16: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
- Fasten off

BODY SECTION 1

Using 3.5mm hook and Cheery Lilac make a magic



ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-14: rep Rnds 1-14 of Head. 18 sts

Stuff firmly

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

BODY SECTION 2

Using 3.5mm hook and Bright Red make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-13: rep Rnds 1-13 of Head. 24 sts

Stuff firmly

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

BODY SECTIONS 3 & 4 (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Happy Orange (Joyous Blue) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-4: rep Rnds 1-4 of Head. 30 sts
- Rnds 5-9: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 10: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

Stuff firmly

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

BODY SECTION 5

Using 3.5mm hook and Pretty Blush make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-3: rep Rnds 1-3 of Head. 24 sts
- Rnds 4-7: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 8: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

Stuff firmly

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

ANTENNA (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Glimmer Pink make a magic ring, work 8dc into ring. Eight sts

- Rnd 1: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 2: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Six sts
- Rnds 3-6: 1dc in each st to end

Stuff

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

LEG (MAKE 10)

Using 3.5mm hook and Glimmer Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-3: 1dc in each st to end

Stuff

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

TO MAKE UP

Use yarn tail to sew up Head, sew Antennae to top of Head. Use black thread to embroider eyelashes and Bright Red to embroider a mouth. Attach Head to Body Section 1 and this piece to Body Section 2 and so on. Cont in order, finishing with Body Section 5. Attach two Legs to bottom of each section. Using Glimmer Pink embroider two spots on each Body section. Apply blusher to cheeks (optional). Weave in all ends



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ON DAYS
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"Stitching the body sections together is fiddly but as any butterfly will tell you, good things come to those who wait"

CORINNE BRADD
EDITOR



*I'm the perfect
size and shape for
little hands!*

**TOP
TIP!**

MANY SECTIONS
ARE WORKED
WITHOUT JOINING IN
CONTINUOUS ROUNDS – PLACE
A STITCH MARKER IN THE TOP
OF THE FIRST STITCH TO MARK
THE START OF EACH ROUND

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✿ 100 DAYS OF CROCHET CLASSICS ✿

Pluie cardigan

With lace sleeves and picot edgings, this classic cardigan can be dressed up or down

KIT LIST

★ Nurturing Fibres Eco-Cotton DK, shade Anvil 12 (13, 15, 15, 17, 17) balls 50g balls ★ 3.5mm hook
★ Buttons: 15mm, 7 (7, 8, 8, 10, 10) ★ Tapestry needle ★ Scissors ★ Tape measure

TENSION SQUARE

★ 16 sts x 11 rows
★ 10cm x 10cm
★ Over pattern
★ 3.5mm hook

IN STITCHES

Picot: 3ch, sl st in first ch

V-st: [1tr, 2ch, 1tr] in same st

Puff st: [yoh, insert hook in st, yoh, pull through st] three times, yoh, pull yarn through all seven loops on hook, 1ch

LACY EDGE PATTERN

□ Row 1: 1ch, 1dc, * 2ch, miss next two sts, 1 V-st, 2ch, miss next two sts, 1dc, 1 picot, rep from * to last six sts, 2ch, miss next two sts, 1 V-st, 2ch, 1dc, turn
□ Row 2: 4ch (counts as 1tr, 1ch), * [1 puff st, 1ch, 1 puff st, 1ch, 1 puff st] in next V-st, 1ch, rep from * to last st, 1tr, turn
□ Row 3: 4ch (counts as 1tr, 1ch), miss next 1-ch sp, * [1tr in next 1-ch sp, 1ch] twice, 1tr between next two puff sts, 1ch, rep from * to last 1-ch sp, miss last 1-ch sp, 1tr, turn
□ Row 4: 3ch (counts as 1tr throughout), 1tr in each tr and 1-ch sp to end, turn.
□ Rep Rows 1-4 as many times as required

BACK

Using 3.5mm hook, make 75 (81, 87, 93, 99, 105) ch
□ Row 1 (RS): 1tr in fourth ch from hook, 1tr in each ch to end, turn. 73 (79, 85, 91, 97, 103) sts
□ ** Next row: 1ch (does not count as a st throughout), 1htr in each tr to end, turn
□ Next row: 3ch (counts as 1tr throughout), 1tr in each htr to end, turn
□ Rep last two rows until work meas 22 (22, 24, 24, 30 30) cm, ending after a htr row **

Shape armholes

□ Next row: sl st across first four sts, patt to last four sts, turn. 65 (71, 77, 83, 89, 95) sts
□ Dec one st at each end of next five rows. 55 (61, 67, 73, 79, 85) sts
□ Cont in patt without shaping until armhole meas 16 (17, 18, 19, 20, 20) cm

Shape shoulders

□ Next row: patt across first 16 (18, 19, 21, 22, 24) sts, turn
□ Next row: patt to end
□ Fasten off
Leaving centre 23 (25, 29, 31, 35, 37) sts unworked, rejoin yarn to rem 16 (18, 19, 21, 22, 24) sts
□ Work to match first side

LEFT FRONT

Using a 3.5mm hook, make 38 (44, 47, 50, 53, 56) ch
□ Row 1 (RS): 1tr in fourth ch from hook, 1tr in each ch to end, turn. 36 (42, 45, 48, 51, 54) tr)
□ Next row: 1ch, 1htr in each tr to end, turn
□ Next row: 3ch, 1tr in each htr to end, turn
□ Work as for Back from ** to **

Shape armhole

□ Next row: sl st across first four sts, patt to end, turn. 32 (38, 41, 44, 47, 50) sts
□ Dec one st at armhole edge on next five rows. 27 (33, 36, 39, 42, 45) sts
□ Cont in patt without shaping until armhole meas 12 (12, 12, 13, 13, 13) cm, ending after a htr row

Shape neck

□ Next row: patt to last 5 (7, 10, 10, 12, 12) sts, turn. 22 (26, 26, 29, 30, 33) sts
□ Dec one st at neck edge on next 6 (8, 7, 8, 8, 9) rows. 16 (18, 19, 21, 22, 24) sts
□ Cont in patt until armhole meas same as Back
□ Fasten off

RIGHT FRONT

□ Work as Left front, reversing shaping

SLEEVES (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook, make 57 (63, 69, 69, 75, 75) ch
□ Row 1 (RS): 1tr in fourth ch from hook, 1tr in each ch to end, turn. 55 (61, 67, 67, 73, 73) sts
□ Next row: 1ch, 1htr in each tr to end, turn
□ Next row: 3ch, 1tr in each htr to end, turn
□ Rep last two rows until work meas 20 (20, 22, 22, 25, 25) cm, end after a htr row

Shape sleeve cap

□ Next row: sl st across first four sts, patt to last four sts, turn. 47 (53, 59, 59, 65, 65) sts
□ Next row: sl st across first two sts, patt to last two sts, turn. 43 (49, 55, 55, 61, 61) sts
□ Rep last row once more. 39 (45, 51, 51, 57, 57) sts
□ Next row: sl st across first st, patt to last st, turn.

37 (43, 49, 49, 55, 55) sts
□ Rep last row six times more. 25 (31, 37, 37, 43, 43) sts
□ Next row: sl st across first two sts, patt to last two sts, turn. 21 (27, 33, 33, 39, 39) sts
□ Rep last row twice more. 13 (19, 25, 25, 31, 31) sts

Second, third, fourth, fifth & sixth sizes only

□ Next row: sl st across first - (2, 2, 1, 2, 2) sts, patt to last - (2, 2, 1, 2, 2) sts, turn. - (15, 21, 23, 27, 27) sts
□ Rep last row - (0, 1, 2, 1, 0) times more. - (15, 17, 19, 23, 27) sts

Fifth & sixth sizes only

□ Next row: sl st across first st, patt to last st, turn. - (-, -, -, 21, 25) sts
□ Rep last row - (-, -, -, 1, 2) times. - (-, -, -, 19, 21) sts

All sizes

□ Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

With RS facing, join shoulder seams. Fold Sleeves in half lengthways, then placing folds on shoulder seams, sew Sleeves in position. Sew up side and Sleeve seams. Weave in all loose ends

LEFT FRONT BAND

□ With WS facing and beg in bottom corner, work 2dc in each tr row and 1dc in each htr row up front to neckline, turn
□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
□ Rep last row four times more
□ Fasten off

RIGHT FRONT BAND

□ With WS facing, beg at start of neck edge shaping, work 2dc in each tr row and 1dc in each htr row to bottom corner, turn
□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in each



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ON DAYS
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MEASUREMENTS & SIZES

Pattern sizes: 32 (34-36,
38, 40, 42-44, 46)

Completed

measurements:

Bust: 88(95, 102, 109,
116, 123) cm

Length to shoulder: 50
(51, 54, 54, 61, 61) cm

Sleeve length: 29 (29,
22, 22, 25, 25) cm

st to end, turn

□ Mark position of 7 (7, 8, 8,
10, 10) buttonholes evenly
across band

□ Next row: 1ch, * 1dc in each
st to buttonhole, 2ch, miss
two dc, rep from * until last
buttonhole has been worked,
1dc in each st to end, turn

□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in each
st to end, working 2dc in 2-ch
sp on prev row

□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in each
st to end, turn

□ Fasten off

NECKBAND

□ With WS facing and beg
at front band, work one row
of evenly spaced dc around
neckline, ensuring there is an
even number of sts

□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in first
st, 1 picot, * 2dc, 1 picot, rep
from * to last st, 1dc

□ Fasten off

EDGING

□ With bottom of cardigan
and WS facing, working along
unused edge of foundation ch
across both fronts and Back,
work Row 1 of Lacy edge patt

□ Work Rows 2-4 of Lacy
edge patt

□ Work Rows 1-4 of Lacy
edge patt

□ Work Rows 1-2 of Lacy
edge patt

□ Fasten off

□ Rep along bottom edge
of each Sleeve

Sew buttons in place. Weave
in all remaining ends. Block
garment to measurements

**TOP
TIP!**

FOR A LONGER TOP, WORK
MORE ROWS UP TO THE
ARMHOLE SHAPING



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DESIGNER SARAH SHRIMPTON

Dreamcatcher

Placing this beauty over your bed or in your home is said to catch bad dreams and only let the good ones through

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Pebble Cream, Pond Blue, Butterfly Blush, Magic Mint ★ Scissors
★ 20cm embroidery hoop
★ 3mm hook ★ Assorted ribbons and beads (optional)
★ Glue gun or craft glue
Height 50cm (incl. ribbons)



WHY NOT TRY...

Make this modern take on a traditional Native American symbol of protection and comfort in whatever colours you like. You can add ribbons, pom-poms, tassels, beads or other trinkets to yours too!



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Using 3mm hook and Pebble Cream make 4ch (counts as 1ch and 1tr)

□ Rnd 1: 9tr in fourth ch from hook, join with a sl st to fourth ch. Ten sts

Change to Pond Blue

□ Rnd 2: 3ch (counts as 1tr throughout), 1tr in same sp, 1ch, (2tr, 1ch) between sts to end, join with a sl st to third of first 3ch. 20 sts

Join Magic Mint in any 1ch sp

□ Rnd 3: 3ch, 2tr in same sp, 1ch, (3tr, 1ch) in each 1ch sp to end, join with a sl st to third of first 3ch. 30 sts

Join Butterfly Blush in any 1ch sp

□ Rnd 4: 4ch (counts as 1tr and 1ch), 1tr in same sp, 3ch, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr, 3ch) in each 1ch sp to end, join with a sl st to third of first 3ch. 20 sts

Join Pond Blue in any 1ch sp
□ Rnd 5: 4ch (counts as 1tr and 1ch), 1tr in same sp, 1ch, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr, 1ch) in each 3ch sp and 1ch sp to end, join with a sl st to third of first 3ch. 40 sts

Join Pebble Cream in any 1ch sp directly above a 3ch sp from Rnd 4

□ Rnd 6: (2ch, tr2tog in same 1ch sp (counts as tr3tog), 2ch, tr3tog) in same 1ch sp, 2ch,

miss one 1ch sp, 1tr in next 1ch sp, 2ch, miss one 1ch sp, * (tr3tog, 2ch, tr3tog) in next 1ch sp, 2ch, miss one 1ch sp, 1tr in next 1ch sp, 2ch, miss one 1ch sp, rep from * to end, join with a sl st to second of first 2ch. 30 sts

Join Magic Mint to any 2ch sp between a tr3tog cluster

□ Rnd 7: (3ch, 2tr, 1dtr, 2ch, 1dtr, 3tr, 1ch) in same 2ch sp, miss one 2ch sp, 1fpdr around 1tr from Rnd 6, miss one 2ch sp, 1ch, * (3tr, 1dtr, 2ch, 1dtr, 3tr, 1ch) in next 2ch sp, miss one 2ch sp, 1fpdr around 1tr from Rnd 6, miss one 2ch sp, 1ch, rep from * to end. 90 sts
Join Butterfly Blush in any fpdr

□ Rnd 8: 1ch, * 1fpdr, 1dc in 1ch sp, 4dc, 2dc in 2ch sp, join to inner hoop with sl st, 2dc in same 2ch sp, 4dc, 1dc in 1ch sp, rep from * to end, join with a sl st to first st. 160 sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Use glue to stick ribbons along bottom edge of hoop – add as many as you like. If you haven't got ribbons, use leftover yarn. Thread beads onto different lengths of yarn or ribbon and make knots to secure them. Attach outer hoop and tighten. Add another length of yarn or ribbon as a hanging loop

IN STITCHES

front post treble (fpdr):

Yoh, insert hook under st from front right to front left, yoh, pull through under st. Three loops on hook. (Yoh and pull through two loops) twice

front post double crochet (fpdc):

Insert hook under st from front right to front left, yoh, pull through under st. Two loops on hook. Yoh and pull through two loops



MAKE ME
ON DAY

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DÉCOR WITH
A DIFFERENCE



"Dreamcatchers are
circle shaped to
represent the circle of
life and how the sun
and moon travel each
day and night across
the sky"

CORINNE BRADD,
EDITOR

DESIGNER SARAH LOUISE READ

Rainbow pup

With his yellow eye patch, floppy ears and multicoloured limbs, this puppy is a mismatch made in heaven!

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Raspberry x 2 balls, Grapefruit, Grape, Kiwi, Banana, Blueberry, Lychee
- ★ 3.5mm hook
- ★ Safety eyes, 10mm, two
- ★ Safety nose, 12mm
- ★ White and black yarn, small amounts
- ★ Toy stuffing
- ★ Stitch markers
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Scissors

Puppy: 16cm (seated)

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EYE PATCH

Using 3.5mm hook and Banana make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Fasten off, leaving a tail

NOTE: Insert one safety eye into Eye Patch before attaching to Head

HEAD

Using 3.5mm hook and Grapefruit make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts

- Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts

- Rnds 4-6: 1dc in each st to end

Change to Raspberry

- Rnd 7: 6dc, (2dc in next st) six times, 1dc in each st to end. 30 sts

- Rnd 8: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 9: 7dc, (1dc, 2dc in next st) six times, 1dc in each st to end. 36 sts

- Rnds 10-13: 1dc in each st to end



- Insert safety eyes between Rnds 7-8, six sts apart

- Insert safety nose between Rnds 2-3

- Rnd 14: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts

- Rnd 15: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 16: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

- Rnd 17: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

- Rnd 18: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

- Stuff

- Rnd 19: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts

- Fasten off, weave through rem sts to close

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Grape (Blueberry) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rep Rnds 1-2 of Head

- Rnds 3-4: 1dc in each st to end. 18 sts

- Rnd 5: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 15 sts

- Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 7: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

- Rnd 8: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 9: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Nine sts

- Rnds 10-12: 1dc in each st to end

- Fasten off, leaving a tail

LEG (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Kiwi make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rep Rnds 1-2 of Head

- Rnds 3-4: 1dc in each st to end. 18 sts

- Rnd 5: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 15 sts

- Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 7: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

- Rnd 8: 1dc in each st to end

- Change to Grapefruit

- Rnds 9-18: 1dc in each st to end

- Stuff

- Fasten off, weave through rem sts to close

ARM (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Banana make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

- Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 4: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Nine sts

- Rnd 5: 1dc in each st to end

- Change to Grapefruit

- Rnds 6-14: 1dc in each st to end

- Stuff

- Fasten off, leaving a tail

BODY

Using 3.5mm hook and Raspberry make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rep Rnds 1-3 of Head

- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts

- Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts

- Rnd 6: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts

- Rnds 7-10: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 11: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 36 sts

- Rnds 12-13: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 14: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts

- Rnds 15-17: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 18: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

- Rnds 19-20: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 21: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

- Rnd 22: 1dc in each st to end

- Stuff

- Fasten off, leaving a tail

TAIL

Using 3.5mm hook and Lychee make a magic ring,



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FIND OUT HOW TO
MAKE MAGIC RINGS AT
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thecraftschannel](https://youtube.com/thecraftschannel)



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*"As the yarns
are so diverse,
this is a brilliant
stash buster
project to use up
oddments"*

CORINNE BRADD
EDITOR

- work 6dc into ring. Six sts
- ☐ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
 - ☐ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
 - ☐ Rnd 4: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Nine sts
 - ☐ Rnd 5: 1dc in each st to end
 - ☐ Change to Raspberry
 - ☐ Rnds 6-13: 1dc in each st to end
 - ☐ Stuff
 - ☐ Fasten off, leaving a tail

TO MAKE UP

Sew Eye Patch onto Head. Sew Ears on top of Head. Sew Head onto Body. Sew Arms to Body using whip st. Working through Body, sew Legs onto each side. Position Tail and sew to back of Body. Use a small amount of white to embroider a st at side of eyes and black for a mouth

DESIGNER LYNNE ROWE

Dax draught excluder

This canine companion will guard your doors with pride while keeping breezes at bay

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Mellow Yellow, Dancer Beige, Gallop Blue, Jumper Red, Dizzy Pink, Wurlitzer Jade ★ 4mm hook ★ Stuffing ★ Black felt, scrap ★ Toy safety eyes, 12mm ★ Tapestry needle ★ Stitch markers ★ Scissors

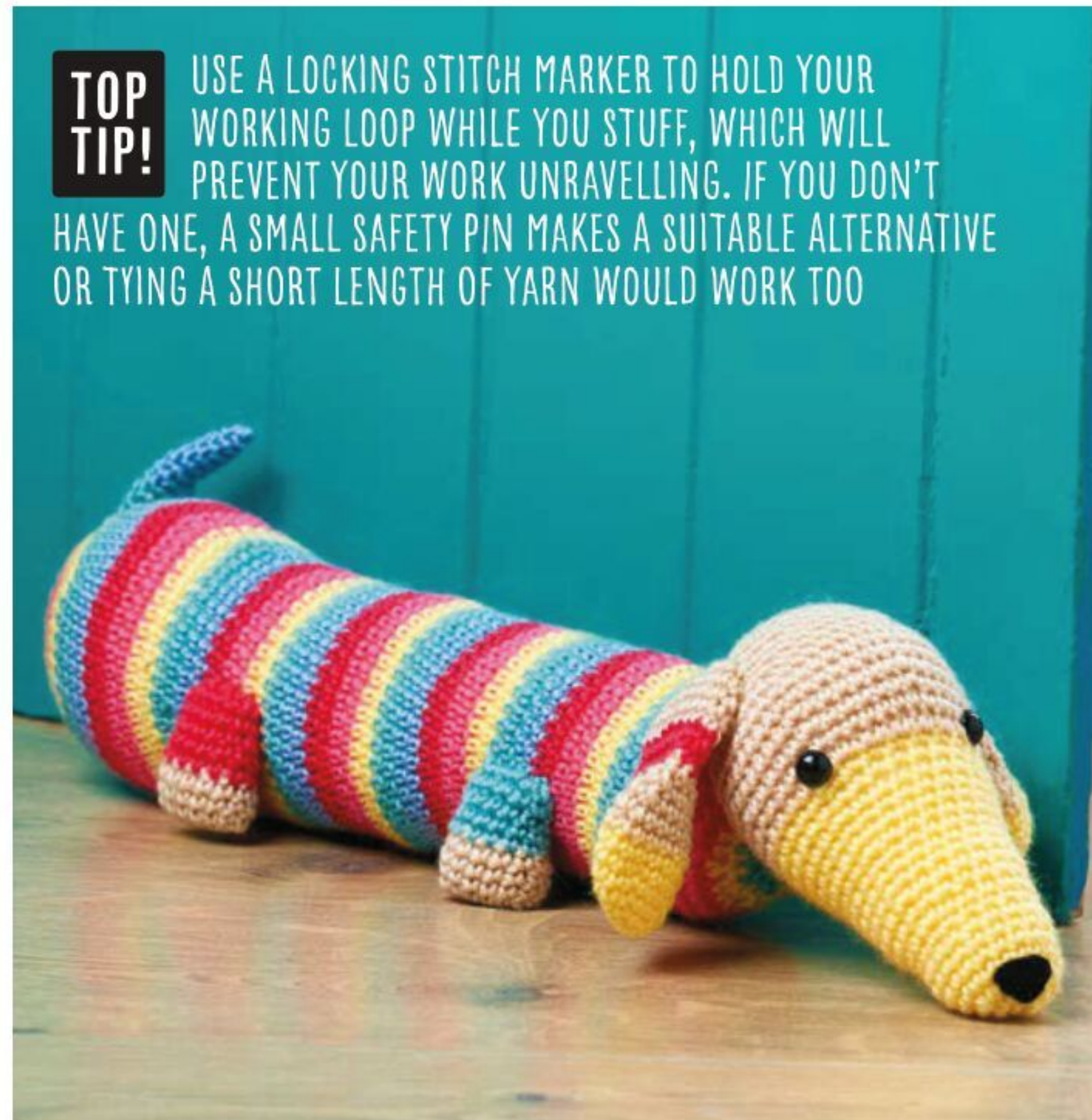
Length: approx. 50cm

NOTE: when changing colour, join new colour during last dec of prev rnd

HEAD

Using 4mm hook and Mellow Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
- Rnds 3-7: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 8: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 21 sts
- Rnd 9: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 10: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
- Rnds 11-13: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 14: (7dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 27 sts
- Rnds 15-16: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 17: (8dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnds 18-19: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 20: 12dc, (2dc in next st) six times, 1dc in each st to end. 36 sts
- Change to Dancer Beige
- Rnd 21: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 22: (5dc, 2dc in next st)



TOP TIP!

USE A LOCKING STITCH MARKER TO HOLD YOUR WORKING LOOP WHILE YOU STUFF, WHICH WILL PREVENT YOUR WORK UNRAVELLING. IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE, A SMALL SAFETY PIN MAKES A SUITABLE ALTERNATIVE OR TYING A SHORT LENGTH OF YARN WOULD WORK TOO

- to end. 42 sts
- Rnd 23: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 48 sts
- Rnds 24-25: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 26: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 42 sts
- Rnd 27: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 36 sts
- Rnd 28: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 29: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
- Rnd 30: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 31: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 32: 1dc in each st to end
- Remove hook from working loop and place working loop onto a locking st marker
- Insert safety eye on each side of Rnd 20 increase
- Stuff
- Replace working loop back onto hook
- Rnd 33: (2dc, dc2tog) to

- end. 18 sts
- Rnd 34: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 35: (dc2tog) to end, join with a sl st to first st. Six sts
- Fasten off

BODY

Using 4mm hook and Gallop Blue make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-2: rep Rnds 1-2 of Head. 18 sts
- Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
- Work in foll two-rnd stripe sequence: (Jumper Red, Dizzy Pink, Mellow Yellow, Wurlitzer Jade, Gallop Blue) six times,
- Jumper Red, Dizzy Pink, Mellow Yellow, Wurlitzer Jade
- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
- Rnd 6 and every even-numbered rnd: 1dc in each st

- to end
- Rnd 7: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
- Rnd 9: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 48 sts
- Rnd 11: (7dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 54 sts
- Rnds 12-14: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 15: 21dc, dc2tog, 8dc, dc2tog, 21dc. 52 sts
- Rnd 16: 21dc, dc2tog, 6dc, dc2tog, 21dc. 50 sts
- Rnd 17: 21dc, dc2tog, 4dc, dc2tog, 21dc. 48 sts
- Rnds 18-20: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 21: (10dc, dc2tog) to end. 44 sts
- Rnd 22: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 23: (9dc, dc2tog) to end. 40 sts
- Rnds 24-52: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 53: 4dc, dc2tog, 28dc, dc2tog, 4dc. 38 sts
- Rnd 54: 3dc, dc2tog, 28dc, dc2tog, 3dc. 36 sts
- Rnd 55: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 56: 2dc, dc2tog, 12dc, (2dc) in next st, 2dc, (2dc) in next st, 12dc, dc2tog, 2dc
- Rnd 57: 1dc, dc2tog, 12dc, (2dc) in next st, 4dc, (2dc) in next st, 12dc, dc2tog, 1dc
- Rnds 58-66: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 67: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
- Remove hook from working loop, place loop onto st marker, stuff Body, replace working loop back onto hook
- Rnd 68: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 69: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
- Rnd 70: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 71: (dc2tog) to end,



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join with a sl st to first st. Six sts
Stuff
Fasten off

TAIL

Using 4mm hook and Wurlitzer Jade make a magic ring, work 4dc into ring. Four sts
□ Rnd 1: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 2: (2dc in next st, 1dc) to end. Six sts
□ Rnd 3: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: 2dc in next st, 1dc in each st to end. Seven sts
□ Rnds 5-6: 1dc in each st to end
Change to Gallop Blue
□ Rnd 7: rep Rnd 4. Eight sts
□ Rnd 8: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: rep Rnd 4. Nine sts
□ Rnds 10-12: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 13: 1dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to first st
Fasten off

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and Mellow Yellow (Mellow Yellow) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnds 1-3: rep Rnds 1-3 of Body. 24 sts
□ Rnds 4-5: 1dc in each st to end
Change to Dancer Beige (Dancer Beige)
□ Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 7: (10dc, dc2tog) to end. 22 sts
□ Rnd 8: (9dc, dc2tog) to end. 20 sts
□ Rnd 9: (8dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 10: (7dc, dc2tog) to end. 16 sts
Change to Jumper Red (Gallop Blue)
□ Rnds 11-12: 1dc in each st to end

Change to Dancer Beige (Dancer Beige)

□ Rnds 13-15: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 16: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 14 sts
□ Rnd 17: 1dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to first st
Fasten off

FOOT (MAKE 4)

Using 4mm hook and Dancer Beige make 7ch
□ Rnd 1: 1dc in second ch from hook, 1dc in each of next four ch, 3dc in next ch, work back along opposite side of ch as folls: 1dc in each of next four ch, 2dc in same ch as first st. 14 sts
□ Rnds 2-4: 1dc in each st to end
Change to Jumper Red (Mellow Yellow, Gallop Blue,

Dizzy Pink)

□ Rnds 5-6: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 7: (dc2tog, 5dc) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 8: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: 1dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to first st
Stuff lightly
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew Tail to bottom end of Body. Sew seams of Feet closed. Sew one Foot to each side of Body so two are at back and two at front. Sew one Ear to each side of Head. Cut a small triangle of black felt for nose, round off edges and sew in place as pictured. Sew Head to Body

DESIGNER **LEONIE MORGAN**

Rainbow blanket

Picture yourself snuggling under this colourful ode to the classic blocked quilt, with a half square triangle effect

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Cascade 220 Superwash® DK: (A) 290 Chrysanthemum, one 100g skein; (B) 827 Coral, (C) 825 Orange, (D) 877 Golden, (E) 886 Citron, (F) 286 Peridot, (G) 1960 Pacific, (H) 811 Como Blue, two 100g skeins of each; (I) 1942 Mint, one 100g skein
★ 4mm hook ★ Tapestry needle ★ Scissors
Size: 91cm x 121cm

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HALF SQUARE TRIANGLE BLOCK (MAKE 36 – 6 IN EACH COLOURWAY)

NOTE: first 4ch counts as 1dtr, always work over strand of colour not being used so it's ready to pick up for next colour change

Using 4mm hook and first colour make 4ch, join with a sl st in first ch to make a ring, work into ring on first rnd as folls:

□ Rnd 1: 4ch, 2tr, 2dtr, 2tr, 1dtr, change to second colour, 1dtr, 2tr, 2dtr, 2tr, 1dtr, change to first colour when working last st, join with a sl st in top of first 4ch. 16 sts

□ Rnd 2: 4ch, 2tr in same place, 2tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, (1dtr, 2tr) in next st, 2tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, change to second colour when working last st, ([1dtr, 2tr] in next st, 2tr, [2tr, 1dtr] in next st) twice, change to first colour when working last st, join with a sl st in top of first 4ch. 32 sts

□ Rnd 3: 4ch, 2tr in same place, 6tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, (1dtr, 2tr) in next st, 6tr, (2tr,

1dtr) in next st, change to second colour when working last st, ([1dtr, 2tr] in next st, 6tr, [2tr, 1dtr] in next st) twice, change to first colour when working last st, join with a sl st in top of first 4ch. 48 sts

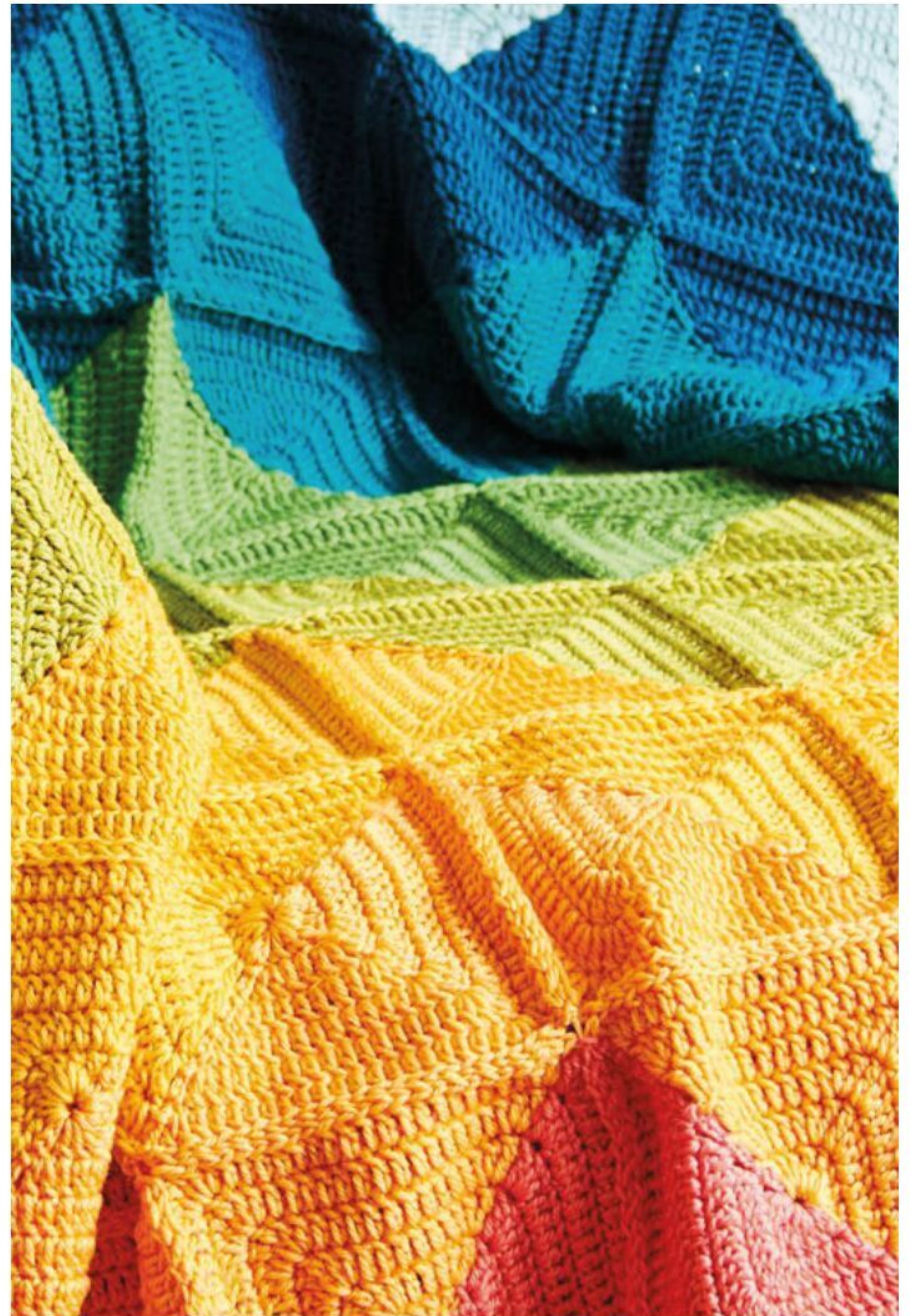
□ Rnd 4: 4ch, 2tr in same place, 10tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, (1dtr, 2tr) in next st, 10tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, change to second colour when working last st, ([1dtr, 2tr] in next st, 10tr, [2tr, 1dtr] in next st) twice, change to first colour when working last st, join with a sl st in top of first 4ch. 64 sts

□ Rnd 5: 4ch, 2tr in same place, 14tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, (1dtr, 2tr) in next st, 14tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, change to second colour when working last st, ([1dtr, 2tr] in next st, 14tr, [2tr, 1dtr] in next st) twice, change to first colour when working last st, join with a sl st in top of first 4ch. 80 sts

□ Rnd 6: 4ch, 2tr in same place, 18tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, (1dtr, 2tr) in next st, 18tr, (2tr, 1dtr) in next st, change to second colour when working last st, ([1dtr, 2tr] in next st, 18tr, [2tr, 1dtr] in next st) twice, change to first colour when working last st, join with a sl st in top of first 4ch. 96 sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Block all pieces to meas 15cm x 15cm. Join using mattress stitch and following layout chart. Begin by joining blocks into strips of six squares, matching yarn colour for joining with colour of blocks. Once all eight strips are complete, join strips tog in same way. Weave in all ends



CHART

Make six blocks in each of the following colourways:

Colourway 1: A & B

Colourway 2: B & C

Colourway 3: C & D

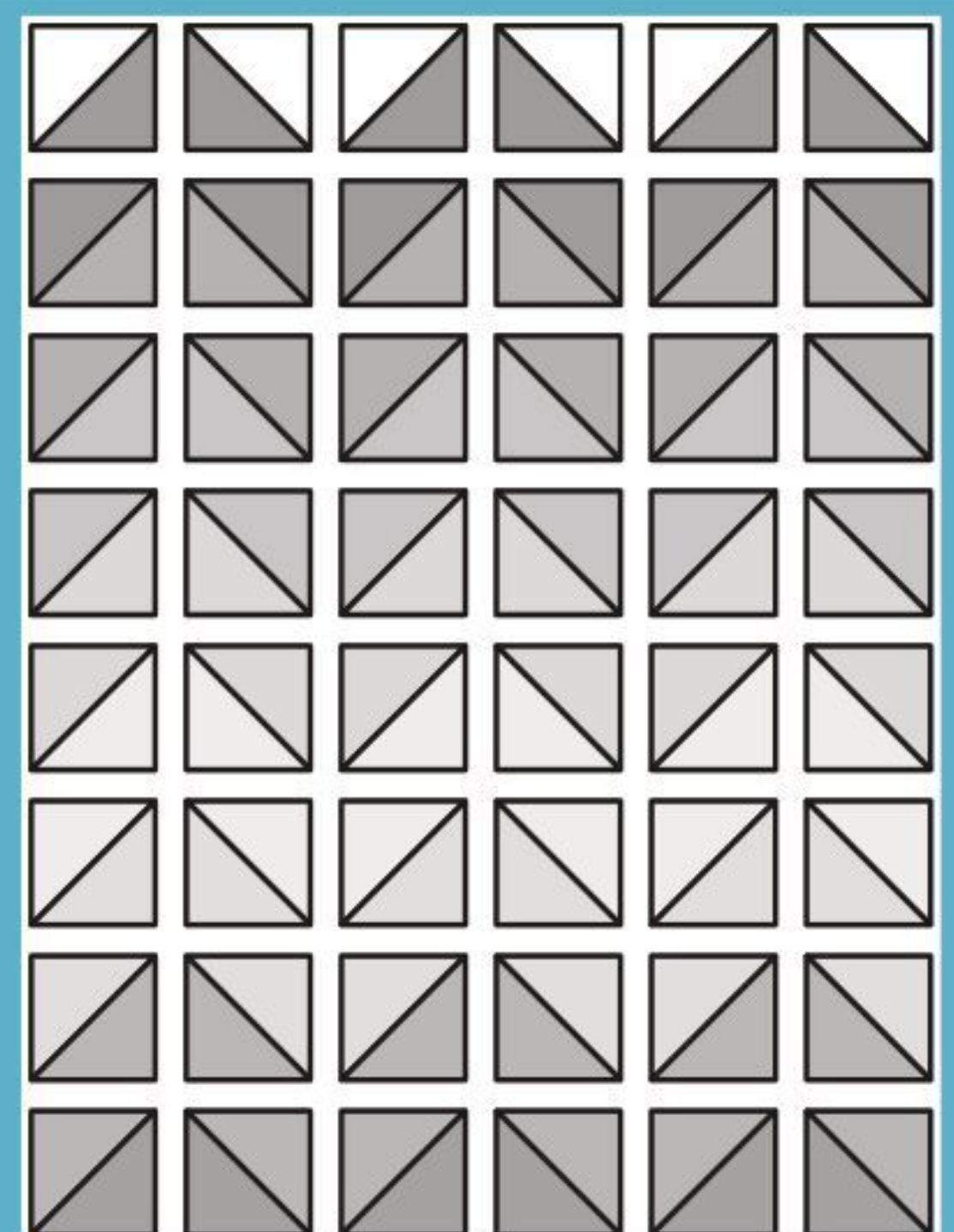
Colourway 4: D & E

Colourway 5: E & F

Colourway 6: F & G

Colourway 7: G & H

Colourway 8: H & I





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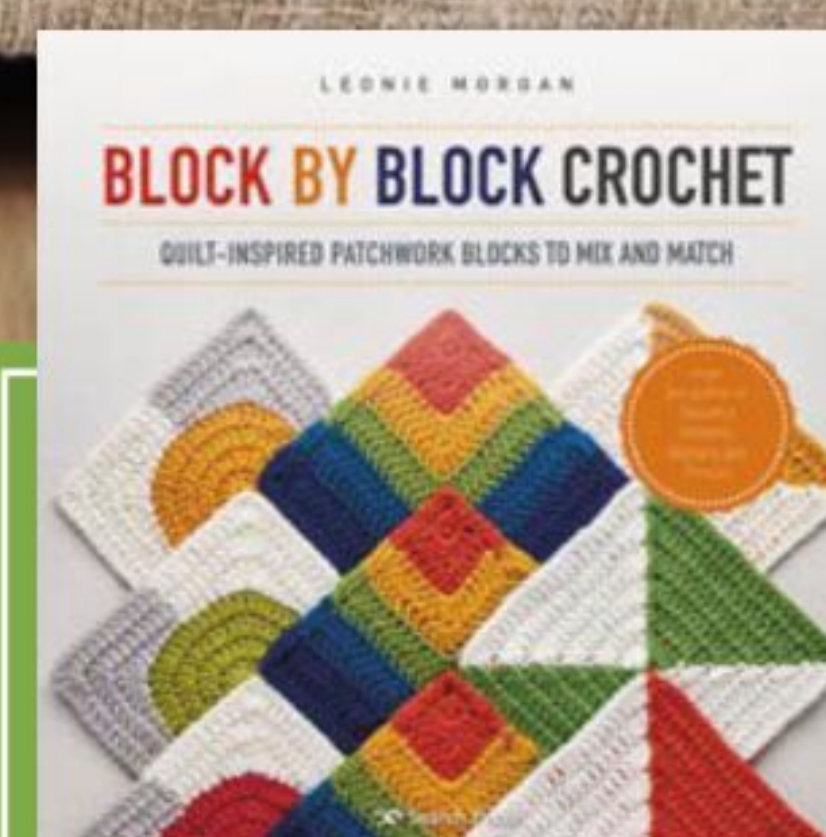
EACH SQUARE IS
WORKED IN THE ROUND
USING TWO COLOURS
AND IS EASY TO MAKE. BE SURE
TO BLOCK YOUR PIECES BEFORE
JOINING THEM TOGETHER



WHY NOT TRY...

The half square triangle is a basic block design in quilting, and this crocheted version can be used to create stunning effects, such as chevron patterns, diagonal stripes or this ombré rainbow colour change

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This pattern has been adapted from *Block By Block Crochet* by Leonie Morgan (£10.99, Search Press) searchpress.com

DESIGNER **MARIE WALLIN**

Versatile wrap

Team this light and lovely cover-up with an elegant summer dress or with a casual vest top and shorts

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Rowan Creative Linen, Foggy 624, 4 x 50g balls
★ 4mm hook
★ Scissors

BODY

Using 4mm crochet hook, make 125 [185: 203] ch
□ Foundation row (RS): (1 dtr, 4ch and 1 dtr) into seventh ch from hook, *1 cluster over next 6sts, 4ch, 1 dtr into same ch as used for second 'leg' of cluster just worked, rep from * to last 4ch, 1 half cluster over last 4sts, turn. 122 [182: 200] sts
Now work in patt as folls:
□ Row 1: 6ch (counts as 1 dtr and 2ch), 1 dtr into st at base of 6ch, *1 cluster over next 6sts, 4ch, 1 dtr into same place as second 'leg' of cluster just worked, rep from * until second 'leg' of cluster has been worked into dtr at beg of previous row, 2ch, 1 dtr into same place as second 'leg' of cluster just worked, turn
□ Row 2: 4ch (does NOT count as st), miss (1 dtr and 2ch), (1 dtr, 4ch and 1 dtr) into next st, *1 cluster over next 6sts, 4ch, 1 dtr into same place as second 'leg' of cluster just worked, rep from * to last 4sts, 1 half cluster over last 4sts, turn
These 2 rows form patt
Cont in patt until work meas 80 [92: 99] cm
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Press as described in the panel opposite. Fold body so that foundation ch edge and top of last row match. Join

'sleeve' seams by joining row-end edges for 20 [23: 25] cm, leaving section nearest fold open – this forms armhole opening

Armhole opening borders(both alike)

With RS facing and using 4mm hook, attach yarn to armhole opening edge at end of 'sleeve' seam, 1ch (does not count as st), work 1 round of dc evenly around armhole opening, ending with ss to first dc
□ Next round (RS): 1ch (does not count as st), 1dc into each dc to end, ss to first dc
Fasten off

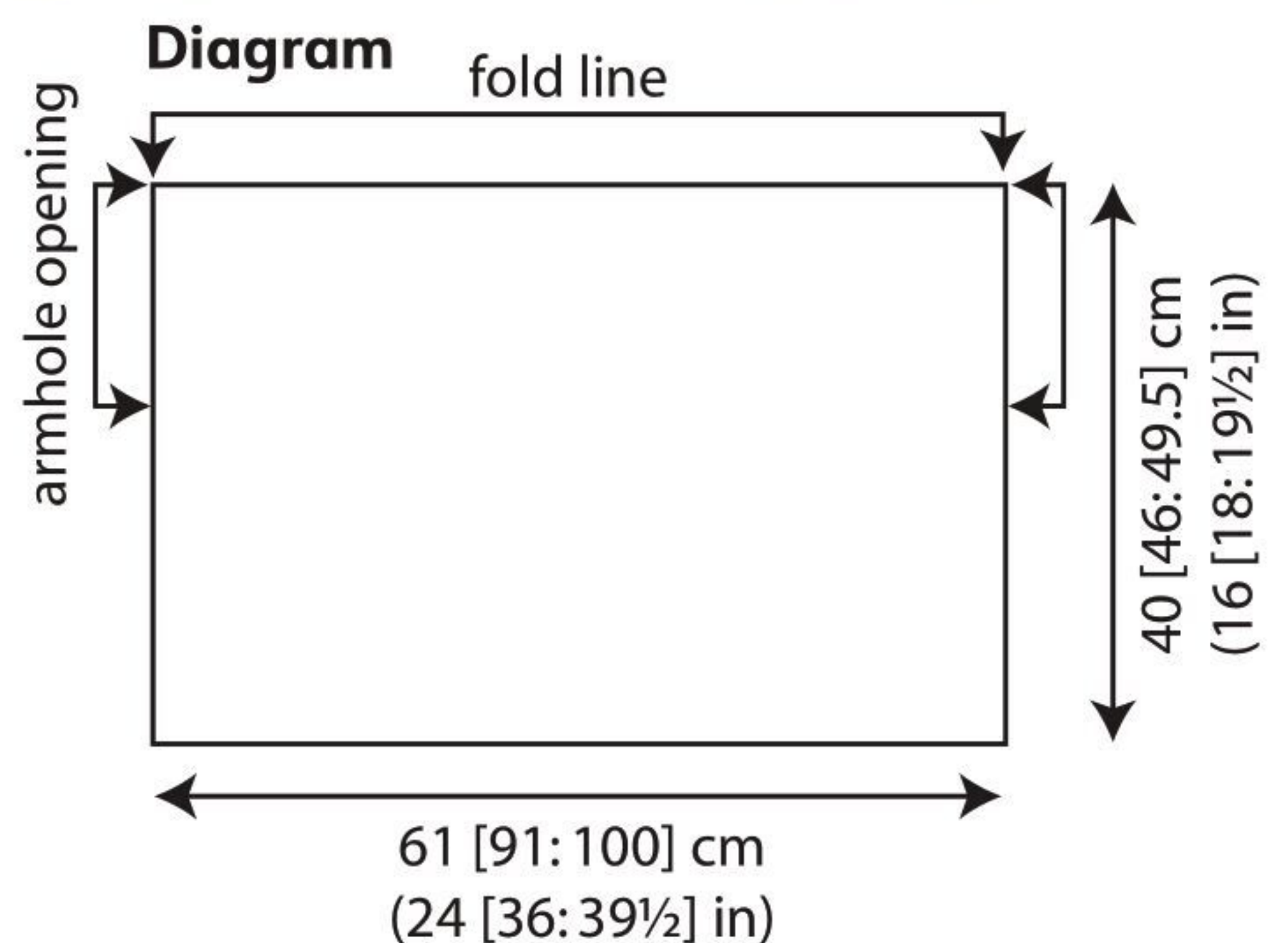
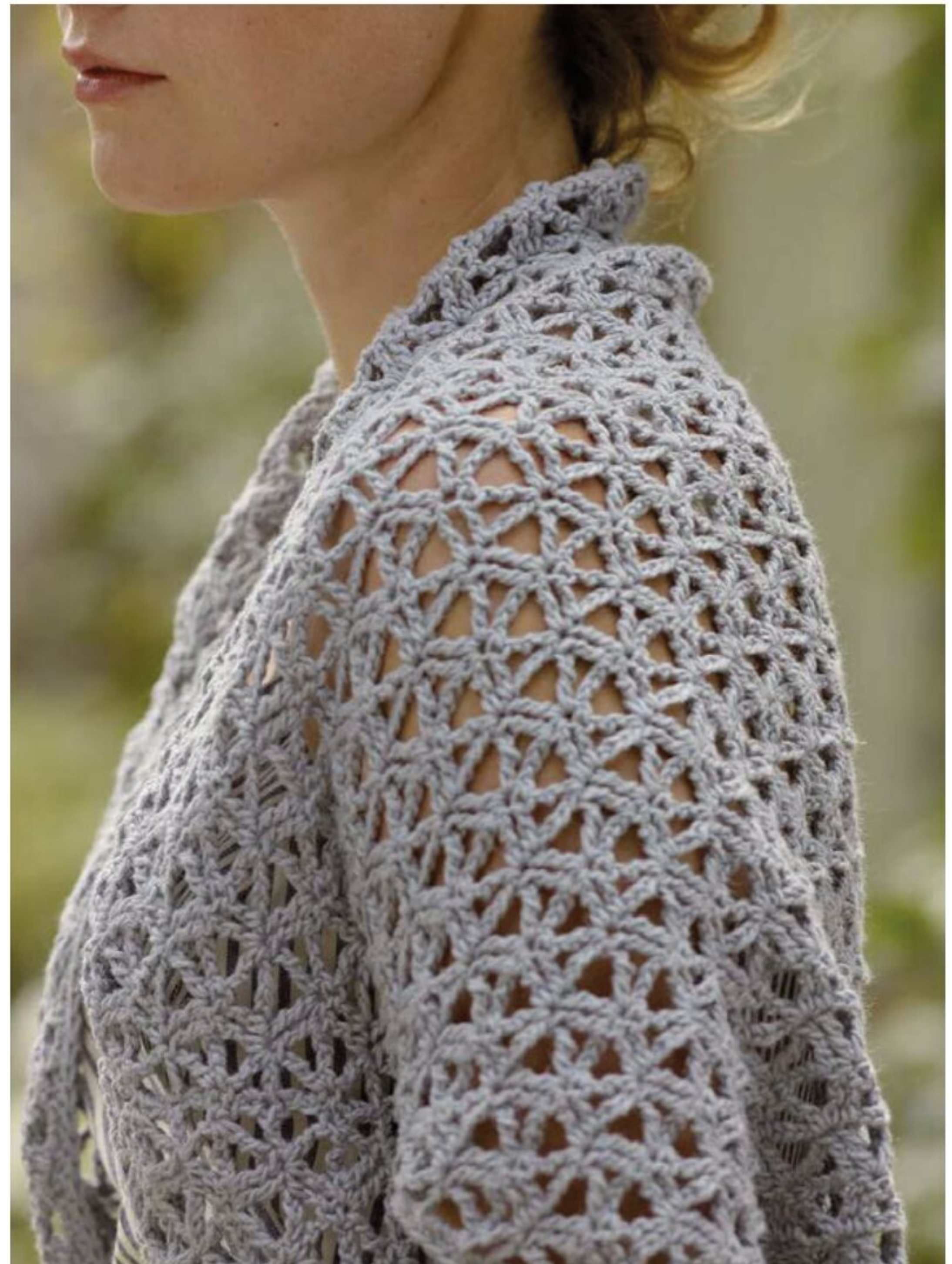
Outer edging

Work as given for Armhole opening borders

IN STITCHES

cluster: (yoh) twice and insert hook into next st, yoh and draw loop through, (yoh and draw through 2 loops) twice, miss 4 ch, (yoh) twice and insert hook into next st, yoh and draw loop through, (yoh and draw through 2 loops) twice, yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook

half cluster: (yoh) twice and insert hook into next st, yoh and draw loop through, (yoh and draw through 2 loops) twice, miss 2 ch, (yoh) twice and insert hook into next st, yoh and draw loop through, (yoh and draw through 2 loops) twice, yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook





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DRESS ME UP
OR DOWN

MEASUREMENTS & SIZES

To fit Bust (cm):

S-M 81-97

L-XL 102-117

XXL 122-127

FINISHING TIPS

Weave in all ends neatly along the selvedge or a colour join, as appropriate. Block out each piece of crochet and, following the instructions on the ball band, press the garment pieces, omitting the ribs. Take special care to press the edges, as this will make sewing up both easier and neater. If the ball band indicates that the fabric is not to be pressed, then covering the blocked out fabric with a damp white cotton cloth and leaving it to stand will have the desired effect

DESIGNER SARAH-JANE HICKS

Summer bear

TAKE THE
NEXT STEP

Dressed in a sun-motif T-shirt and cool blue shorts, this ted will be beach-ready with his bucket, spade and stripy towel

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Golden Yellow, Classic Cream, Bright Orange, Bold Navy, Fiery Red, Rich Turquoise, Party Pink, Zesty Lime, Vivid Fuchsia, Golden Yellow, Black ★ Tapestry needle ★ 3.5mm hook ★ Stuffing ★ 6mm safety eyes, two ★ Scissors
Height 16.5cm

BEAR HEAD

Using 3.5mm hook and Classic Cream make 2ch
□ Rnd 1: 8dc in second ch from hook. Eight sts
□ Rnd 2: ([2dc in next st] three times, 1dc) twice. 14 sts
□ Rnd 3: ([1dc, 2dc in next st] three times, 1dc) to end. 20 sts
□ Rnd 4: ([2dc, 2dc in next st] three times, 1dc) to end. 26 sts
□ Rnd 5: ([3dc, 2dc in next st] three times, 1dc) to end. 32 sts
□ Rnds 6-10: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 11: ([3dc, dc2tog] three times, 1dc) to end. 26 sts
□ Rnd 12: ([2dc, dc2tog] three times, 1dc) to end. 20 sts
□ Rnd 13: ([1dc, dc2tog] three times, 1dc) to end. 14 sts
□ Rnd 14: ([dc2tog] three times, 1dc) to end. Eight sts
Fasten off

BODY

Using 3.5mm hook and Bold Navy make 2ch
□ Rnds 1-8: rep Rnds 1-8 of Head. 32 sts
Change to Bright Orange
□ Rnds 9-11: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 12: rep Rnd 11 of Head. 26 sts



□ Rnd 13: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 14: rep Rnd 12 of Head. 20 sts
□ Rnd 15: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 16: rep Rnd 13 of Head. 14 sts
□ Rnd 17: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

SUN

Using 3.5mm hook and Golden Yellow make 2ch
□ Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook. Six sts
□ Rnd 2: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
Fasten off

ARM (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Classic Cream make 2ch
□ Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook. Six sts
NOTE: change to Bright Orange after Rnd 6
□ Rnds 2-10: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

LEG (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Classic Cream make 2ch
□ Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook. Six sts

□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Nine sts
NOTE: change to Bold Navy after Rnd 7
□ Rnds 3-10: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Classic Cream make 2ch
□ Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook. Six sts
□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

BUCKET

Using 3.5mm hook and Zesty Lime make 2ch
□ Rnd 1: 8dc in second ch from hook. Eight sts
□ Rnd 2: 2dc in each st to end. 16 sts
□ Rnd 3: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnds 4-5: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 6: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 20 sts
□ Rnds 7-8: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

HANDLE

Using 3.5mm hook and Vivid Fuchsia, join with a sl st to top of Bucket, make 14ch
□ Row 1: join with a sl st to other side of Bucket, turn, one sl st in each ch to end
Fasten off

SPADE

Using 3.5mm hook and Fiery Red make 5ch
□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to end, turn. Four sts
□ Rows 2-3: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn. Four sts
□ Row 4: 1ch, (dc2tog) twice. Two sts
Fasten off

HANDLE

Using 3.5mm hook and Golden Yellow, join with a sl st to top of Spade, make 6ch, turn
□ Row 1: one sl st in each ch to end
Fasten off

TOWEL

Using 3.5mm hook and Rich Turquoise make 14ch
Work in foll one-row stripe sequence: Rich Turquoise, Golden Yellow, Party Pink, Zesty Lime
□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc, (1htr, 1tr, 1htr, 1dc) to end, turn. 13 sts
□ Row 2: 3ch (counts as 1tr), (1htr, 1dc, 1htr, 1tr) to end, turn
□ Row 3: 1ch, 1dc, (1htr, 1tr, 1htr, 1dc) to end, turn
□ Row 4: 3ch (counts as 1tr), (1htr, 1dc, 1htr, 1tr) to end, turn
□ Rows 5-12: rep Rows 3-4 four times
Cont in Rich Turquoise
□ Row 12: rep Row 3
Fasten off



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TO MAKE UP

Insert safety eyes in Rnd 7 of Head, approx six sts apart. Use black DK to embroider nose. Stuff Head. Stuff Body and sew to Head between Rows 13-14. Sew Sun to front of Body and embroider rays. Stuff Legs. Sew Arms, Legs and Ears to Body. Sew Spade to Handle. Weave in all ends

"While the bear is worked in continuous rounds of double crochet, you'll practise some treble stitches for the subtle wave effect on his towel"

CORINNE BRADD
EDITOR

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DESIGNER **HEATHER GIBBS**

Circle bag

Worked in the round, this tote is the perfect size for all your essentials and would look great as part of any summer outfit

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Sky Grey, Shimmer Blue, Hibiscus Pink, Flamingo Pink, Toucan Yellow, Canopy Green, White
- ★ 4mm hook
- ★ Stitch markers
- ★ Wooden toggle button
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Scissors

Height (incl. handle): 36cm

CIRCULAR PANEL (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and White make a magic ring, 10htr into ring, join with a sl st to top of first st. Ten sts

NOTE: colour in brackets foll instruction indicates which yarn to use

- Rnd 1: 1ch (does not count as st throughout), (2htr in next st) five times (White), (2htr in next st) five times (Sky Grey), sl st in first htr (White). 20 sts
- Rnd 2: 1ch, (1htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), (1htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Sky Grey), sl st in first htr (Shimmer Blue). 30 sts
- Rnd 3: 1ch, (2htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Shimmer Blue), (2htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), sl st in first htr (Shimmer Blue). 40 sts
- Rnd 4: 1ch, (3htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Shimmer Blue), (3htr, 2htr in next st) five times, sl st in first htr (White). 50 sts
- Rnd 5: 1ch, (4htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), (4htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Hibiscus Pink), sl st in first htr (White). 60 sts
- Rnd 6: 1ch, (5htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), (5htr, 2htr in next st) five times

(Hibiscus Pink), sl st in first htr (Flamingo Pink). 70 sts

- Rnd 7: 1ch, (6htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Flamingo Pink), (6htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), sl st in first htr (Flamingo Pink). 80 sts
 - Rnd 8: 1ch, (7htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Flamingo Pink), (7htr, 2htr in next st) five times, sl st in first htr (White). 90 sts
 - Rnd 9: 1ch, (8htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), (8htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Toucan Yellow), sl st in first htr (White). 100 sts
 - Rnd 10: 1ch, (9htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), (9htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Toucan Yellow), sl st in first htr (Canopy Green). 110 sts
 - Rnd 11: 1ch, (10htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Canopy Green), (10htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), sl st in first htr (Canopy Green). 120 sts
 - Rnd 12: 1ch, (11htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Canopy Green), (11htr, 2htr in next st) five times, sl st in first htr (White). 130 sts
 - Rnd 13: 1ch, (12htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), (12htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Shimmer Blue), sl st in first htr (White). 140 sts
 - Rnd 14: 1ch, (13htr, 2htr in next st) five times (White), (13htr, 2htr in next st) five times (Shimmer Blue), sl st in first htr (White). 150 sts
- Fasten off

FASTENING

Using 4mm hook and White make 16ch

- Row 1: 1dc in second ch from hook, 1dc in each st to end, turn. 15 sts
- Row 2: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
- Row 3: 1ch, 2dc, 3ch, miss



three sts, 1dc in each st to end, turn

- Row 4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end (including 3ch), turn
 - Row 5: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
- Fasten off, leaving a long tail

HANDLE (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and White make 80ch, join with a sl st to make a ring, fold in half, then work over ring as folls: 40dc over length of chain, keeping two loops of inner ring on either end to attach Handles to Circular Panels

Fasten off

GUSSET

Using 4mm hook and White make 105ch

- Row 1: 1htr in second ch from hook, 1htr in each st to end, turn. 104 sts
 - Rows 2-5: 1ch, 1htr in each st to end, turn
- Do not fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Count 21 sts forward and 21 sts back from top central line and place markers. Pin Gusset in place, leaving gap between markers for opening. With RS facing, hold Circular Panel at front and Gusset behind, work 1dc through each piece to join, cont to work 1dc in each st around opening, fasten off. Rotate second Circular Panel 180°, then attach other side of Gusset to Circular Panel working 1dc around opening, fasten off. Attach toggle on front of one Circular Panel, on central line on Rnd 13. Attach Fastening on other side of Circular Panel in line with toggle button. Attach Handles on Circular Panels approx eight sts from Gusset and leaving at least an 18 st gap between each side. Weave in all ends

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TOP TIP! WHEN WORKING THE CIRCULAR PANELS, IT HELPS TO USE A STITCH MARKER TO KEEP TRACK OF THE CENTRAL POINTS

DESIGNER HANNAH COOPER

Cat toys

TAKE THE
NEXT STEP

These crocheted playthings are the purrfect gift for your moggy as they're the ideal shape and size for chasing

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Soft Fawn, Warm Coral, Floral Pink, Deep Navy, Sky Blue, Pom-Pom (yellow) ★ 4mm hook
★ Three bells ★ Tapestry needle ★ Stuffing
★ Scissors

Rabbit length: 23cm;
ball width: 8cm; ball with
streamers; fish length: 19cm

RABBIT HEAD

Using 4mm hook and Warm Coral make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Row 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rows 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
□ Row 4: 3dc, (2dc in next st) six times, 3dc. 18 sts
□ Row 5: 1dc in each st to end
□ Row 6: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Row 7: 1dc in each st to end
□ Row 8: 6dc, (1dc, 2dc in next st) six times, 6dc. 30 sts
□ Rows 9-10: 1dc in each st to end
□ Row 11: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
□ Row 12: 1dc in each st to end
□ Row 13: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
Stuff firmly
□ Row 14: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Row 15: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

BODY

Using 4mm hook and Floral Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Row 1: 2dc in each st to

end. 12 sts
□ Row 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Row 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rows 4-12: 1dc in each st to end
□ Row 13: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rows 14-15: 1dc in each st to end
□ Row 16: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
Fasten off

EAR (MAKE 4 - 2 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4mm hook and Deep Navy (Floral Pink) make 4ch, turn
□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each st to end, turn. Three sts
□ Rows 2-3: 1ch, 3dc, turn
□ Row 4: 1ch, 1dc, 2dc in next st, 1dc, turn. Four sts
□ Row 5: 1ch, 4dc, turn
□ Row 6: 1ch, 1dc, 2dc in next st, 2dc, turn. Five sts
□ Rows 7-8: 1ch, 5dc, turn
□ Row 9: 1ch, 2dc, 2dc in next st, 2dc, turn. Six sts
□ Rows 10-12: 1ch, 6dc, turn
□ Row 13: 1ch, 2dc, dc2tog, 2dc, turn. Five sts
□ Row 14: 1ch, dc2tog, 1dc, dc2tog, turn. Three sts
□ Row 15: 1ch, dc3tog. One st
Fasten off

LEG (MAKE 4)

Using 4mm hook and Pom-pom make 10ch
Fasten off

FOOT (MAKE 4)

Using 4mm hook and Deep Navy make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 5: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
NOTE: before working next row insert Pom-pom leg in hole
□ Row 6: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

TAIL

Using 4mm hook and Soft Fawn make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
Stuff
□ Rnd 4: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew Ears tog and to top of Head. Embroider face. Sew Feet to Legs. Sew Head, Legs and Tail to Body. Weave in all ends

BALL (MAKE 2)

NOTE: join each rnd with a sl st in first dc, 1ch at beg of rnd does not count as a st throughout
Using 4mm hook and Soft Fawn make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
Work in foll one-rnd stripe sequence: Floral Pink, Sky Blue, Warm Coral
□ Rnd 1: 1ch, 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: 1ch, (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
Change to Soft Fawn
□ Rnd 4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 5: 1ch, working in BLO

(3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
Work in foll one-rnd stripe sequence: Sky Blue, Soft Fawn, Warm Coral
□ Rnd 6: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 7: 1ch, (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnd 8: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off first half but not second

TO MAKE UP

Use Pom-pom to sl st in FLO of Rnd 5 of each half
Using 4mm hook and Warm Coral make 1ch
□ Rnd 9: working in FLO of both halves, 1dc in each st to end
Insert bells and stuff as you go
Fasten off and weave in all ends

STREAMER BALL BALL

NOTE: join each rnd with a sl st in first dc, 1ch at beg of rnd does not count as a st throughout
Using 4mm hook and Soft Fawn make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
Work in foll one-rnd stripe sequence: Sky Blue, Soft Fawn, Floral Pink, Soft Fawn, Deep Navy, Soft Fawn, Warm Coral
□ Rnd 1: 1ch, 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 3: 1ch, (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 5: 1ch, (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 6: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 7: 1ch, (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts



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for this pattern

Change to Soft Fawn

□ Rnds 8-12: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

Work in foll one-rnd stripe sequence: Warm Coral, Soft Fawn, Deep Navy, Soft Fawn, Floral Pink, Soft Fawn, Sky Blue, Soft Fawn

□ Rnd 13: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 14: 1ch, (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 15: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 16: 1ch, (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 17: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

Stuff firmly

□ Rnd 18: 1ch, (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

□ Rnd 19: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 20: 1ch, (dc2tog) to end. Six sts

Fasten off

CURLY STREAMER (MAKE 5 -1 EACH IN SKY BLUE, DEEP NAVY, FLORAL PINK, WARM CORAL & SOFT FAWN)

Using 4mm hook and chosen yarn make 40ch, turn

□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 3dc in each st to end
Fasten off

STRAIGHT STREAMER (MAKE 4 IN DIFFERENT LENGTHS - 1 EACH IN SOFT FAWN, CORAL PINK, FLORAL PINK & SKY BLUE)

NOTE: to make longer streamers make a larger number of ch sts in starting row
Using 4mm hook and chosen yarn make 20ch, turn

□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each st to end

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew Streamers to bottom of Ball. Sew a bell to end of longest one. Sew 35cm length of Pom-pom to Ball. Weave in all ends

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TOP TIP! MAKE SURE YOU TIGHTLY SECURE ALL ENDS TO ENSURE THEY ARE CAT CLAW SAFE!



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"If you're still building your skills, these mini makes are a chance to try out trebles, half trebles and double trebles"

CORINNE BRADD EDITOR

DESIGNER **HANNAH COOPER**

Duck duo

Go quackers for our darling duck and duckling, or get carried away and create a whole brood

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Soft Yellow, Vivid Orange, Pale Taupe
★ 3.5mm hook ★ Stuffing
★ Tapestry needle ★ Black safety eyes: 6mm, two; 8mm, two ★ Scissors

Duck height: 11.5cm; duckling height: 8.5cm

DUCKLING

BODY

Using 3.5mm hook and Soft Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: (1dc, 2dc in next st) six times, 6dc. 24 sts
□ Rnd 4: 3dc, (1dc, 2dc in next st) six times, 9dc. 30 sts
□ Rnd 5: 6dc, (1dc, 2dc in next st) six times, 12dc. 36 sts
□ Rnds 6-7: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 8: 10dc, (dc2tog) six times, 14dc. 30 sts
□ Rnd 9: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 10: 7dc, (dc2tog) six times, 11dc. 24 sts
□ Rnd 11: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 12: 4dc, (dc2tog) six times, 8dc. 18 sts
□ Rnd 13: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
□ Rnd 14: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

HEAD

Using 3.5mm hook and Soft Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end.

12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnds 3-4: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 5: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 6-8: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
Insert safety eyes between Rnds 5-6, approx five sts apart
□ Rnd 10: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
□ Rnd 11: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

BEAK

Using 3.5mm hook and Vivid Orange make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

FOOT (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Vivid Orange make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnds 1-2: 1dc in each st to end
NOTE: fold piece flat and work next row through two sts at a time
□ Rnd 3: 1ch, (1tr, 1ch) in first sts, (sl st, 1ch, 1tr, 1ch) in next sts, (sl st, 1ch, 1tr, 1ch, sl st) in last sts
Fasten off

DUCK

BODY

Using 3.5mm hook and Pale Taupe make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnds 1-5: rep Rnds 1-5 of Duckling Body. 36 sts
□ Rnd 6: 9dc, (1dc, 2dc in next st) six times, 15dc. 42 sts

□ Rnd 7: 9dc, (2dc, 2dc in next st) six times, 15dc. 48 sts
□ Rnds 8-10: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 11: 18dc, (dc2tog) six times, 18dc. 42 sts
□ Rnd 12: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 13: 15dc, (dc2tog) six times, 15dc. 36 sts
□ Rnd 14: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 15: 12dc, (dc2tog) six times, 12dc. 30 sts
□ Rnd 16: 9dc, (dc2tog) six times, 9dc. 24 sts
□ Rnd 17: 6dc, (dc2tog) six times, 6dc. 18 sts
□ Rnd 18: 3dc, (dc2tog) six times, 3dc. 12 sts
Stuff
□ Rnds 19-20: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

HEAD

Using 3.5mm hook and Pale Taupe make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnds 3-4: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 5: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 7: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnds 8-10: 1dc in each st to end
Insert safety eyes between Rnds 7-8, approx six sts apart
□ Rnd 11: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 12: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 13: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
Fasten off

BEAK

Using 3.5mm hook and Vivid Orange make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

FOOT (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Vivid Orange make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnds 1-2: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 3: (2dc in next st, 2dc) to end. Eight sts
□ Rnd 4: (2dc in next st, 3dc) to end. Ten sts
NOTE: fold piece flat and work next rnd through two sts at a time
□ Rnd 5: (1ch, 1tr, 1ch, sl st) in next sts, (1ch, 1tr) in next sts, (1ch, sl st) in next sts, (1ch, 1tr) in next sts
Fasten off

LEFT WING

Using 3.5mm hook and Pale Taupe make 9ch, turn
□ Rnd 1: starting in second ch from hook, 2dc, 2htr, 2tr, 1dtr, (2dtr, 1tr) in last st
Fasten off

RIGHT WING

Using 3.5mm hook and Pale Taupe make 10ch, turn
□ Rnd 1: starting in third ch from hook, 2dtr in next st, 1dtr, 2tr, 2htr, 2dc
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

For Duck and Duckling, sew Beak to Head and Head to Body. Sew Feet to bottom of Body. Sew Wings to sides of Duck Body. Weave in all ends



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"When working the feet, double check where your stitches are to make sure you work through two at a time on the last row"

HANNAH COOPER DESIGNER

TOP TIP!

MAKE SURE YOU STUFF YOUR DUCKS FIRMLY, SO THEY HOLD THEIR SHAPE AND LOOK EXTRA CUTE

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CRAFT ME
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DESIGNER **SACHIYO ISHI**



Bethanie frog

Say hello to an amigurumi amphibian with attitude with this web-fingered friend

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Pistachio Green, Strawberry Pink, Passionfruit Orange, Bubblegum Blue, Raspberry Ripple ★ 3.75mm hook
★ Two 8mm black beads
★ Black cotton ★ Small amount of pink felt
★ Small amount of dark brown DK ★ Stuffing
★ Fabric glue ★ Tapestry needle ★ Sewing needle
★ Scissors

Height: 21cm

NOTE: each rnd is joined with a sl st in first st, 1ch at beg of rnd does not count as a st throughout

HEAD

Using 3.75mm hook and Pistachio Green make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 1ch, (2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: 1ch, (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 4: 1ch, (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 5: 1ch, (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnds 6-8: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: 1ch, (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
□ Rnds 10-12: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 13: 1ch, (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnd 14: 1ch, (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 15: 1ch, (3dc, dc2tog)

to end. 24 sts
Stuff
□ Rnd 16: 1ch, (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 17: 1ch, (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 18: 1ch, (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

EYE (MAKE 2)

Using 3.75mm hook and Pistachio Green make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 1ch, (2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnds 2-3: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

BODY

Using 3.75mm hook and Strawberry Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnds 1-4: rep Rnds 1-4 of Head. 30 sts
□ Rnds 5-8: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: 1ch, (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 10-15: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 16: 1ch, (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 17: 1ch, (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 18: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

ARM (MAKE 2)

Using 3.75mm hook and Pistachio Green make 11ch, sl st in first ch to make a ring. Ten sts
□ Rnds 1-8: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: 1ch, 2dc, (dc2tog, 2dc) to end. Eight sts
□ Rnd 10: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end



NOTE: now working on fingers
Make sl st in next two sts, (3ch, 4dc in second ch from hook, sl st in next ch, one sl st in next two sts on arm edge) to end, creating three fingers
Fasten off

LEG (MAKE 2)

Using 3.75mm hook and Strawberry Pink make a magic ring, work 8dc into ring. Eight sts
□ Rnds 1-4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 5: 1ch, (2dc, 2dc in next st) to last two sts, 2dc. Ten sts
□ Rnds 6-10: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 11: 1ch, two sl sts, 6dc, two sl sts
Fasten off

SHOE (MAKE 2)

Using 3.75mm hook and Passionfruit Orange make 6ch
□ Rnd 1: starting in second ch from hook, 4dc, 3dc in last ch, 3dc, 2dc in first ch. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, 2dc in first st, 3dc, (2dc in next st) three

times, 3dc, (2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: 1ch, 3dc, (dc2tog, 1dc) four times, 3dc. 14 sts
□ Rnd 5: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

DRESS

Using 3.75mm hook and Raspberry Ripple make 19ch
□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each st to end, turn. 18 sts
□ Row 2: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
□ Row 3: 1ch, (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end, turn. 24 sts
□ Rows 4-7: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
□ Row 8: 1ch, (2dc in next st) to end, turn. 48 sts
□ Rows 9-10: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
□ Row 11: 1ch, (7dc, 2dc in next st) to end, turn. 54 sts
□ Row 12: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off



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FLOWER

Using 3.75mm hook and Passionfruit Orange make a magic ring, work 5dc into ring. Five sts

Change to Bubblegum Blue

□ Rnd 1: (2ch, 1tr, 2ch, sl st in next st) five times

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Stuff Body. Stuff Leg, place Shoe on Leg and attach Leg to Body. Rep for other Leg. Wrap Body in Dress and sew seam at back. Stuff Arms. Stitch fingers to edge of hand to close hole. Attach Arms to Body. Stuff Eyes and attach eye beads. Sew Eyes to Head.

Use dark brown DK to embroider mouth. Sew Head to Body. Sew Flower to Dress. Cut two 1.5cm diameter pink felt circles and glue to cheeks. Weave in all ends

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WHY NOT TRY...

Why not crochet several flowers in different colours and use them to create a border all the way around the bottom of Bethanie's dress? You could also use them to decorate any of the other toys in this magazine

TOP TIP!

IF YOU'RE USING SAFETY EYES WITH WASHERS, ATTACH THEM BEFORE STUFFING THE EYES – ALTERNATIVELY, MAKE FRENCH KNOTS WITH BLACK YARN



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DESIGNER KATH WEBBER

Colourful cushion

This textured cover will add a dash of colour to your décor – and can be made with as many or as few shades as you like

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Radiant Orange, Bold Blue, Bright Yellow, Vivid Green, Striking White, Brilliant Pink ★ Two pieces of 25cm x 38cm cotton fabric ★ Pom-pom trim ★ 40cm cushion pad ★ Scissors ★ 3.5mm hook

Size: 35cm square

Using 3.5mm hook and Radiant Orange make 68ch

NOTE: turn work at end of each row

□ Row 1: 1tr into fourth ch from hook, 1tr in each ch to end. 65 sts

Change to Bold Blue

□ Row 2: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

Change to Bright Yellow

NOTE: colour in bracket foll instruction indicates which yarn to use

□ Row 3: 3ch in next st (counts as 1tr), 3tr (Bright Yellow), mb (Bold Blue), (4tr [Bright Yellow], mb [Bold Blue]) 11 times, 5tr (Bright Yellow)

Cont in Bold Blue only

□ Row 4: rep Row 2

Change to Brilliant Pink

□ Row 5: 3ch in next st (counts as 1tr), 1tr in each st to end

Change to Vivid Green

□ Row 6: (3ch, 3tr in next st, miss three sts, 1dc) to end. 52 sts

□ Row 7: 3ch, 3tr in next st, 1dc in third of next 3ch, (3ch, 3tr in side of 3ch, 1dc in next 3ch sp) to end

Work in foll one-row stripe sequence: Striking White, Radiant Orange, Bold Blue, Bright Yellow, Brilliant Pink, Vivid Green, Striking White

BOBBLE-ICIOUS

To crochet a multicoloured bobble (mb), work as follows: work five incomplete sts, leaving last loop of each st on hook. Six loops on hook. Yoh, pull through all rem loops on hook. When picking original colour back up, strand it across back of bobble, yoh, pull through loop on hook

□ Row 8: 3ch, 3tr in next st, 1dc in third of next 3ch, (4tr in next st, 1dc in third of next 3ch) to end. 65 sts

□ Row 9: rep Row 2

□ Row 10: rep Row 5

□ Row 11: 1ch, 1dc, (miss three sts, 7tr in next st, miss three sts, 3dc) six times, miss three sts, 4tr in last st

□ Row 12: 1ch, 2dc, (3ch, tr7tog, 3ch, 3dc) six times, 3ch, tr3tog

□ Row 13: rep Row 2

□ Row 14: rep Row 5

Change to Radiant Orange
□ Rows 15-42: rep Rows 1-14 twice, working mb in Striking White when rep Row 3 for second time

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew in ends. Fold 1.5cm along one long edge of both pieces of fabric and sew

pom-pom trim along folded edge of larger piece. Place the same piece RS down onto the RS of cushion piece, then the plain piece of fabric. Using back st, sew pieces tog on all sides with crochet piece uppermost. Turn and insert pad

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DESIGNER HANNAH COOPER

Teeny tortoises

Each of these adorable little reptiles uses variegated yarn to create a funky shell design

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Bright Yellow, Purple Mix, Rich Plum, Soft Violet, Bold Red ★ Stuffing
★ Scissors ★ Six 5mm safety eyes ★ Tapestry needle ★ 3.75mm hook
Length: 6cm

NOTE: YARN A: All tortoises – Purple Mix. YARN B: Tabitha – Rich Plum; Theodore – Soft Violet; Tarquin – Bold Red

SHELL (MAKE 3)

Using 3.75mm hook and Yarn A make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
Change to Yarn B
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
Colour in brackets foll instruction indicates which yarn to use
□ Rnd 2: (1dc [Yarn B], 2dc in next st [Yarn A]) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: (1dc [Yarn B], 1dc, 2dc in next st [Yarn A]) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 4-5: (1dc [Yarn B], 3dc [Yarn A]) to end
Cont in Yarn B only
□ Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 7: working in front loops only, (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
Fasten off

SHELL UNDERSIDE (MAKE 3)

Using 3.75mm hook, join Purple Mix to any back loop of Rnd 6 of Shell
□ Rnd 1: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
□ Rnd 3: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off



HEAD (MAKE 3)

Using 3.75mm hook and Bright Yellow make a magic ring, work 4dc into ring. Four sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. Eight sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 3: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Eight sts
Insert safety eyes between Rnds 2-3, approx five sts apart
Stuff
□ Rnd 5: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

LEG (MAKE 12)

Using 3.75mm hook and Bright Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnds 1-2: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Stuff Head and sew between Shell and Shell Underside. Stuff

each Leg and sew four Legs to Shell Underside. Weave in all ends



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DESIGNER **TINA BARRETT**

Lacy cardigan

We love the lacework panel on this cardi that's the perfect cover-up for those in-between days

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Katia Merino 100% shade 20 Deep Orange, 11 (12, 13, 14) 50g balls
★ 4mm hook ★ Tapestry needle ★ Popper ★ Buttons: decorative, 2cm, two
★ Scissors ★ Tape measure

TENSION SQUARE

★ 18 sts x 22 rows
★ 10cm x 10cm
★ Double crochet
★ 4mm hook

IN STITCHES

t-ch: turning chain
dc2tog: * insert hook into next st, yoh, pull through loop, rep from * once more, yoh, pull through all three loops on hook

BACK

Using 4mm hook, make 87 (99, 111, 123) ch
□ Foundation row (RS): 1 tr in fourth ch from hook, 1 tr in each ch to end, turn
□ Row 1: 3ch (counts as 1 tr), 2tr in first tr, 2ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 5ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 2ch, miss three tr, * 5tr in next tr, 2ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 5ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 2ch, miss three tr, rep from * ending after 3tr in third of t-ch, turn
□ Row 2: 4ch (counts as 1 tr, 1ch), miss first tr, 1 tr in next tr, 1ch, 1 tr in next tr, 2ch, miss 2-ch sp, 1dc in 5-ch sp, 2ch, * [1 tr in next tr, 1ch] four times, 1 tr in next tr, 2ch, miss 2-ch sp, 1dc in 5-ch sp, 2ch, rep from *

to last two tr, [1 tr in next tr, 1ch] twice, 1 tr in third of t-ch, turn
□ Row 3: 5ch (counts as 1 tr, 2ch), miss first tr, 1 tr in next tr, 2ch, 1 tr in next tr, * miss next dc, [1 tr in next tr, 2ch] four times, 1 tr in next tr, rep from * to last dc, miss last dc, [1 tr in next tr, 2ch] twice, 1 tr in third of t-ch, turn
□ Row 4: 3ch (counts as 1 tr), 2tr in next 2-ch sp, 1 tr in next tr, 2tr in next 2-ch sp, miss next tr, 1 tr in next tr, * [2tr in 2-ch sp, 1 tr in next tr] three times, 2tr in next 2-ch sp, miss next tr, 1 tr in next tr, rep from * to last 2-ch sp, 2tr in last 2-ch sp, 1 tr in next tr, 2tr in 5-ch sp, 1 tr in third of t-ch, turn
□ Row 5: 3ch (counts as 1 tr), 2tr in first tr, 2ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 5ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 2ch, miss three tr, * 5tr in next tr, 2ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 5ch, miss three tr, 1dc in next tr, 2ch, miss three tr, rep from * to last three sts, miss two tr, 3tr in third of t-ch, turn
□ Rep Rows 2-5 until work meas 41 (41, 46, 46) cm, ending after a Row 4
□ Fasten off

LEFT FRONT

Using 4mm hook, make 43 (47, 53, 59) ch
□ Foundation row: 1 dc in second ch from hook, 1 dc in each ch to end, turn. 42 (46, 52, 58) sts
□ Row 1: 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in each dc to end, turn
□ Rep last row until front meas 36 (36, 41, 41) cm

Shape neck

□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in next 32 (34, 38, 42) dc, turn
Leave rem 10 (12, 14, 16) dc unworked

□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end, turn
□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to last two dc, dc2tog, turn. 31 (33, 37, 41) sts
□ Rep last two rows until 27 (29, 30, 31) sts rem
□ Next row: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end, turn
□ Rep last row until front meas 41 (41, 46, 46) cm
□ Fasten off

RIGHT FRONT

□ Work to match Left front, reversing shaping

SLEEVES

Using 4mm hook, make 47 (47, 49, 49) ch
□ Foundation row: 1 dc in second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to end, turn. 46 (46, 48, 48) sts
□ Row 1: 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in each dc to end, turn
□ Rows 2-9: as Row 1
□ Row 10: 1ch, 2dc in first dc, 1dc in each dc to last dc, 2dc in last dc. 48 sts
□ Rep last ten rows until there are 58 (62, 66, 70) sts
□ Rep Row 1 until Sleeve meas 41 (41, 43, 43) cm
□ Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Weave in loose yarn ends and press pieces according to instructions on ball band. Join shoulder seams

FRONT EDGING

Beg at lower edge of Right front edge, rejoin yarn to RS of work
□ Using 4mm hook, work a row of dc evenly up Right front edge, along Back neck and down Left front edge
□ Fasten off

Sew side seams leaving 17 (18, 19, 20) cm opening for Sleeves

SLEEVE EDGING

Rejoin yarn to WS of lower Sleeve edge
□ Work a row of dc evenly across lower Sleeve edge, turn
□ Next row (shell row): 1ch, 1dc in first dc, * miss next two dc, 5tr in next dc, miss next two dc, 1dc in next dc, rep from * to end
□ Fasten off
Sew side seams of Sleeves. Insert into armhole, sew or crochet in place. Fold down both Front neck edges as shown in photo. Secure flaps by sewing a button on top at corner edge. Sew popper to front edges at point of flap



"The face panel is worked as a simple square, making this a fab project for beginner crocheters who want to take things up a level"

TINA BARRETT
DESIGNER



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**TOP
TIP!**

IF YOU'VE NEVER TRIED CROCHETING LACE BEFORE, DON'T WORRY, JUST KEEP YOUR CHAINS NICE AND EVEN, AND MAKE SURE YOU WORK INTO THE CORRECT CHAIN SPACES



CROCHET CLEVER

The Right front is worked in the same way as the Left front, but your neck shaping will need to be worked at the opposite edge. Instead of working along your RS row, then turning, you will need to miss the first 10 (12, 14, 16) dc of the row and work to the end. To do this, you can either fasten off and rejoin the yarn in the 11th (13th, 15th, 17th) stitch, or work a slip stitch in each of the first 10 (12, 14, 16) dc to get you to the right place

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**MEASUREMENTS
& SIZES**

Dress size (approx):

8-10 (12-14, 16-18, 20-22)

To fit bust (cm): 81-86 (91-97, 102-107, 112-117)

Actual chest (cm):

94 (105, 118, 131)

Length from shoulder (cm):

43 (43, 46, 46)

Sleeve length (cm):

43 (43, 46, 46)

Armhole depth (cm):

17 (18, 19, 20)

DESIGNER SARAH LOUISE READ

Hobby unicorn

With stunning curly locks and a pretty bow, this project is for crocheters who are ready to take the next step

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Lilac Glow, Bright Yellow, Fuchsia Rays, Azure Blue, Morning Grey, Pink Sunrise ★ 3.75mm hook ★ Stitch marker ★ Tapestry needle ★ Two 12mm safety eyes ★ Stuffing ★ 3.81mm dowel

Width: 18cm; height: 28cm

HEAD

Using 3.75mm hook and Lilac Glow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
- Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
- Work in foll four-rnd stripe sequence: Bright Yellow, Fuchsia Rays, Azure Blue, Lilac Glow
- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
- Rnd 6: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
- Rnd 7: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 48 sts
- Rnd 8: (7dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 54 sts

- Rnds 9-19: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 20: (8dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 60 sts
- Rnd 21: (9dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 66 sts

NOTE: insert safety eyes between Rnds 21-23, approx 20 sts apart

- Rnds 22-33: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 34: (9dc, dc2tog) to end. 60 sts

- Rnd 35: (8dc, dc2tog) to end. 54 sts
- Rnd 36: (7dc, dc2tog) to end. 48 sts
- Rnd 37: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 42 sts
- Rnd 38: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 36 sts
- Rnd 39: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
- Rnd 40: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 41: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
- Rnd 42: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 43: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
- Fasten off

NECK

Using 3.75mm hook and Azure Blue make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-2: rep Rnds 1-2 of Head. 18 sts
- Work in foll three-rnd stripe sequence: Fuchsia Rays, Bright Yellow, Lilac Glow, Azure Blue, Fuchsia Rays
- Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnd 5: working in back loops only, (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
- Rnds 6-7: rep Rnds 6-7 of Head. 48 sts
- Rnd 8: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end
- Rnds 9-16: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 17: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 42 sts
- Fasten off

DOWEL COVER

- Using 3.75mm hook and Azure Blue join to Rnd 5 of Neck
- Rnd 1: working in front

loops only, 1dc in each st to end

- Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end. 30 sts
- Work in foll four-rnd stripe sequence: Lilac Glow, Bright Yellow, Fuchsia Rays

- Rnds 4-15: 1dc in each st to end
- Change to Morning Grey
- Rnd 16: 1tr in each st to end
- Cut yarn leaving a long tail, thread tail onto tapestry needle and thread through rem sts, fasten off

TIE

Using 3.75mm hook and Azure Blue make 60ch

Fasten off

HORN

Using 3.75mm hook and Morning Grey make a magic ring, work 4dc into ring. Four sts

- Rnd 1 and every odd-numbered rnd: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Six sts
- Rnd 4: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Eight sts
- Rnd 6: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Ten sts
- Rnd 8: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 10: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 14 sts
- Rnd 12: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 16 sts
- Rnds 13-15: 1dc in each st to end
- Fasten off, leaving a long tail

EAR (MAKE 2)

- Using 3.75mm hook and Bright Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
- Rnds 1-2: 2dc in each of next two sts, 1dc in each st to end. Ten sts

Work in foll three-rnd stripe sequence: Fuchsia Rays, Azure Blue, Lilac Glow

- Rnd 3: 2dc in each of next two sts, 1dc in each st to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 4 and every even-numbered rnd: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 5: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
- Rnd 7: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
- Rnds 9-10: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 11: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
- Fasten off, leaving a long tail

BOW

- Using 3.75mm hook and Azure Blue make 12ch
- Rnd 1: starting in second from hook, 1dc in each st to end. 11 sts
 - Rnds 2-6: 1dc in each st to end
 - Fasten off, leaving a long tail

LONG HAIR (MAKE 5 - 3 IN PINK SUNRISE, 2 IN MORNING GREY)

- Using 3.75mm hook and chosen yarn make 32ch
- Rnd 1: 1tr in third ch from hook, 2tr in next st, 3tr in each st to end. 90 sts
 - Fasten off, leaving a long tail

SHORT HAIR (MAKE 2)

- Using 3.75mm hook and Pink Sunrise make 22ch
- Rnd 1: rep Rnd 1 of Long Hair. 60 sts
 - Fasten off, leaving a long tail

NOSEBAND

- Using 3.75mm hook and Morning Grey make 48ch, join with a sl st to first st
- Rnd 1: 1htr in each st to end. 48 sts
 - Fasten off



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IMAGINATIVE PLAYTIME



WHY NOT TRY...

With different ears and facial features this could be a deer, dog, llama, kangaroo...



REINS

Using 3.75mm hook and Morning Grey make 60ch
□ Rnd 1: 1htr in each st to end. 60 sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Stuff Head and weave tail through rem sts to close. Using fastened-off tail of Neck, sew to bottom of Head and stuff. Using fastened-off yarn ends of Ears sew to Head. Stuff Horn and sew to Head. Sew in ends of Neck Tie, weave it through Rnd 16 of Dowel Cover. Thread fastened-off tail of Bow to centre then wrap yarn around middle several times and secure. Sew each end of Reins to Noseband approx 20 sts apart. Sew Short Hair between Ears, sew Long Hair to Head, alternating colours. Sew Bow to front of Horn. Using Lilac Glow embroider eyelashes and use Azure Blue for nostrils. Weave in all ends



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DESIGNER **JACKIE CARREIRA**

Fun earrings

Whip both designs up in an evening to gift to someone who loves a unique and on-trend look

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Bold Crimson, Fab Orange, Jolly Yellow, Bright Lime, Dark Blue, Party Purple ★ 3.5mm hook ★ Four fish hook earring blanks ★ Tapestry needle ★ Scissors ★ Pliers

Fan earrings: 6cm wide;
rainbow earrings: 7cm wide

IN STITCHES

Double treble (dtr):

Yoh twice, insert hook in st. Yoh, pull up a loop, four loops on hook. (Yoh, pull through two loops on hook) twice. Yoh, pull through last two loops on hook

FAN EARRINGS (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Bold Crimson make 4ch, join with a sl st to make a ring

□ Row 1 (WS): 1ch, 1dc into ring, 2ch, 8tr into ring, turn

□ Row 2: 1dc in first tr, 4ch, (1dtr [see Panel] in next tr, 1ch) seven times, omitting last ch, turn

□ Row 3: 1dc in first dtr, (3ch, 1dc in next dtr) six times, 3ch, 1dc in third ch

Fasten off

RAINBOW EARRINGS (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Bold Crimson make 4ch, join with a sl st to make a ring
Work in foll one-row stripe sequence: Fab Orange, Jolly Yellow, Bright Lime, Dark Blue,

Party Purple

□ Row 1 (WS): 1ch, 8dc into ring, turn

□ Row 2: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn. Eight sts

□ Row 3: 1ch, (2dc in next st, 1dc) to end, turn. 12 sts

□ Row 4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

Rows 5-6: rep Rows 3-4. 18 sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Press with a cool iron to flatten. Attach earring blank to centre of 4ch ring on Fan and centre of last row on Rainbow. Weave in all ends

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DESIGNER **HEATHER GIBBS**

Bottle holder

Take your bottle with you wherever you go with this handy pouch carrier

COLOUR TO
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KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Deep Plum, Soft Lilac, Pale Pink, Warm Yellow, Bright Cerise, Cobalt Blue, Light Teal ★ 3mm hook
★ Stitch markers ★ Stitch holder ★ Tapestry needle
★ Scissors

Height: (excl. strap): 22cm

NOTE: place stitch marker in top of first st to mark start of rnd

BOTTOM

Using 3mm hook and Deep Plum make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
- Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
- Rnd 6: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
- Rnd 7: 1dc in each st to end

NOTE: now working upright section

- Rnd 8: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end
- Rnds 9-10: 1dc in each st to end

Work in foll three-rnd stripe sequence: Soft Lilac, Pale Pink, Warm Yellow, Deep Plum

- Rnds 11-46: 1dc in each st to end

Cont in Deep Plum

- Rnds 47: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 48: rev dc (see Panel) in each st to end
- Fasten off

IN STITCHES

Reverse Double Crochet (rev dc):

A reverse double crochet stitch is worked the same as a regular double crochet – except in reverse. Instead of working from right to left, you work from left to right. Insert hook, from front to back, in the next stitch to the right and pull up a loop (two loops on hook), yarn over hook, pull through both loops on hook

TOP TIP!

WHEN CHANGING TO A DIFFERENT YARN, SIMPLY PULL THE NEW COLOUR THROUGH THE LAST LOOPS OF THE PREVIOUS STITCH TO COMPLETE IT AND CONTINUE IN THE NEW COLOUR

STRAP

Using 3mm hook and Bright Cerise make 284ch

- Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each st to end, turn. 283 sts

NOTE: 1ch at beg of row does not count as a st

- Rows 2-4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end
- Sl st along each length and

row end of Strap
Fasten off

DROPLET (MAKE 8 – 4 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 3mm hook and Cobalt Blue (Light Teal) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to last two sts, (1tr, 1dtr) in next st, 2dc along post of dtr, 1dc

back onto Rnd, join with a sl st
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

TO MAKE UP

Sew one side of Strap over colour join seam of Bottle Holder, be careful not to twist Strap, attach other end on opposite side. Attach Droplets on front and back of Bottle Holder. Weave in all ends



DESIGNER IRENE STRANGE

Mister Snuffles

Use an innovative lattice technique to create this cute rainbow hedgehog

KIT LIST

★ 3.75mm hook ★ DK yarn in White, Red, Yellow, Blue, Green ★ Stuffing ★ Safety eyes ★ Scissors

Length: 22cm; height: 12cm

BASE PANEL

* Using 3.75mm hook and White make 2ch

- Row 1: 2dc in second ch from hook, turn. Two sts *
 - Row 2: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
 - Row 3: 1ch, 2dc in each st to end, turn. Four sts
 - Row 4: rep Row 2
 - Row 5: 1ch, 2dc in next st, 1dc in each st to last st, 2dc in next st, turn. Six sts
 - Rows 6-9: rep
 - Rows 4-5 twice. Ten sts
 - Row 10: rep Row 2
 - Rows 11-17: rep Row 5 seven times. 24 sts
 - Rows 18-32: rep Row 2 15 times
 - Rows 33-41: 1ch, dc2tog, 1dc in each st to last two sts, dc2tog, turn. Six sts
- Fasten off

TOP PANEL

Rep from * to * of Base Panel. Two sts

- Row 2: 1ch, 1dc, 2dc in next st, turn. Three sts
- Rows 3-17: 1ch, 1dc in each st to last st, 2dc in next st, turn. 18 sts
- Row 18: 2ch in first st (counts as 1htr), 1htr, (1ch, 1htr) to last st, 1htr, turn. 18 sts
- Rows 19-21: 2ch in first st (counts as 1htr), 1htr, (1ch, miss 1ch sp, 1htr) to last st, 1htr, turn

- Row 22: 2ch in first st (counts as 1htr), (1htr, 1ch, 1htr) in next st, (1ch, miss 1ch sp, 1htr) 14 times, 1ch, miss 1ch sp, (1htr, 1ch, 1htr) in next st, 1htr, turn. 20 sts
 - Rows 23-32: 2ch in first st (counts as 1htr), 1htr, (1ch, miss 1ch sp, 1htr) to last st, 1htr, turn
 - Row 33: 2ch in first st (counts as 1htr), htr2tog over 1ch sp, (1ch, miss 1ch sp, 1htr) 14 times, 1ch, htr2tog over 1ch sp, 1htr, turn. 18 sts
 - Row 34: 2ch in first st (counts as 1htr), htr2tog over 1ch sp, (1ch, miss 1ch sp, 1htr) 12 times, 1ch, htr2tog over 1ch sp, 1htr, turn. 16 sts
 - Row 35: 2ch in first st (counts as 1htr), htr2tog over 1ch sp, (1ch, miss 1ch sp, 1htr) ten times, 1ch, htr2tog over 1ch sp, 1htr, turn. 14 sts
 - Row 36: 2ch (counts as 1htr), (htr2tog over 1ch sp, 1ch) five times, htr2tog over 1ch sp, 1htr, turn. Eight sts
 - Row 37: 2ch (counts as 1htr), (htr2tog over 1ch sp) to last st, 1htr, turn. Five sts
 - Row 38: 1ch, dc5tog. One st
- Fasten off

SPINE COLUMNS

NOTE: Spines are worked into WS of Top Panel, working vertically along ladder of 1ch sps

Find central line by marking eighth ch sp from either left or right edge of Row 18 with spare yarn, follow ch sps up from row to row until end of 1ch sp ladder to denote central column of Spines. Work central Main Spine Column along this line as follows: Using 3.75mm hook and Red



EXPAND YOUR SKILLS

join yarn to central 1ch sp of Row 18, * 3ch, 1ps in same ch sp [see Panel], one sl st in back loop of 1ch sp in next row above, 2ch, one sl st in 1ch sp in next row above, rep from * to end of column. Ten spines made

Fasten off, use hook to gently push puffs to RS of Top Panel

NOTE: staggered effect of Spines is achieved by alternating order of ps every other column. Work first Alternate Spine Column as follows: Using 3.75mm hook and Yellow join yarn to 1ch gap of a row either side of main Spine Column, * 2ch, one sl st in 1ch sp in next row above, 3ch, 1ps in same ch sp, one sl st in back loop of 1ch sp in next row above, rep from * to end of column. Eight spines made

Fasten off, use hook to gently push puffs to RS of Top Panel

Cont working alternating rows of Main and Alternate

Spine Columns in this way to make 17 Columns in all, using photo as a colour guide

TO MAKE UP

Hold RS of Base and Top Panels tog, starting at nose and using 3.75mm hook and White sl st sides tog, leaving a gap for stuffing. Turn out and insert safety eyes. Stuff and sew up rem gap. Embroider tip of nose with Blue, building up layers to achieve raised effect

IN STITCHES

PUFF STITCH: To make a puff stitch (ps) work as follows: * yoh twice, insert hook into st, yoh, draw through two loops on hook, yoh, draw through two loops on hook, rep from * three times, yoh, draw through all loops on hook



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"To get the best finish, fill Mister Snuffles with lots of stuffing then lift up the puff stitches out of the lattice using your crochet hook"

IRENE STRANGE
DESIGNER



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TOP TIP!

THE TOP SECTION IS MADE IN TWO STAGES; FIRST CROCHET THE WHITE LATTICE BASE, THEN MAKE STRIPES OF BOBBLES ON THE WRONG SIDE OF THE WORK BEFORE PUSHING THE SPINES THROUGH TO THE RIGHT SIDE. THIS TAKES A BIT OF PATIENCE BUT GETS EASIER THE MORE ROWS YOU WORK



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DESIGNER SARAH SHRIMPTON

Crafty trims

GOOD FOR
BEGINNERS

Give your tea towels the crochet treatment
with these stylish edgings

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Azure Blue, Morning Grey, Lilac Glow, Fuchsia Rays, Pink Sunrise, Bright Yellow
- ★ 3.75mm hook
- ★ Tea towel(s)
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Scissors
- ★ Tape measure

To fit: 50cm wide tea towel

NOTE: Before you begin, make a mark every 1cm along the top and bottom edges of the tea towels by pushing a tapestry needle through the fabric, from one edge to the other, just beneath the seam

CACTUS

Using 3.75mm hook and Azure Blue sew blanket st across top and bottom edge of tea towel, using holes made earlier

□ Row 1 (RS): 1ch, 1dc between first two blanket sts, 2dc between each blanket st to end, turn

Change to Morning Grey

□ Row 2: (2ch, 1htr) in next st, 1htr in each st to end, turn

Change to Lilac Glow

□ Row 3: (1ch, 1dc) in next st, (2ch, mp [see Panel], 2ch, miss three sts, 1dc) to end

Fasten off

Rep on opposite edge of tea towel

FLORAL

Using 3.75mm hook and Fuchsia Rays sew blanket st across top and bottom edge of tea towel, using holes made earlier

□ Row 1: rep Row 1 of Cactus

Change to Bright Yellow

□ Row 2: (1ch, 1dc) in next st, (1ch, miss one st, 1dc) to end, turn

Change to Azure Blue

□ Row 3: (1ch, 1dc) in next st, (1dc in next 1ch sp, 1ch, miss one st) to last st, 1dc in last st, turn

Change to Pink Sunrise

□ Row 4: 4ch (counts as 1tr and 1ch), miss one st, (1tr in next 1ch sp, 1ch, miss one

st) to last st, 1tr in last st

Fasten off

Rep on opposite edge of tea towel

TO MAKE UP

Weave in all ends. Attach yarn scraps to corners of Floral Tea Towel

IN STITCHES

mp (make picot):
3ch, sl st into third ch from hook





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DESIGNER **SIRDAR**

Ombre shawl

Let the yarn do the colourwork in
this stylish cover-up

CHART
SEE 100DAYS
OFCRAFTS.
COM

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Sirdar Colourwheel DK, shade 200 Perfectly Pretty, 1x 150g ball ★ 4.5mm hook
★ Tapestry needle

NB: Use Hayfield Spirit DK as an alternative or search yarnsub.com

Size: 144 cm wide x 70cm deep

TENSION SQUARE

★ 7dtr and 4ch x 1 row
★ 6.5cm x 2cm
★ One repeat
★ 4.5mm hook

Using 4.5mm hook, make 6ch, sl st in first ch to join rnd

□ Row 1: 2ch (counts as 1tr), 2tr in ring, (7ch, 3tr in ring) five times, turn

□ Row 2: 1ch (does not count as a st), * 1dc, 4ch, miss one st, 1dc in 7ch sp, 4ch, miss one st, rep from * to last two sts, 1dc, 1ch, sl st in last st, turn

□ Row 3: 4ch, 1dc in 4ch sp, * 9ch, 1dc in next 4ch sp, (4ch, 1dc in next 4ch sp) three times, rep from * once more, 9ch, 1dc in last 4ch sp, 4ch, sl st in top of first st on Row 1, do not turn

□ Row 4: sl st in 4ch sp, 4ch, * (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in next 9ch sp, 4ch, miss next 4ch sp, 7dtr in next 4ch sp, 4ch, miss next 4ch sp, rep from * once more, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in last 9ch sp, 4ch, sl st in next 4ch sp, turn

□ Row 5: sl st in 4ch sp, 4ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, * (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in next 6ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 4ch sp), (1dtr, 1ch) six times, 1dtr, 4ch, miss next (4ch sp, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr), rep from * once more, (2tr, 2ch,

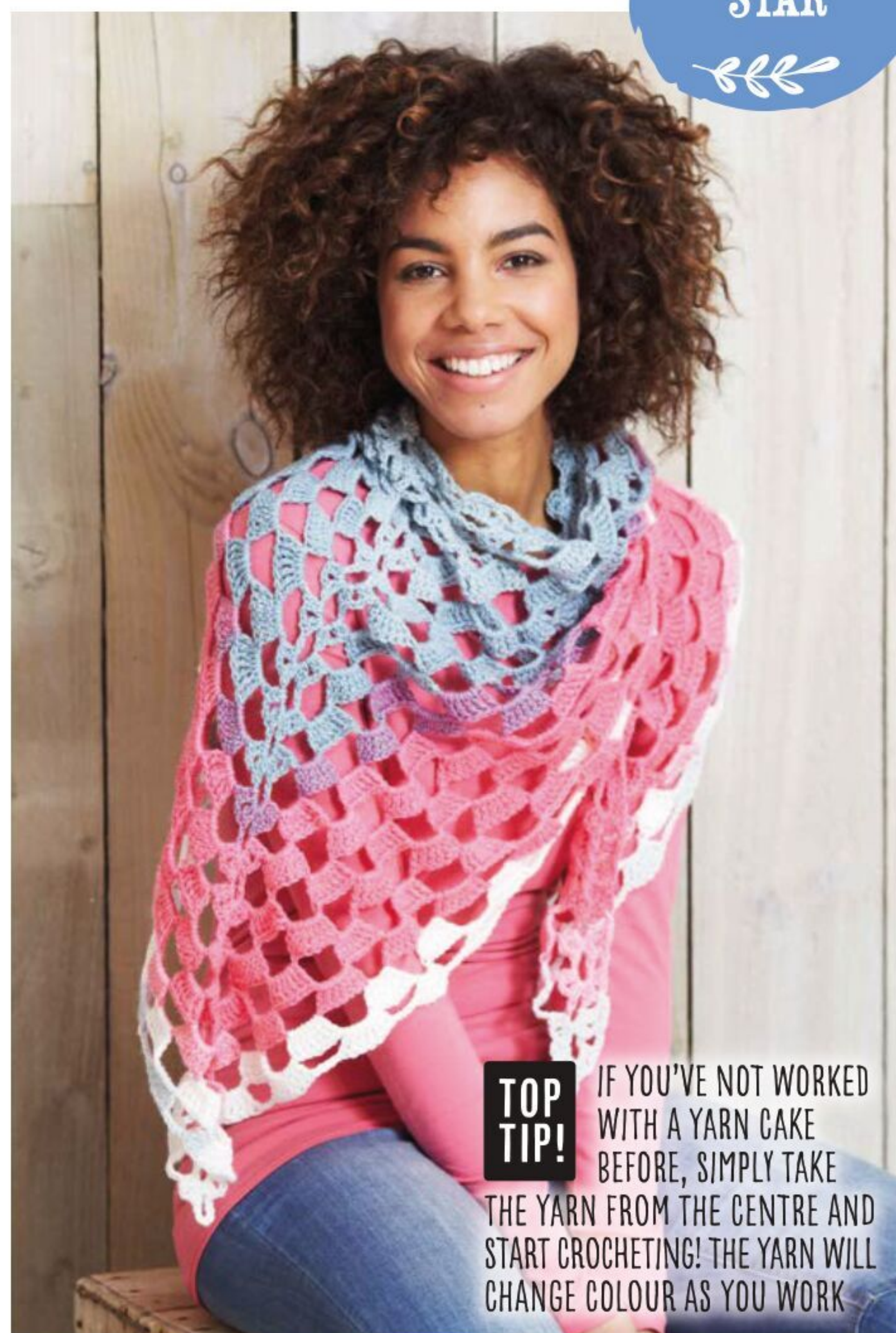
2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in last 6ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, turn

□ Row 6: 4ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, * (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in 6ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), 1dc in next 4ch sp, 4ch, miss next (1dtr, 1ch, 1dtr), 1dc in next 1ch sp, 4ch, miss next (1dtr, 1ch, 1dtr), 1dc in next 1ch sp, 4ch, miss next (1dtr, 1ch, 1dtr), 1dc in next 4ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), rep from * once more, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in last 6ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, turn

□ Row 7: 4ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, * (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in next 6ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), (7dtr in next 4ch sp, 2ch, 1dc in next 4ch sp, 2ch, miss one st) twice, 7dtr in next 4ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), rep from * once more, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in last 6ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, turn

□ Row 8: 4ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, * (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in next 6ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), 7dtr in next 4ch sp, (4ch, miss seven sts, 3dtr in next 2ch sp, 1dtr, 3dtr in next 2ch sp) twice, 4ch, miss seven sts, 7dtr in next 4ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), rep from * once more, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in last 6ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, turn

□ Row 9: 4ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, * (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in next 6ch sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), (7dtr in next 4ch sp, 4ch, miss seven sts) four times, 7dtr in next 4ch



TOP TIP!

IF YOU'VE NOT WORKED WITH A YARN CAKE BEFORE, SIMPLY TAKE THE YARN FROM THE CENTRE AND START CROCHETING! THE YARN WILL CHANGE COLOUR AS YOU WORK

WHICH STITCH

In this pattern, chain spaces are counted separately to stitches. By stitches we mean double, treble and double treble crochets, for example. When instructed to miss a number of stitches, do not include chain spaces in this, unless otherwise stated. The pattern will tell you if you need to work into a chain space. If it doesn't specify, work into the next stitch.

sp, 4ch, miss next (2tr, 2ch, 2tr), rep from * once more, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 6ch, 2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in last 6ch sp, 2ch, miss two sts, 1dc in next 2ch sp, turn

□ Cont in patt as set working corners as before and (7dtr in each 4ch sp, 4ch, miss seven sts) along sides until all yarn has been used

□ Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Pin out shawl to the meas given. Cover with damp cloths and leave to dry. See ball band for care instructions

DESIGNER HANNAH COOPER

Mini mates


 TAKE THE
NEXT STEP

These palm-sized pets can be made
with just 19g yarn each

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Cobalt Blue,
Warm Yellow, Light Teal
★ 3mm hook ★ Stuffing
★ Four 6mm safety eyes
★ Tapestry needle ★ Stitch
markers ★ Scissors

Height: 9.5cm

RHINO BODY & FIRST LEG

Using 3mm hook and Cobalt Blue make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
 - Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
 - Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
 - Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
 - Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
 - Rnd 6: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
 - Rnds 7-8: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 9: (19dc, dc2tog) to end. 40 sts
 - Rnd 10: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 11: 9dc, place st marker in next st of Rnd 10, 7ch, place st marker in fourth ch and keep in place until all legs are made, miss 30 sts, 1dc. 17 sts
 - Rnds 12-13: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 14: 10dc, dc2tog, 3dc, dc2tog. 15 sts
 - Rnd 15: working in back loops only, (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
 - Rnd 16: (dc3tog) to end. Four sts
- Fasten off

SECOND & THIRD LEGS

* Join yarn with standing dc (see Panel) to st marked on Rnd 10, 9dc, place st marker in next st of Rnd 10, 3ch, 4dc along previous leg starting in marked st from First Leg ch. 17 sts

- Rnd 1: starting in standing dc, 10dc, 3dc in ch, 4dc
 - Rnds 2-5: rep Rnds 13-16 of First Leg. Four sts
- Fasten off *
- Rep from * to * for Third Leg
- Stuff Body and Legs

FOURTH LEG

Join yarn with standing dc to st marked from Rnd 10, 9dc, 4dc in ch from First Leg (the last of which should be worked in marked st), 3dc in ch of Third Leg. 17 sts

- Rnd 1: starting in standing dc, 17dc
 - Rnds 2-5: rep Rnds 13-16 of First Leg. Four sts
- Stuff
- Fasten off

HEAD

Using 3mm hook and Cobalt Blue make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-3: rep Rnds 1-3 of Body & First Leg. 24 sts
 - Rnds 4-6: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 7: (7dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 27 sts
 - Rnd 8: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 9: (7dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
 - Rnd 10: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 11: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 21 sts
 - Rnd 12: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
 - Rnd 13: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 15 sts
- Insert safety eyes between

Rnds 9-10, approx four sts apart

Stuff firmly

- Rnd 14: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
 - Rnd 15: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Nine sts
 - Rnd 16: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Six sts
- Fasten off

HORN

Using 3mm hook and Warm Yellow make a magic ring, work 3dc into ring. Three sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. Six sts
 - Rnd 2: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 3: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Nine sts
 - Rnd 4: 1dc in each st to end
- Fasten off

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 3mm hook and Cobalt Blue make a magic ring, work 3dc into ring, turn. Three sts

- Rnd 1: 1ch, 1dc, 2dc in next st, 1dc
- Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew Ears onto Head between Rnds 4-5 (1ch from start of Rnd 1 should be tip of ear). Sew Horn onto Head between Rnds 12-14. Sew Head onto Body. For tail, use Cobalt Blue to make mini tassel and sew onto Body. Weave in all ends

HIPPO BODY & FIRST LEG

Work as for Rhino Body & First Leg using Light Teal

SECOND & THIRD LEGS

Work as for Rhino Second & Third Legs using Light Teal

FOURTH LEG

Work as for Rhino Fourth Leg using Light Teal

HEAD

Using 3mm hook and Light Teal make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
 - Rnd 2: 2dc, (2dc in next st) three times, 3dc, (2dc in next st) three times, 1dc. 18 sts
 - Rnd 3: (3dc, [2dc in next st, 1dc] three times) twice. 24 sts
 - Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
 - Rnds 5-7: 1dc in each st to end
 - Rnd 8: 4dc, (dc2tog) three times, 9dc, (dc2tog) three times, 5dc. 24 sts
 - Rnd 9: 4dc, dc3tog, 9dc, dc3tog, 5dc. 20 sts
 - Rnd 10: 3dc, dc2tog, 9dc, dc2tog, 4dc. 18 sts
 - Rnds 11-13: 1dc in each st to end
- Stuff firmly
- Insert safety eyes between Rnds 11-12, approx three sts apart
- Rnd 14: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
 - Rnd 15: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
- Fasten off

EAR (MAKE 2)

Work as for Rhino Ear using Light Teal

TO MAKE UP

Sew Ears onto Head (1ch from start of Rnd 1 should be tip of ear). Sew Head onto Body. For tail, use Light Teal to make mini tassel and sew onto Body. Weave in all ends



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IN STITCHES

STANDING DC: This is a useful stitch that replaces the need to join with a slip stitch. Starting with the slip knot on the hook, insert the hook through the indicated st and pull through a loop. Two loops on hook. Yoh and pull through both loops. This counts as your first dc



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DESIGNER LARA MESSER

Crochet frames

Create a colourful display by showing off your fave photos, cute mottos or pretty wallpapers

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Mellow Yellow, Dancer Beige, Jumper Red, Wurlitzer Jade, Dizzy Pink, Gallop Blue ★ 4mm hook
★ Tapestry needle ★ Spray starch ★ Scissors ★ Pencil
★ Cardboard ★ Compass

Yellow circle: 14cm diameter;
Blue circle: 13cm diameter;
Rectangles: 11.5cm x 12cm;
Trefoil: 12cm diameter; Oval:
14cm x 18cm

YELLOW CIRCLE

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With a compass, draw an 8cm circle onto a piece of cardboard. Draw another circle 1cm larger around first circle and cut around both outlines. Using 4mm hook and Mellow Yellow make a sl st and fasten onto cardboard frame.
□ Rnd 1: 64dc into frame working over tail, join with a sl st to first st. 64 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, 5dc, * 2ch, miss next st, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr, 2ch) in next st, miss next st **, 5dc, rep from * seven times, then from * to ** once. Fasten off, join with a sl st to first st. Eight scallops made.

HANGING LOOP

Using 4mm hook and Mellow Yellow join yarn with a sl st to centre dc of any 5dc cl, leaving a 32cm tail.
□ * Row 1: 12ch working over tail, join with a sl st to first st. Fasten off *

PINK/JADE RECTANGLE (MAKE 2)

Draw a 7.5cm x 8cm rectangle onto a piece of cardboard.



Draw another rectangle 1cm larger around first and cut around both outlines. Using 4mm hook and Pink (Jade) make a sl st and fasten onto cardboard frame.
□ Rnd 1: work 26dc along each side of frame working over tail, join with a sl st to first st. 104 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, * 1dc in each st to last st before corner, 3dc in next st, rep from * to end, join with a sl st to first st. 112 sts. Fasten off.

HANGING LOOP (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and Pink (Jade) join yarn with a sl st to centre st of any straight side. Work as for Mellow Yellow Hanging Loop from * to *

FLOWER

Using 4mm hook and Jumper Red make 5ch, join with a sl st to form a ring.
□ Rnd 1: 1ch, 12dc into ring,

join with a sl st to first dc. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: * 4ch, mb (see Panel), 4ch, one sl st in each of next two sts, rep from * to end. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Sew Flower to corner of Wurlitzer Jade frame.

BEIGE TREFOIL

With a compass draw a 6cm circle onto a piece of cardboard. Draw another circle 1cm larger around the first circle and cut around both outlines. Using 4mm hook and Dancer Beige make a sl st and fasten onto cardboard frame.
□ Rnd 1: 55dc into frame working over tail, join with a sl st to first st. 55 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, * 4dc, (1dc, 4ch, 1dc, 6ch, 1dc, 4ch, 1dc) in next st, rep from *, join with a sl st to first st. 11 trefoils made. Fasten off.

HANGING LOOP

Using 4mm hook and Dancer

Beige join yarn with a sl st to any 6ch sp. Work as for Mellow Yellow Hanging Loop from * to *

BLUE CIRCLE

With a compass draw an 8cm circle onto a piece of cardboard. Draw another circle 1cm larger around the first circle and cut around both outlines. Using 4mm hook and Gallop Blue make a sl st and fasten onto cardboard frame.
□ Rnd 1: 72dc into frame working over tail, join with a sl st to first st. 72 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1ch, 1dc, * miss one st, 5tr in next st, miss one st **, 1dc, rep from * 17 times, then from * to ** once, join with a sl st to first st. 18 shells made. Fasten off.

HANGING LOOP

Using 4mm hook and Gallop Blue join yarn with a sl st



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Beige
trefoil



Yellow
circle

between any two shells
Work as for Mellow Yellow
Hanging Loop from * to *

RED OVAL

Draw an 8.5cm x 13.5cm oval
onto a piece of cardboard.
Draw another oval 1cm larger
around the first oval and cut
around both outlines

Using 4mm hook and Jumper
Red make a sl st and fasten
onto cardboard frame

□ Rnd 1: 100dc into frame
working over tail, join with a sl
st to first st. 100 sts

□ Rnd 2: 1ch, * 4dc, (1dc,
4ch, 1dc, 6ch, 1dc, 4ch, 1dc)
in next st, rep from * to end,
join with a sl st to first st. 20
trefoils made
Fasten off

HANGING LOOP

Using 4mm hook and Jumper
Red join yarn with a sl st to
any 6ch sp

Work as for Mellow Yellow
Hanging Loop from * to *

IN STITCHES

To make a bobble (mb),
work 3dtr into next st until
only one loop of each
double treble remains
on your hook. Yarn over
hook, then pull through all
four loops on hook

Blue
circle



Jade
rectangle



DÉCOR WITH
A DIFFERENCE



Red oval

TOP
TIP!

SO THAT THEY RETAIN THEIR DAINTY SHAPE, TRY
BLOCKING THEM WITH A MIXTURE OF 50% PVA
GLUE AND 50% WATER – OR YOU CAN CHEAT
WITH A CAN OF SPRAY STARCH!

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DESIGNER **HEATHER GIBBS**

Custom keyrings

Express yourself to a loved one with these sweet little affirmation fobs

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Sweet Mocha, Lovely Lilac, Light Mint, Cool Mix ★ 3.75mm hook ★ Stitch marker ★ Tapestry needle ★ Six 6mm black safety eyes ★ Stuffing ★ Black thread ★ Three keyring fixings ★ Scissors ★ Tape measure

Star: 10cm tall; ice cream: 9.5cm tall; tea cup: 5cm tall



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TEA CUP TOP

Using 3.75mm hook and Sweet Mocha make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
Fasten off

BOTTOM

Using 3.75mm hook and Lovely Lilac make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: working in back loops only, (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 5-8: 1dc in each st to end. Insert safety eyes between Rnds 6-7, approx two sts apart
□ Rnd 9: working through both loops of Tea Cup Bottom and back loops only of Tea Cup Top, 1dc in each st to

end, stuffing as you go
□ Rnd 10: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

HANDLE

Using 3.75mm hook and Lovely Lilac make 9ch
□ Rows 1-3: (1ch, 1dc) in next st, 1dc in each st to end, turn. Eight sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Using black thread embroider mouth over Rnds 3-4 of Tea Cup Bottom. Embroider eyebrows above eyes. Fold Handle strip in half and seam lengthways. Bend Handle into a curve and attach to side of Tea Cup Bottom. Attach keyring fixing to Rnd 1 of Tea Cup Top. Weave in all ends

ICE CREAM

Using 3.75mm hook and Light Mint make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 4-7: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 8: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 9: working in front loops only, (1dc, 2htr in next st). 27 sts
Insert safety eyes between Rnds 4-5, approx two sts apart
Attach Sweet Mocha to back loops only of Rnd 8
□ Rnd 10: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 11: (7dc, dc2tog) to end. 16 sts
□ Rnd 12: rep Rnd 10
□ Rnd 13: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 14 sts
NOTE: stuff as you go
□ Rnd 14: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 15: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. Ten sts
□ Rnd 16: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. Eight sts
□ Rnd 17: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Rnd 18: (dc2tog) to end. Three sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Using black thread embroider mouth over Rnds 6-7 of Ice Cream Top. Embroider eyebrow above each eye. Using fastened-off yarn end, sew closed. Attach keyring fixing to Rnd 1. Weave in all ends

STAR (MAKE 2)

Using 3.75mm hook and Cool Mix make a magic ring, work 5dc into ring. Five sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. Ten sts

□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 15 sts
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 20 sts

NOTE: working in rows to form each point

* □ Row 1: 3dc, 2dc in next st, turn. Five sts
□ Row 2: (1ch, 1dc) in next st, 1dc in each st to end, turn
□ Rows 3-6: miss next st, 1dc in each st to end, turn. One st *

Rep from * to * four times, starting in next st from turning point in Row 1
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Insert safety eyes between Rnds 1-2, approx two sts apart directly below one point of Star. Using black thread embroider mouth over Rnds 1-2 of one Star. Embroider eyebrow above each eye. Sew Stars WS tog using whip st, stuffing as you go. Attach keyring fixing to top point of Star. Weave in all ends

★ ★ ★ SEE P94 FOR A LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS ★ ★ ★



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**TOP
TIP!**

MANY SECTIONS
ARE WORKED
WITHOUT JOINING IN
CONTINUOUS ROUNDS – PLACE
A STITCH MARKER IN THE TOP
OF THE FIRST STITCH TO MARK
THE START OF THE ROUND

DESIGNER SARAH LOUISE READ

Flora & Fleur

The cheery faces and sunny colours make these two smiling flowers perfect year-round blooms

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Classic Cream, Bold Navy, Fiery Red, Golden Yellow, Rich Turquoise, Party Pink, Zesty Lime, Bright Orange, Vivid Fuchsia ★ 3.5mm hook
★ Stitch markers
★ Tapestry needle
★ Stuffing ★ Four 10mm safety eyes ★ Small lengths of black and white DK ★ Blusher (optional)
★ Scissors

Height: 24cm

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FLORA STRIPED PETAL (MAKE 7)

Using 3.5mm hook and Fiery Red make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: 1dc in each st to end
Work in foll three-rnd stripe sequence: Bright Orange, Golden Yellow, Zesty Lime, Bold Navy, Vivid Fuchsia
□ Rnd 3: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 4: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 5-8: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 21 sts
□ Rnd 10 and every even-numbered rnd: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 11: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 13: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 15 sts
□ Rnd 15: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 17: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off



CENTRE & STALK

Using 3.5mm hook and Classic Cream make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
Change to Party Pink
□ Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnd 6: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
Insert safety eyes between Rnds 3-4, approx five sts apart
□ Rnd 7: 1dc in each st to end
NOTE: stuff as you go
□ Rnd 8: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnd 10: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 11: (3dc, dc2tog) to

end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 12: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 13: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Change to Rich Turquoise
□ Rnds 14-46: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 47: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Cut yarn leaving a long tail, thread tail onto tapestry needle and thread through rem sts, fasten off

FLEUR PLAIN PETAL (MAKE 7 - 1 EACH IN FIERY RED, BRIGHT ORANGE, GOLDEN YELLOW, ZESTY LIME, BOLD NAVY, PARTY PINK & VIVID FUCHSIA)

Using 3.5mm hook and chosen yarn make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
NOTE: change to Classic Cream after Rnd 11
□ Rnds 1-17: rep Rnds 1-17 of Flora Striped Petal, ignoring colour changes. 12 sts
Fasten off

CENTRE & STALK

Using 3.5mm hook and Party Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
NOTE: change to Rich Turquoise after Rnd 13
□ Rnds 1-47: rep Rnds 1-47 of Flora Centre & Stalk, ignoring colour changes. Six sts
Cut yarn leaving a long tail, thread tail onto tapestry needle and thread through rem sts, fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Stuff Stalk. Flatten Petals and sew to six sts of front loop only of Rnd 8 of Flower Centre. Sew adjacent Petals tog at base. Using black DK and tapestry needle, embroider smile onto each Flower Centre between Rnds 2-3. Using white DK add a long st under each safety eye. Add blusher to Flora's cheeks. Weave in all ends

TOP TIP! USE SMALL TAILS WHEN CHANGING YARN COLOURS

SMART STUFF!

The centre is a flattened ball shape with the stalk continuing on from the back, so add safety eyes and stuffing when you decrease before the stalk makes this tricky. The petals should all fit neatly on the same round with colour changes lining up around the face. If they look a bit squashed, overlap them slightly. Stitching the sides of the petals together also helps to bring them forward and frame the face



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"Adding a little blusher to
Flora's face gives her a special
glow - but she's so cute in the first
place, it's not essential"

SARAH LOUISE READ
DESIGNER



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Fleur

Flora

GOOD FOR
BEGINNERS

**TOP
TIP!**

PUT THESE IN POTS
FOR A TABLE DISPLAY
OR TIE WITH RIBBON
FOR A FAUX BOUQUET - STUFF
THE STALKS FIRMLY TO PREVENT
THE FLOWERS DROOPING

PLANT CRAFT

PLANT CRAFT

A Wilder Life



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DESIGNER **LUCINDA GANDERTON**

Nappy cover

GREAT FOR
GIFTING

This cute nappy cover for newborns can be made to coordinate with any outfit

KIT LIST

★ DK yarn: taupe, yellow, white ★ 3.5mm hook
★ Buttons, two ★ Tapestry needle ★ Scissors

Nappy cover waist: 35cm



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Using 3.5mm hook and white yarn make 18ch

□ Row 1: 1tr in fourth ch from hook, 1tr in each ch to end

□ Rows 2-10: 3ch, 1tr in second tr, 13tr, 1tr in third of first 3ch

□ Rows 11-13: 3ch, 2tr in last ch of prev row, 1tr in each st to end, 3tr in third of first 3ch
□ Rows 14-17: 3ch, 1tr in each tr to end, 1tr in third of first 3ch

Fasten off white yarn, join taupe yarn to final tr of Row 17

□ Row 18: make 12ch, fasten off, rejoin taupe yarn to third of first 3ch at start of Row 17,

make 14ch, 1tr in 4th ch from hook, 10tr, 1tr in third ch, 1tr in each of tr across row, 1tr in each of 12ch

Fasten off taupe yarn, join yellow yarn to final tr of Row 18

□ Row 19: 1tr in each st to end, 1tr in third of first 3ch
Fasten off yellow yarn, join taupe yarn to final tr of Row 19

□ Row 20: rep Row 19
Fasten off

BORDER

Join white yarn to third ch at start of Row 20

□ Row 1: using 3.5mm hook make 1ch, 1dc in each tr to

end, turn, 2dc in side of one tr, 9dc under next yellow tr (to make buttonhole), 2dc in side of one tr, 1dc in each of next three tr, 1dc in side of next four dc, 2dc in side of next seven dc, 3ch, 1tr in side of next tr, 2tr in side of next two tr, 1dc in side of last tr made, 1dc in each of next ch loops, turn, 3ch, 1tr in side of next tr, 3tr in side of next two tr, 2dc in side of next seven dc, 1dc in side of next four dc, 2dc in side of next three tr, 1dc in each of next ch loops, 2dc in side of next tr, 9dc

under next yellow tr (to make buttonhole), 2dc in side of one tr, sl st to first ch
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew buttons to centre top edges of nappy cover, adjusting positions to fit baby's waist

TOP TIP!

THIS CAN BE MADE IN ANY DK YARN IN YOUR STASH, BUT FOR BEST RESULTS CHOOSE ONE THAT IS EASY TO LAUNDRER



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DESIGNER **TINA BARRETT**

Bow headband

Baby girls will look adorable in this crocheted hairband

BABY AND
BEYOND

KIT LIST

★ DK yarn: orange, yellow
★ 3.5mm hook ★ Tapestry
needle ★ Scissors

Circumference: 44cm

BAND

NOTE: To make the headband shorter or longer, repeat Row 2 until the band fits your baby's head
Using 3.5mm hook and yellow yarn make 7ch, turn
□ Row 1: 1dc into second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to end, turn. Six sts
□ Row 2: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end, turn Rep Row 2 until band meas 44cm
Fasten off
Sew in ends. Sew short ends of band tog

BOW

Using 3.5mm hook and yellow yarn make 11ch, turn
□ Row 1: 1dc into second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to end, turn. Ten sts
□ Row 2: 1ch, miss first dc, 1dc in each dc to last two dc, dc2tog, turn. Eight sts
□ Row 3: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
□ Rows 4-7: rep Rows 2-3 twice. Four sts
□ Rows 8-11: rep Row 3 four times
□ Row 12: 1ch, 2dc into first dc, 1dc in each dc to last st, 2dc in last st, turn. Six sts
□ Row 13: rep Row 3
□ Rows 14-17: rep Rows 12-13 twice. Ten sts
Fasten off

EDGING

Using 3.5mm hook and



"This project is ideal for newbies as it only involves making chains, slip stitches and double crochet, with just a few simple increases and decreases"

CORINNE BRADD EDITOR



orange yarn join with a sl st to outer edge of bow
□ Row 1: work a row of dc evenly around all edges of bow
Fasten off

BOW CENTRE

Using 3.5mm hook and orange yarn make 10ch, turn
□ Row 1: 1dc in second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to

end, turn. Nine sts

□ Rows 2-4: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end, turn
Fasten off
Sew in ends

TO MAKE UP

Wrap Bow Centre around Bow and secure at back with a few firm sts. Sew Bow to Band, offset to one side. Sew in ends

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DESIGNER STYLECRAFT

Baby trio

STYLE FOR
ALL SEASONS

Crochet a matching outfit suitable for summer and winter babies

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Stylecraft New Cashmere Feel Wondersoft 4-ply Pink 7209:
LONG-SLEEVE CARDIGAN,
1 [1:1:1:2:2] 100g balls;
SHORT-SLEEVE CARDIGAN,
1 [1:1:1:1:2] 100g balls;
HAT, 1 [1:1:1:1:1] 100g balls
★ 2.5mm and 3mm hooks
★ 2 buttons ★ Scissors

NB: Instructions are given for 31cm. Larger sizes are given in square brackets. Where only one figure is given, this applies to all sizes. Where the figure 0 appears, no sts, rows or times are worked for this size

TENSION SQUARE

★ 26sts x 13 rows
★ 10cm x 10cm
★ Over pattern
★ 3mm hook

CARDIGAN

FLOWER (MAKE 10 [11: 12: 13: 14: 15])

Using 3mm hook make 5ch, one sl st to 1st ch to form a ring
□ Rnd 1: 3ch (3ch counts as 1tr, 1ch), (1tr, 1ch) 11 times, into ring, one sl st into 2nd of 3ch
□ Rnd 2: * (1dc, 1tr, 1dtr) all into next ch sp, (1dtr, 1tr, 1dc) into next ch sp, rep from * to end, one sl st to 1st dc. 6 Petals Fasten off

NOTE: 2 petals form top of motif, 2 form lower part and 1 forms each side. Join each side petal to form a row

MAIN PART

□ Foundation Row: Using 3mm hook make 4 [4: 5: 4: 5: 6]ch, ss between 2dtr of 1st

petal of 1st motif, 5ch, one sl st between 2dtr of next petal, *5ch, ss between 2dtr of 1st petal of next motif, 5ch, one sl st between 2dtr of next petal, rep from * to end, make 5 [5: 6: 5: 6: 7]ch, turn

For 1st size

□ Next Row: 1dc into 3rd ch from hook, 1dc into each of next 2ch, 4dc into next 5ch loop, *5dc into next 5ch loop, 4dc into next 5ch loop, rep from * to last 4ch, 1dc into each of next 4ch, turn. 93dc

For 2nd size

□ Next Row: 1dc into 3rd ch from hook, 1dc into each of next 2ch, 4dc into next 5ch loop, 5dc into next 5ch loop, 4dc into next 5ch loop, *5dc into each of next 3 - 5ch loops, 4dc into next 5ch loop, 5dc into next 5ch loop, 4dc into next 5ch loop, rep from * to last 4ch, 1dc into each of next 4ch, turn. 105dc

For 3rd size

□ Next Row: 1dc into 3rd ch from hook, 1dc into each of next 3ch, 4dc into next 5ch loop, 5dc into each of next 3 - 5ch loops, 4dc into next 5ch loop, 5dc into next 3 - 5ch loops, 4dc into next 5ch loop, 5dc into each of next 3 - 5ch loops, 4dc in next 5ch loop, 1dc into each of next 5ch, turn 121dc

For 4th, 5th and 6th sizes

□ Next Row: 1dc into 3rd ch from hook, 1dc into each of next [2: 3: 4]ch, *5dc into next 5ch loop, rep from * to last [4: 5: 6]ch, 1dc into each of next [4: 5: 6]ch, turn. [133: 145: 157]dc

For all 6 sizes

□ Row 1 (RS): 2ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr into each dc to end, turn
□ Row 2: 3ch (counts as 1tr, 1ch), miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr, *1ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next

tr, rep from * to end, turn

□ Row 3: 2ch, *1tr into ch sp, 1tr into next tr, rep from * to end, turn 2nd and 3rd rows continuity of patt as set throughout) work 4 [6: 10: 12: 16: 24] rows more

Divide for Fronts and Back

□ Next Row: 3ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr) 9 [11: 13: 14: 16: 17] times, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr, turn

Proceed as folls for Left Front:

□ Next Row: 2ch, miss 1tr, (1tr into next ch sp, 1tr into next tr) 10 [12: 14: 15: 17: 18] times, turn 21 [25: 29: 31: 35: 37]tr
Work 2 [4: 6: 6: 6: 6] rows more

Shape Neck

□ Next Row: Ss to 5th [7th: 7th: 7th: 7th] tr, 2ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr) 7 [8: 10: 11: 13: 14] times, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, (1tr into next ch sp, 1tr into next tr) 6 [7: 9: 10: 12: 13] times, miss next ch sp, 1tr into next tr, turn 2ch, miss 2tr, 1tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr) 5 [6: 8: 9: 11: 12] times, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, (1tr into next ch sp, 1tr into next tr) 4 [5: 7: 8: 9: 10: 11] times, miss next ch sp, 1tr into next tr, turn

5th and 6th sizes

□ Next Row: 2ch, miss 2tr, 1tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr) [9: 10] times, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, (1tr into next ch sp, 1tr into next tr) [8: 9] times, miss next ch sp, 1tr into next tr, turn.

For all 6 sizes

□ Next Row: 3ch, miss 2tr, 1tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1tr, 1tr into next tr) 3 [4: 6: 7: 7: 8] times, turn 4 [5: 7: 8: 8: 9]ch sps

□ Next Row: 2ch, *1tr into next ch sp, 1tr into next tr, rep





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from * to end
Fasten off

BACK

With WS facing, miss 1 tr, rejoin yarn to next tr, 2ch, miss tr, 1 tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr) 20 [22: 26: 30: 32: 36] times, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, miss 1 tr, (1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr into next tr) 20 [22: 26: 30: 32: 36] times, turn 41 [45: 53: 61: 65: 73] tr
Work 8 [10:12:12:14:14] rows more without shaping
Fasten off

RIGHT FRONT

With WS facing, miss 1 tr, rejoin yarn to next tr, 2ch, miss tr, 1 tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr) 10 [12: 14: 15: 17: 18] times, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, (1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr into next tr) 10 [12: 14: 15: 17: 18] times, turn
Work 2 [4: 6: 6: 6: 6] rows more

Shape Neck

□ Next Row: 3ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr) 6 [7: 9: 10: 12: 13] times, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, miss 1 tr and 1ch, 1 tr into next tr, (1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr into next tr) 6 [7: 9: 10: 12: 13] times, turn

□ Next Row: 3ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr) 4 [5: 7: 8: 10: 11] times, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, miss 1 tr and 1ch, 1 tr into next tr, (1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr into next tr) 4 [5: 7: 8: 10: 11] times, turn

For 5th and 6th sizes only

□ Next Row: 3ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, (1ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr) [8: 9] times, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn

□ Next Row: 2ch, miss 1 tr and 1ch, 1 tr into next tr, (1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr into next tr) [8: 9] times, turn

For all 6 sizes

□ Next Row: 3ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr

TOP
TIP!

IF GIFTING THESE MAKES,
BE SURE TO INCLUDE A
CARE LABEL

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into next tr, (1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr) 3 [4: 6: 7: 7: 8] times, turn 4 [5: 7: 8: 8: 9] ch sps

□ Next Row: 2 ch, *1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to end
Fasten off

LONG SLEEVES (BOTH ALIKE)

Using 3mm hook make 34 [36: 36: 38: 44: 44] ch

□ Foundation Row: 1 tr into 3rd ch from hook, 1 tr into each ch to end, turn. 33 [35: 35: 37: 43: 43] tr

□ Row 1: 3 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to end

□ Row 2: 2 ch, *1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr to next tr, rep from * to end, turn

1st and 2nd rows set patt. Keeping continuity of patt as set (throughout) work 4 [8: 16: 16: 16: 24] rows inc 1 st at each end of 2nd and every foll alt row 37 [43: 51: 53: 59: 67] sts

□ Work 2 [4: 0: 4: 6: 4] rows more without shaping

Shape Sleeve Top

□ Row 1: one sl st to 3rd tr, 2 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to last 4 tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn 31 [37: 45: 47: 53: 61] sts

□ Row 2: 2 ch, miss 1 tr and 1 ch, *1 tr into next 1 ch sp, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to last 3 tr, miss 1 ch sp, 1 tr into next tr, turn. 27 [33: 41: 43: 49: 57] sts

□ Row 3: 2 ch, miss 2 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to last 3 tr, miss 2 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn 23 [29: 37: 39: 45: 53] sts

□ Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 1 [1: 2: 2: 3: 3] times more. 15 [21: 21: 23: 21: 29] sts
Fasten off

SHORT SLEEVES (BOTH ALIKE)

Using 3mm hook make 36 [40: 44: 46: 54: 62] ch

□ Foundation Row: 1 tr into 3rd ch from hook, 1 tr into each ch to end, turn. 35 [39: 43: 45: 53: 61] tr

Shape Sleeve Top

□ Row 1: one sl st to 3rd tr, 2 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr,

*1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to last 4 tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn 29 [33: 37: 39: 47: 55] sts

□ Row 2: 2 ch, miss 1 tr and 1 ch, *1 tr into next 1 ch sp, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to last 3 tr, miss 1 ch sp, 1 tr into next tr, turn 25 [29: 33: 35: 43: 51] sts

□ Row 3: 2 ch, miss 2 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to last 3 tr, miss 2 tr, 1 tr into next tr, turn 21 [25: 29: 31: 39: 47] sts

□ Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 1 [1: 1: 1: 2: 2] times more. 13 [17: 21: 23: 23: 31] sts
Fasten off

SLEEVE EDGING (BOTH ALIKE)

With RS facing, using a 2.5mm hook work 35 [39: 43: 45: 53: 61] dc evenly along lower edge of Sleeve

□ Next Row: *3 ch, miss 1 dc, ss to next dc, rep from * to end
Fasten off

BORDER

Join shoulder seams. With RS facing, using a 2.5mm hook commencing at lower edge of Right Front rejoin yarn to side petal of motif, work 6 ch, work and odd number of dc evenly along front edge to neck, work 2 dc into corner, 14 [16: 16: 16: 20: 20] dc evenly along right side of neck, 21 [21: 21: 27: 31: 31] dc evenly from back of neck, 14 [16: 16: 16: 20: 20] dc evenly along left side of neck, work 2 dc into corner and work an odd number of dc evenly along front to lower edge, make 6 ch, ss to side petal of motif

□ Next Row: (3 ch, miss 1 ch, one sl st to next ch) 3 times, *3 ch, miss 1 dc, ss to next dc, rep from * to last 6 ch, (3 ch, miss 1 ch, one sl st to next ch) 3 times

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Fold Sleeves in half lengthways. Placing folds to shoulder seams sew Sleeves in position. Join side and Sleeve seams. Sew on button



HAT

Using a 3mm hook make 74 [80: 86: 92: 98: 104] ch

□ Foundation Row: 1 tr into 3rd ch from hook, 1 tr into each ch to end, turn 73 [79: 85: 91: 97: 103] tr

□ Row 1: 3 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to end

□ Row 2: 2 ch, *1 tr into next ch sp, 1 tr to next tr, rep from * to end, turn

1st and 2nd rows set patt.

Keeping continuity of patt as set cont until Hat meas 7 [8: 9: 10: 11: 12] cm, ending with 1st row of patt

Shape Crown

□ Row 1: 2 ch, *tr2tog, 1 tr into next st, rep from * to end, turn 49 [53: 57: 61: 65: 69] sts

□ Row 2: 3 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to end

□ Row 3: 2 ch, *tr2tog, rep from * to end, turn. 25 [27: 29: 31: 33: 35] sts

□ Row 4: 3 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to end

□ Row 5: 2 ch, *tr2tog, rep from * to end, turn. 13 [14: 15: 16: 17: 18] sts

□ Row 6: 3 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, rep from * to last 0 [1: 0: 1: 0: 1: 0] sts, 1 tr in 0 [1: 0: 1: 0: 1: 0] tr

□ Row 7: (tr2tog) 6 [7: 7: 8: 8: 9] times, 1 tr into 1 [0: 1: 0: 1: 0] tr 7 [7: 8: 8: 9: 9] tr

Break off yarn and gather up rem sts

EDGING

Using 2.5mm hook work 73

[79: 85: 91: 97: 103] dc evenly along lower edge

□ Next Row: *3 ch, miss 1 dc, ss to next dc, rep from * to end
Fasten off

TASSEL (WORKED IN 2 PIECES)

Using 3mm hook make 4 ch, one sl st to 1st ch to form a ring

□ 1st Round: 1 ch (1 ch counts as 1 dc), work 9 dc into ring, one sl st to 1st dc

□ 2nd Round: (work 12 ch, one sl st into next dc) 10 times, ss into first 12 ch loop

□ 3rd Round: (work 16 dc into 12 ch, loop, ss into next loop) 10 times

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Join back seam. Sew 2 pieces of Tassels together and attach Tassel to top of Hat. See ball band for pressing and care instructions

MEASUREMENTS & SIZES

CARDIGANS

To fit chest cm

31, 36, 41, 46, 51 & 56
Actual measurement cm

36, 41, 46, 51, 56 & 61

Full length (approx) cm

17, 20, 25, 26, 31 & 37

Long sleeve length

(approx) cm

8, 12, 16, 18, 19 & 24

Short sleeve length

(approx) cm

1, 1, 1, 1, 1 & 1

HAT

Width around head cm

28, 31, 33, 36, 38 & 41



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DESIGNER **CORINNE BRADD**

Stripe blanket

This simple blanket is ideal for keeping infants snug whilst out and about

COLOUR TO
SUIT YOUR
STYLE

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: cerise, pale pink, white, yellow, pale green, turquoise ★ 3.5mm hook ★ Tapestry needle

Size: approx 31 cm x 42 cm

Using 3.5mm hook and cerise yarn make a chain of 60 stitches (or any multiple of eight stitches plus four)

□ Row 1: 1ch, miss the first st and work dc into every st to end

□ Row 2: 3ch, miss a st, work 3tr, * miss a st, (2tr) in next st twice, miss a st, 4tr, rpt from * to end

□ Change to pale pink yarn and rep Rows 1 and 2

□ Change to white yarn and rep Rows 1 and 2

□ Cont working two-row stripes changing to yellow, then pale green, then turquoise These 12 rows form stripe patt

□ Rep a further four times ending with turquoise. 60 rows completed in total

NOTE: Leave enough yarn at the end of each colour change to weave into the back of the work when finished

BORDER

NOTE: Add a scalloped border to the initial chain on the blanket's bottom edge as folls:

□ With RS of blanket facing, join a colour to the first st, * dc, tr, tr, dc

□ Join second colour with sl st, rep from * to end alt colours using stripe sequence from blanket and leaving sufficient yarn at end of each scallop to sew into back of work

TO MAKE UP

Sew in all loose ends



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"This colour combination is quite girly, but you can easily swap the shades if you want to make it for a little boy"

CORINNE BRADD
DESIGNER



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DESIGNER **IRENE STRANGE**

Flower ring

Soothe baby with this plaything they can squeeze and play with to improve grip and coordination

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: green
★ 3.5mm hook ★ Tapestry
needle ★ Scissors

Diameter: approx. 12.5cm

RING

Using 3.5mm hook and green yarn make 12ch, sl st into first st to make a ring

□ Rnds 1-55: 1dc in each ch to end. 12 sts

Fasten off

Stuff

Sew edges tog

PETALS & STRAP

Using 3.5mm hook and pink yarn join yarn to outer edge of ring

□ Rnd 1: 1ch, (1htr in first st, 2tr in next st, 2tr in next st, 1htr in next st, one sl st in same st) 13 times

Do not fasten off but make 30ch, sl st into same point as last sl st

Work 1dc into each ch to end
Sew in ends



WHY NOT TRY...

Try working rings up in different colour combinations and sizes by changing the number of rows to produce a fun stackable toy

GREAT FOR
GIFTING

TOP TIP!

THIS RING IS WORKED IN A SPIRAL. USING STITCH MARKERS TO DENOTE THE BEGINNING OF EACH ROUND IS A GREAT WAY TO STOP YOURSELF GETTING MUDDLED

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DESIGNER SARAH HAZELL

Button booties

These adorable Mary-Jane style shoes will ensure baby's feet keep cosy while looking sweet and stylish

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: taupe, green
★ 3.5mm hook ★ Tapestry
needle ★ Scissors

Fits: (age): 3-6 months

RIGHT BOOTIE - SOLE

Using 3.5mm hook and taupe yarn make 8ch

- Row 1: 1dc in second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to end, turn. Seven sts
- Row 2: 1ch, 2dc in next st, 1dc in each st to last st, 2dc in next st, turn. Nine sts
- Row 3: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
- Row 4: rep Row 2. 11 sts
- Rows 5-19: rep Row 3
- Row 20: rep Row 3, changing to green yarn on last yrh of final dc

UPPER SECTION

- Rnd 1 (RS): 1ch, 7dc, 19dc down side of sole, 7dc across toe, 19dc up other side of sole, join with a sl st to first dc. 52 sts
- Rnds 2-4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to first dc
- Rnd 5: 3ch (counts as first part of pineapple cluster), (yrh, insert hook into first dc, yrh, pull loop through) three times in same st, yrh, pull through first six loops on hook, yrh, pull through rem two loops, 1ch, * miss next st, (yrh, insert hook into first dc, yrh, pull loop through) four times in same st, yrh, pull through first eight loops on hook, yrh, pull through rem two loops, 1ch, rep from * to end of rnd, join with a sl st to top of first pineapple cluster
- Rnd 6: 1ch, 1dc in top of every cluster to end of rnd, join



TOP TIP! THE 'PINEAPPLE CLUSTER' STITCH PRODUCES A LOVELY NEAT LOOK THAT IS LESS 'PUFFY' THAN POPCORN OR BOBBLE STITCHES

with a sl st to first dc. 27 sts
Fasten off

STRAP

Find and mark centre toe st with a st marker. Using 3.5mm hook and green yarn attach yarn to 7th st from marker on LH side of bootie

- Row 1 (RS): 1ch, 1dc in same place, 1dc in next st, turn

- Rows 2-12: 1ch, 2dc, turn
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew in ends. Sew button to Strap, working through Strap and upper edge of Bootie

LEFT BOOTIE

Work as for Right Bootie, reversing shapings on Strap



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DESIGNER **RUTH MADDOCK**

Baby dress

This frock features gorgeous lace detailing on the yoke and hem, and an eyelet treble pattern for the body

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn: Debbie Bliss Rialto 4-ply merino, shade 22 Fuchsia, three 50g balls
- ★ 3mm, 3.5mm hooks
- ★ Stitch markers
- ★ Buttons, 3, small
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Scissors
- ★ Tape measure

Size: to fit age (approx): 6-12 months; to fit chest: 50cm; actual chest: 55cm; length: 44cm

TENSION SQUARE

- ★ 22sts x 12 rows
- ★ 10cm x 10cm
- ★ Treble crochet
- ★ 3mm hook

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YOKE

Using 3mm hook make 64ch
 □ Foundation row: 1 tr in fifth ch from hook, * (2tr in next ch, 1tr in next ch) twice, 1 tr in each of next two ch, rep from * to end omitting final tr at end of row. 81 tr

□ Row 1: 3ch (counts as 1tr),
2tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss two
tr, 1tr in next tr, 2ch, miss two
tr, 2tr in next tr, 1tr in next tr,
** 2tr in next tr, rep from *
to end ending last rep at **

□ Row 2: 3ch, (counts as 1tr)
* 2tr in each of next two tr,
2ch, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr) in next tr,
2ch, 2tr in each of next two tr,
1tr in next tr, rep from * to end

□ Row 3: 1ch (counts as 1dc),
* (3ch, miss one tr, 1dc in next
tr) twice, 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in
next 1-ch sp, 3ch, 1dc in next
tr, (3ch, miss one tr, 1dc in next
tr) twice, rep from * to end

□ Row 4: 1ch, * (3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp) twice, 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr, 1ch, 2tr) all in next 1-ch sp, miss next 3-ch sp, (3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp)

twice, rep from * to end
working last dc in last ch

□ Row 5: 1ch, * 3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, 3ch, ((2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp) twice, miss next 3-ch sp, (3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp) twice, rep from * to end working last dc in last ch
 □ Row 6: 1ch, * 3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, 3ch, ((2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 1ch) twice, 2ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, rep from * to end, 1ch, 1tr in last ch

□ Row 7: 1ch, * 4ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 2ch, miss 1-ch sp, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 4ch, miss next 3-ch sp, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, rep from * to end working last dc in last ch

□ Row 8: 5ch (counts as 1dtr, 1ch), 1dtr in first dc, * 5ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr) in next 2-ch sp, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 5ch, (1dtr, 1ch, 1dtr) in next dc, rep from * to end

□ Row 9: 1ch (counts as 1dc),
 ** 6ch, 1dc in next 1-ch sp,
 5ch, miss 1-ch sp, 1dc in next
 1-ch sp, 6ch, 1dc in next 1-ch
 sp **, 6ch, 1dc in next 1-ch
 sp, 5ch, pm in third of 5ch,
 miss 1-ch sp, 1dc in next 1-ch
 sp, 6ch, 1dc in next 1-ch sp,
 *** 6ch, 1dc in next 1-ch sp,
 (2tr, 1dtr, 2tr) all in next 1-ch
 sp, 1dc in next 1-ch sp, 6ch,
 1dc in next 1-ch sp *** , 6ch,
 1dc in next 1-ch sp, 5ch, pm
 in third of 5ch, miss 1-ch sp,
 1dc in next 1-ch sp, 6ch, 1dc
 in next 1-ch sp, rep from **
 to ** twice, 6ch, 1dc in next
 1-ch sp, 5ch, pm in third of
 5ch, miss 1-ch sp, 1dc in next
 1-ch sp, 6ch, 1dc in next 1-ch
 sp, rep from *** to *** once,
 6ch, 1dc in next 1-ch sp, 5ch,
 pm in third of 5ch, miss 1-ch
 sp, 1dc in next 1-ch sp, 6ch,
 1dc in next 1-ch sp, rep from
 ** to ** once working last dc

into last dtr. 201 sts

NOTE: markers should be placed in st numbers 31, 71, 131 and 171 indicating patt rep multiple of 20 sts + 1 at end

SKIRT

□ Next row: 3ch (counts as 1tr), * 4tr in next 6-ch sp, 1tr in next 1dc, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr) in centre ch of next 5-ch sp, 1tr in next dc, 4tr in next 6-ch sp, 1tr in next dc, * 4tr in next 6-ch sp, 1tr in next dc, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr) in first marked st, 11ch, miss all sts to next marked st, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr) in second marked st, 1tr in next dc, 4tr in next 6-ch sp, 1tr in next dc, rep from * to * twice, 4tr in next 6-ch sp, 1tr in next dc, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr) in third marked st, 11ch, miss all sts to next marked st, (1tr, 1ch, 1tr) in fourth marked st, 1tr in next dc, 4tr in next 6-ch sp, 1tr in next dc, rep from * to * once. 113 sts

□ Next row: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in each of next five tr, * (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 1tr in each of next 11 tr *, ** (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 1tr in each of next 11 ch **, rep from * to * three times, then rep from ** to ** once, then rep from * to * once, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 1tr in each of last six tr. 129 sts

□ Next row: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in each of next five tr, * (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, miss next two tr, 1tr in each of next 11 tr, rep from * six times, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, miss next two tr, 1tr in each of last six tr

□ Next row: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in each of next five tr, *1ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 1ch, miss next two tr, 1tr in each of next 11 tr, rep from * six times, 1ch, (2tr, 1ch,

2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 1ch, miss
next two tr, 1tr in each of last
six tr. 145 sts

Pm at each end of the last row, last row forms patt

☐ Cont in patt for eight more rows

Change to 3.5mm hook

☐ Cont in patt for 18 more rows

HEM

□ Row 1: 5ch, miss 2 tr, 3tr in next tr, * 3ch, miss next 1-ch sp, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, miss next ch, miss next three tr, 3tr in next tr, ** 5ch, miss next three tr, 3tr in next tr, rep from * to end, ending last rep at ** then working 2ch, miss next tr, 1tr in last tr. Eight patt reps

□ Row 2: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr into 1-ch sp, * 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, ** 9tr in next 5-ch sp, rep from * to end, ending last rep at ** then working 4tr in last 2-ch sp, 1tr in last tr

□ Row 3: 4ch (counts as 1dc, 3ch), miss two tr, 1dc in next tr, 3ch, miss next tr, 1dc in next tr, * 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, ** (1dc in next tr, miss 1tr, 3ch) four times, 1dc in next tr, rep from * to end, ending last rep at ** then working (1dc in next tr, 3ch, miss 1ch) twice, 1dc in last tr of row

□ Row 4: 4ch (counts as 1tr, 2ch), 1dc in next 3-ch sp, 3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, * 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, ** (1dc in next 3-ch sp, 3ch) three times, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, rep from * to end, ending last rep at **

then working 1dc in next 3-ch
sp, 3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp,
2ch, 1tr in last dc

□ Row 5: 4ch (counts as 1dc,



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3ch), miss 3-ch sp, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, * 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 1ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, ** (1dc in next 3-ch sp, 3ch) twice, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, rep from * to end, ending last rep at ** then working 1dc in next 3-ch sp, 3ch, 1dc in last tr of row
□ Row 6: 4ch (counts as 1tr, 2ch), 1dc in next 3-ch sp, * 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 2tr in next 1-ch sp, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, ** 3ch, 1dc in next 3-ch sp, rep from * to end, ending last rep at ** then working 2ch, 1tr in last dc
□ Row 7: 1ch (counts as 1dc), * 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, miss two tr, 1dc between next 2 tr, 3ch, (2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, ** 1dc in next 3-ch sp, rep from * to end, ending last rep at ** then working 1dc in last tr
□ Row 8: 1ch (counts as 1dc), * 3ch, 1dc in next 1-ch sp, 2ch, (2tr, 1dtr, 2tr) in next dc, 2ch, 1dc in next 1-ch sp, 3ch, 1dc in next dc, rep from * to end working last dc in last dc Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Press according to ball band and sew in all ends. From WS, oversew centre back seam to markers so work lays flat when opened out. Press seam. Sew three buttons to yoke and attach chain loops to other side to correspond with these buttons.

TURNING CHAINS

Unless you're working in a spiral, your pattern is likely to use turning chains. These are extra chains at the start of a row or round that build the work up to the correct height to enable you to work the stitch pattern. Depending on the pattern, this turning chain will represent a stitch in the row and should be included in your final count. In this dress, turning chains count as a stitch, so your following instruction should be worked in next stitch, unless the pattern says otherwise

TOP TIP!

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DESIGNER SARAH SHRIMPTON

Baby rattles

Treat a tot to a handmade toy in their favourite animal design

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Party Pink, Maraca Blue, Jubilee Yellow, Chilli Orange, Salsa White, Parade Pink
- ★ 4.5mm hook
- ★ Scissors ★ Stuffing
- ★ Black embroidery thread and needle ★ Rattle inserts

Rattles: 14cm

PIG RATTLE HEAD & BODY

Using 4.5mm hook and Party Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-2: 2dc in each st to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 3: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnds 5-11: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 12: (dc2tog) to end. 15 sts

Insert safety eyes (if using) between Rnds 9-10, add rattle and stuff Head

- Rnd 13: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Ten sts

Work in foll stripe sequence: three rnds Maraca Blue, three rnds Jubilee Yellow, three rnds Chilli Orange, three rnds Salsa White, four rnds Parade Pink

- Rnd 14: working in back loops only work 1dc in each st to end
- Rnds 15-28: 1dc in each st to end

Stuff

- Rnd 29: (dc2tog) to end. Five sts

Fasten off

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 4.5mm hook and Parade Pink make a magic ring, work 4dc into ring. Four sts



GRIPPING STUFF

To adjust the length of the rattle handles, increase or decrease the number of rounds between Rnds 13-29 of the basic Head and Body pattern

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. Eight sts
- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 3: 1dc in each st to end Fasten off

SNOUT

Using 4.5mm hook and Parade Pink make a magic ring, work 5dc into ring. Five sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. Ten sts
- Rnd 2: working in back loops only work 1dc in each st to end Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Flatten Ears, curl into shape and sew to Head. Using black thread embroider nostrils onto Snout, stuff lightly and sew to Head in between eyes

MONKEY RATTLE HEAD & BODY

Using 4.5mm hook and Chilli Orange work as for Pig Rattle Head and Body, working in foll stripe sequence after Rnd 13: three rnds Salsa White, three

rnds Parade Pink, three rnds Maraca Blue, three rnds Jubilee Yellow, four rnds Party Pink

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 4.5mm hook and Party Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnds 1-2: 2dc in each st to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 3: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnd 4: (dc2tog) to end. 15 sts
- Rnd 5: (dc2tog) to last st, 1dc. Eight sts Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew Ears closed and attach to sides of Head. Using black thread embroider eyes, nose and mouth on face in between Ears

BUNNY RATTLE HEAD & BODY

Using 4.5mm hook and Salsa White work as for Pig Rattle Head & Body, working in foll stripe sequence after Rnd 13: three rnds Jubilee Yellow, three rnds Chilli Orange, three rnds

Parade Pink, three rnds Party Pink, four rnds Maraca Blue

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 4.5mm hook and Maraca Blue make a magic ring, work 5dc into ring. Five sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. Ten sts
- Rnds 2-7: 1dc in each st to end Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Flatten Ears and sew to Head. Using black thread embroider sleepy eyes and criss-cross nose

DUCK RATTLE HEAD & BODY

Using 4.5mm hook and Jubilee Yellow work as for Pig Rattle Head & Body, working in foll stripe sequence after Rnd 13: three rnds Parade Pink, three rnds Maraca Blue, three rnds Salsa White, three rnds Party Pink, four rnds Chilli Orange

BILL

Using 4.5mm hook and Chilli Orange make 3ch

- Rnd 1: working in back loops only work 1ch, 2dc, 3dc in next st, turn, work along opposite side of ch as folls: 1dc, 2dc in next st. Eight sts
- Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Flatten Bill. Sew in between eyes



WHY NOT TRY...

If you're feeling creative, you could even play designer and experiment with the ears and facial expressions to create the animal of your choice



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*"To mix it up, make the handles
in just one colour, or change
it every round for a super
stripy toy"*

SARAH SHRIMPTON
DESIGNER



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DESIGNER **TINA BARRETT**

Hooded blanket

Wrap your precious bundle in this adorable hooded baby blanket in a textured silt stitch

BABY AND
BEYOND

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Stylecraft Pure Luxury Merino DK, (A) shade 3639 Oyster, ten 50g balls; (B) shade 3633 Truffle, one 50g ball
★ Tapestry needle
★ 4mm hook
★ Felt: white
★ Sewing needle and thread

Size: 75cm x 75cm

TENSION SQUARE

★ 20sts x 10 rows
★ 10cm x 10cm
★ Silt stitch
★ 4mm hook

SILT ST PATTERN

- Row 1 (RS): miss 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in next and each ch to end, turn
- Row 2: 1ch (counts as 1dc), 2tr into first st, [miss two sts, (1dc, 2tr) in next st] to last three sts, miss two sts, 1dc in top of tch, turn
- Row 3: 3ch (counts as 1tr), miss one st, 1tr in next and each st to end working last st into top of tch, turn
- Rep Rows 2 and 3

BLANKET SQUARE

Using a 4mm hook and yarn A, make 153ch
Work in Silt st until square meas 75cm
Fasten off

HOOD

Using 4mm hook and yarn A, make 72ch
Work Rows 1 and 2 of Silt st patt. 70 sts
□ Next row: sl st across first three sts, 3ch, 1tr in each st to

last three sts, turn. 64 sts

- Next row: 1ch (counts as 1dc), 2tr in first st, [miss two sts, (1dc, 2tr) in next st] to last three sts, miss two sts, 1dc in top of tch, turn
- Rep last two rows until four sts rem
- Next row: tr2tog twice. Two sts
- Next row: dc2tog
- Fasten off

MUZZLE

Using yarn B, make a magic ring, 5dc into centre of loop and pull centre tight
Work in rnds as folls:

- Rnd 1: 1ch, (2dc in next and every dc) five times, join rnd with sl st in top of 1ch. 10dc
- Rnd 2: 1ch, (1dc in next dc, 2dc in next dc) five times, join rnd with sl st in top of 1ch. 15 sts
- Rnd 3: 1ch, (1dc in next two dc, 2dc in next dc) five times, join rnd with sl st in top of 1ch. 20 sts
- Rnd 4: 1ch, (1dc in next three dc, 2dc in next dc) five times, join rnd with sl st in top of 1ch. 25 sts
- Rnd 5: 1ch, (1dc in next four dc, 2dc in next dc) five times, join rnd with sl st in top of 1ch. 30 sts
- Rnd 6: 1ch, (1dc in next five dc, 2dc in next dc) five times, join rnd with sl st in top of 1ch. 35 sts
- Fasten off

EARS (MAKE 2)

Using yarn B, work as Muzzle to end of Rnd 5
Cut yarn B and join yarn A
Work one rnd of dc
Fasten off

EYE CENTRES (MAKE 2)

Using yarn B, work as for Muzzle to end of Rnd 1
Fasten off



TO MAKE UP

Darn in loose yarn ends.
Position Hood along one corner of Blanket square.
Position an Ear inside each side of hood. Stitch all layers together. Position Muzzle onto hood and stitch in place using photo as a guide. Cut two teardrop shapes of white felt for eyes. Pin and stitch in place. Place an eye centre on top of each and sew in place

EDGING

Using a 4mm hook, rejoin yarn B to any edge of Blanket
Work one rnd of dc around all edges of Blanket

NOTE: you will need to fasten off and rejoin yarn below and above each ear



KEEPING COUNT

The main body of our blanket requires you to make 153ch. Try positioning stitch markers every 25ch to help you keep count when making your foundation chain. It's also important to ensure your chain isn't twisted when you work the first row so check this carefully



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DESIGNER LIZ WARD

Play ball

Granny pentagons and hexagons are joined to form a sphere that's perfect for playtime!

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KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK, four colours
★ 4mm hook ★ Stuffing
★ Tapestry needle ★ Pins
(optional) ★ Needle and
thread ★ Scissors

Diameter: 15cm

TOP
TIP!

CHOOSE FOUR COLOURS
AND ALTERNATE EVENLY
BETWEEN THEM, USING
TWO COLOURS FOR EACH MOTIF

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PENTAGON (MAKE 12)

Using 4mm hook and first colour make 5ch, join with a sl st to form a ring

□ Rnd 1: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr into ring, (2ch, 2tr into ring) four times, 2ch, join with a sl st to first st. Ten sts

Fasten off first colour, join second colour to any 2ch sp

□ Rnd 2: (3ch [counts as 1tr], 1tr, 2ch, 2tr) in same sp, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in each 2ch sp to end, 2ch, join with a sl st to first st. 20 sts

Fasten off

HEXAGON (MAKE 20)

Using 4mm hook and first colour make 5ch, join with a sl st to form a ring

□ Rnd 1: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr into ring, (2ch, 2tr into ring) five times, 2ch, join with a sl st to first st. 12 sts

Fasten off first colour, join second colour to any 2ch sp

□ Rnd 2: (3ch [counts as 1tr], 1tr, 2ch, 2tr) in same sp, (2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in each 2ch sp to end, 2ch, join with a sl st to first st. 24 sts

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew in ends. Block shapes if desired. Sew five Hexagons around one Pentagon and cont in this way to form sphere, stuffing firmly as you work



ON THE BLOCK

To block the shapes, lay each motif out on a blocking board or a towel resting on a flat surface. Spritz with warm water, pin the sides out into the desired shape and leave to dry

DESIGNER HANNAH COOPER

Jar cosies

These covers make jars so versatile – use them for LED tealights or to store pens, craft supplies and more

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Light Mocha, Pretty Violet, Fresh Mint, Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Blue Twist ★ 3mm hook
★ Scissors ★ Battery-powered LED tealights
★ Three jars (diameters of 7.5cm, 6.5cm and 6.5cm)
★ Tapestry needle

Large cosy: 12.5cm tall;
medium cosy: 10cm; small
cosy: 7cm

LARGE COSY

Using 3mm hook and Light Mocha make 46ch, join with a sl st to make a ring

NOTE: st count at end of each row does not include counting chs unless otherwise stated

- Rnd 1: 2ch, 1htr in each ch to end, join with a sl st to second of first ch. 45 sts
- Work in one-rnd stripe sequence: Pretty Violet, Fresh Mint, Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Sweet Coral, Fresh Mint, Light Mocha, Pretty Violet, Light Mocha, Fresh Mint, Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Light Mocha, Pretty Violet, Fresh Mint, Sweet Coral, Blue Twist, Lemon Yellow, Sweet Coral, Pretty Violet
- Rnd 2: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to first ch
- Rnd 3: 2ch, 1htr in each st to end, join with a sl st to second of first ch
- Rnd 4: 2ch, 1dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to second of first ch
- Rnd 5: 4ch, miss one st, (1tr, 1ch, miss one st) to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch. 22 sts
- Rnd 6: 2ch, 1htr in each tr and 1ch sp to end, join with a

- sl st to second of first ch. 45 sts
- Rnd 7: rep Rnd 4
- Rnd 8: rep Rnd 2
- Rnd 9: 1ch, miss two sts, ([1htr, 3tr, 1htr] in next st, miss two sts, 1dc, miss two sts) to last st, (1htr, 3tr, 1htr) in last st, join with a sl st to first ch. 47 sts
- Rnd 10: 4ch, 1dc in centre of next 3tr cl, (5ch, 1dc in centre of next 3tr cl) to end, 3ch, join with a sl st to third of first ch. Eight sts
- Rnd 11: 2ch, 1htr in fourth ch from beg 4ch of Rnd 10, 1htr in next dc, (5htr in next 5ch sp, 1htr in next dc) to last dc, 1htr in last 3ch from Rnd 10, join with a sl st to second of first ch. 45 sts
- Rnd 12: rep Rnd 4
- Rnd 13: 4ch, miss one st, (3tr in next st, 1ch, miss two sts) 14 times, miss one st, join with a sl st to third of first ch. 45 sts
- Rnd 14: 1ch, miss one ch, (3dc, miss one ch) to end, join with a sl st to first ch
- Rnds 15-16: rep Rnd 3 twice
- Rnd 17: rep Rnd 2
- Rnd 18: 4ch, miss one st, (2tr, 1ch, miss one st) to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch. 30 sts
- Rnd 19: 1ch, 1dc in each st and 1ch sp to end, join with a sl st to first ch. 45 sts
- Rnd 20: 3ch, 1tr in each st to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch, turn
- Rnd 21: 1ch, working in back loops only, (1dc, [1htr, 1tr] in next st, 2dtr in next st, [1tr, 1htr] in next st, 1dc) to end, join with a sl st to first ch
- Fasten off

MEDIUM COSY

Using 3mm hook and Lemon Yellow make 39ch, join with a sl st to make a ring

- Rnd 1: rep Rnd 1 of Large

Cosy. 38 sts

- Work in foll one-row stripe sequence: Light Mocha, Sweet Coral, Fresh Mint, Pretty Violet, Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Blue Twist, Light Mocha, Fresh Mint, Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Blue Twist, Pretty Violet, Fresh Mint, Lemon Yellow, Light Mocha
- Rnd 2: 3ch, 1htr in each st to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch
- Rnd 3: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to first ch
- Rnd 4: 3ch, 1tr in each st to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch
- Rnd 5: 3ch, (1fp, miss one st, 1ch) to end, join with a sl st to second of first ch. 19 sts
- Rnd 6: rep Rnd 6 of Large Cosy. 38 sts
- Rnds 7-9: rep Rnd 3 three times
- Rnd 10: 4ch, miss one st, 1tr, miss one st, (1ch, 1tr, miss one st) to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch. 19 sts
- Rnd 11: rep Rnd 6 of Large Cosy. 38 sts
- Rnds 12-13: rep Rnds 3-4
- Rnds 14-15: 3ch, 1bp, in each st to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch
- Rnd 16: 3ch, 1tr in each st to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch, turn
- Rnd 17: 1ch, ([one sl st, 1htr] in next st, [1htr, one sl st] in next st) to end, join with a sl st to first ch
- Fasten off

SMALL COSY

Using 3mm hook and Fresh Mint make 37ch, join with a sl st to make a ring

- Rnd 1: 1ch, 1dc in each ch to end, join with a sl st to first ch. 36 sts

Work in foll one-row stripe sequence: Pretty Violet, Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Blue Twist, Light Mocha, Fresh Mint, Blue Twist, Lemon Yellow, Sweet Coral, Pretty Violet, Blue Twist

- Rnd 2: 2ch, 1htr in each st to end, join with a sl st to second of first ch
- Rnd 3: rep Rnd 20 of Large Cosy
- Rnd 4: rep Rnd 2 of Large Cosy
- Rnd 5: 4ch, miss one st, (1tr, 1ch, miss one st) to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch. 18 sts
- Rnd 6: 3ch, 2tr in space before first tr, 2tr in each 1ch sp to end, join with a sl st to third of first ch. 36 sts
- Rnds 7-8: rep Rnd 2 of Large Cosy twice
- Rnd 9: rep Rnd 2
- Rnds 10-11: rep Rnd 20 of Large Cosy twice, turn
- Rnd 12: working in back loops only, 1ch, ([1dc, 1htr] in next st, 2tr in next st, [1htr, 1dc] in next st) to end, join with a sl st to first ch. 72 sts
- Fasten off

DRAWSTRING (MAKE 3)

Using 3mm hook and Sweet Coral (Lemon Yellow, Pretty Violet) make 80ch (70ch, 70ch)

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Weave Drawstring through penultimate row of each Cosy. Weave in all ends





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TRY A TREBLE

This pattern uses the abbreviations fptr and bptr – these clarify whether you're working a treble into the front post or back post only of a stitch. Learn how to do a treble and find all abbreviations on page 94

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For safety use
LED tealights
not candles

DESIGNER SARAH-JANE HICKS

Betty bunny



Crochet and floral fabric combine to create a pretty toy that will be treasured forever

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Pale Taupe, Periwinkle Blue, Soft Yellow, Mighty Mint, Dreamy Lilac, Light Pink, Pretty Pink, Vivid Orange ★ 3.5mm, 3mm hook ★ Two black 8mm safety eyes ★ Stuffing ★ 10cm x 40cm floral fabric ★ Sewing needle and thread ★ Scissors ★ Tapestry needle

Height: 22cm

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HEAD

Using 3.5mm hook and Pale Taupe make 4ch

□ Rnd 1: starting in second ch from hook, 2dc in next st, 1dc, 3dc in next st, turn and work underside of ch as folls: 1dc, 1dc in same st as first st. Eight sts

□ Rnd 2: (2dc in next st) twice, 1dc, (2dc in next st) three times, 1dc, 2dc in next st. 14 sts

□ Rnd 3: (1dc, 2dc in next st) twice, 1dc, (1dc, 2dc in next st) three times, 2dc, 2dc in next st. 20 sts

□ Rnd 4: (2dc, 2dc in next st) twice, 1dc, (2dc, 2dc in next st) three times, 3dc, 2dc in next st. 26 sts

□ Rnd 5: (3dc, 2dc in next st) twice, 1dc, (3dc, 2dc in next st) three times, 4dc, 2dc in next st. 32 sts

□ Rnds 6-13: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 14: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 28 sts

□ Rnd 15: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

Insert safety eyes between Rnds 9-10, approx seven sts apart

□ Rnd 16: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 17: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

LEG (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Periwinkle Blue make 2ch

□ Rnd 1: 8dc in second ch from hook. Eight sts

□ Rnd 2: 2dc in each st to end. 16 sts

□ Rnds 3-4: 1dc in each st to end

NOTE: colour in brackets foll instruction indicates which yarn to use, do not cut yarn not in use

□ Rnds 5-6: 5dc (Periwinkle Blue), 6dc (Soft Yellow), 5dc (Periwinkle Blue)

Cont in Periwinkle Blue

□ Rnd 7: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

Change to Soft Yellow

□ Rnds 8-11: 1dc in each st to end

Stuff

Fasten off

BODY

Using 3.5mm hook and Soft Yellow with Legs facing forward, join tog with a sl st in centre

□ Rnd 1: 1dc in each st around first Leg, 1dc in each st around second Leg. 24 sts

□ Rnd 2: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts

NOTE: change to Periwinkle Blue after Rnd 6

□ Rnds 3-12: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 13: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 14: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 15: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 16: 1dc in each st

to end

□ Rnd 17: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

Stuff

Fasten off

ARM (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Pale Taupe make 2ch

□ Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook. Six sts

□ Rnd 2: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnds 3-5: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 6: (4dc, dc2tog) twice. Ten sts

Change to Periwinkle Blue

□ Rnds 7-13: 1dc in each st to end

Stuff hands

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 3mm hook and Pale Taupe make 2ch

□ Rnd 1: 5dc in second ch from hook. Five sts

□ Rnd 2: 2dc in each st to end. Ten sts

□ Rnds 3-8: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 9: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. Eight sts

□ Rnd 10: 1dc in each st to end

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

HEADBAND

Using 3.5mm hook and Mighty Mint make 30ch

Join with a sl st to first st

Fasten off

FLOWER (MAKE 6 - 2 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 3.5mm hook and Dreamy Lilac (Light Pink, Pretty Pink) make 5ch

□ Row 1: sl st in fifth ch from hook, (4ch, sl st in same ch) four times. Five petals made

Fasten off

DRESS BAND

Using 3.5mm hook and Mighty Mint make 25ch

□ Row 1: 1hr in third ch from hook (2ch counts as first st), 1hr in each st to end. 24 sts

Fasten off

TAIL

Using Pale Taupe, make small pom-pom, either using a fork or your first two fingers. Wrap yarn around ten times, tie length of yarn around centre, cut through loops at both ends, trim to size

TO MAKE UP

Embroider nose with Pretty Pink and cheeks with Light Pink. Sew Head to Body. Flatten tops of Arms and sew in place, one row down from top of Body. Flatten Ears and sew to top of Head. Sew on Headband with a few small sts. Sew Flowers around front of Headband. Using Vivid Orange embroider French knots for flower centres. With flower fabric WS tog, sew 1cm seam along short edges. Sew 1cm hem around bottom. Turn to RS and gather top of dress with row of running sts 1cm from top, place around bunny just under arms. Sew Dress Band in place, covering top of gathered edge of dress and joining it at back. To make straps, join Mighty Mint with a sl st at front, make 8ch and join with a sl st at back. Rep for second strap, fasten off. Weave in all ends



IN THE INTARSIA SECTION, WORK OVER THE YARN NOT IN USE SO IT'S READY TO PICK UP AGAIN WHEN YOU NEED IT



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*"I carrot wait to
meet you!"*



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DECOR WITH
A DIFFERENCE

DESIGNER **ESME CRICK**

Forest blanket

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COM

Give mosaic crochet a try with this contemporary design
using mosaic trebles to create beautiful tree motifs

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Scheepjes
Namaste: (A) 625 Scale,
eight 100g balls, (B) 618
Gate, nine 100g balls
★ 8mm hook ★ Tapestry
needle ★ Scissors ★ Card
★ Tape measure

Size: 97cm x 123cm

TENSION SQUARE

★ 10 sts x 12 rows
★ 10cm x 10cm
★ Over patt
★ 8mm hook

IN STITCHES

Mosaic treble (mtr):
treble in skipped st of
same colour three rows
before, working in front of
intervening two rows of
ch in other colour

NOTE: patt works to a
multiple of 10 sts + 6 sts for
starting ch

NOTE: cc means change colour

THROW

Using 8mm hook and Yarn A
make 96ch

□ Row 1 (RS): 1dc in second
ch from hook and in each ch
to end, turn. (95 sts)
□ Row 2 (WS): Ch1 (does not
count as st throughout), 1dc
in each st to end, cc to B, turn
□ Row 3: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
1 st, 1dc, *ch5, skip 4 sts, 1dc;
rep from * to last 2 sts, ch2,
skip 1 st, 1dc, turn
□ Row 4: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, 1dc, *ch5, skip 5ch-
sp, 1dc; rep from * to last 2
sts, ch2, skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, cc
to A, turn

□ Row 5: Ch1, 1dc, 1mtr, ch2,
skip 1 st, *4mtr, 1dc, 4mtr,
ch2, skip 1 st; rep from * to
last 2 sts, 1mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 6: Ch1, 2dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 2 sts,
2dc, cc, turn

□ Row 7: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
1 st, 1mtr, *4dc, ch2, skip 1 st,
4dc, 1mtr; rep from * to last
2 sts, ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc, turn

□ Row 8: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, 5dc, ch2, skip 2ch-sp,
*9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-sp; rep
from * to last 7 sts, 5dc, ch2,
skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 9: Ch1, 1dc, 1mtr, ch2,
skip 1 st, *4dc, 1mtr, 4dc, ch2,
skip 1 st; rep from * to last
2 sts, 1mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 10: Ch1, 2dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 2 sts,
2dc, cc, turn

□ Row 11: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
1 st, 1mtr, *3dc, ch4, skip 3 sts,
3dc, 1mtr; rep from * to last
2 sts, ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc, turn

□ Row 12: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, 4dc, ch4, skip 4ch-sp,
*7dc, ch4, skip 4ch-sp; rep
from * to last 6 sts, 4dc, ch2,
skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 13: Ch1, 1dc, 1mtr,
ch2, skip 1 st, *3dc, 3mtr, 3dc,
ch2, skip 1 st; rep from * to
last 2 sts, 1mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 14: Ch1, 2dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 2 sts,
2dc, cc, turn

□ Row 15: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
1 st, 1mtr, *2dc, ch6, skip 5 sts,
2dc, 1mtr; rep from * to last
2 sts, ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc, turn

□ Row 16: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, 3dc, ch6, skip 6ch-sp,
*5dc, ch6, skip 6ch-sp; rep
from * to last 5 sts, 3dc, ch2,
skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 17: Ch1, 1dc, 1mtr,

ch2, skip 1 st, *2dc, 5mtr, 2dc,
ch2, skip 1 st; rep from * to
last 2 sts, 1mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 18: Ch1, 2dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 2 sts,
2dc, cc, turn

□ Row 19: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
1 st, 1mtr, *1dc, ch8, skip 7 sts,
1dc, 1mtr; rep from * to last
2 sts, ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc, turn

□ Row 20: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, 2dc, ch8, skip 8ch-sp,
*3dc, ch8, skip 8ch-sp; rep
from * to last 4 sts, 2dc, ch2,
skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 21: Ch1, 1dc, 1mtr,
ch2, skip 1 st, *1dc, 7mtr, 1dc,
ch2, skip 1 st; rep from * to
last 2 sts, 1mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 22: Ch1, 2dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 2 sts,
2dc, cc, turn

□ Row 23: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
1 st, 1mtr, *ch5, skip 4 sts,
1dc, ch5, skip 4 sts, 1mtr; rep
from * to last 2 sts, ch2, skip
1 st, 1dc, turn

□ Row 24: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, 1dc, *ch5, skip 5ch-sp,
1dc; rep from * to last 2 sts,
ch2, skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 25: Ch1, 1dc, 1mtr,
1dc, *4mtr, ch2, skip 1 st, 4mtr,
1dc; rep from * to last
2 sts, 1mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 26: Ch1, 7dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 7 sts,
7dc, cc, turn

□ Row 27: Ch1, 1dc, ch3, skip
2 sts, 4dc, 1mtr, *4dc, ch2,
skip 1 st, 4dc, 1mtr; rep from
* to last 7 sts, 4dc, ch3, skip
2 sts, 1dc, turn

□ Row 28: Ch1, 1dc, ch3, skip
3ch-sp, 9dc, *ch2, skip 2ch-sp,
9dc; rep from * to last 3 sts,
ch3, skip 3ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 29: Ch1, 1dc, 2mtr,
*4dc, ch2, skip 1 st, 4dc, 1mtr;

rep from * to last 2 sts, 1mtr,
1dc, turn

□ Row 30: Ch1, 7dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 7 sts,
7dc, cc, turn

□ Row 31: Ch1, 1dc, *ch4,
skip 3 sts, 3dc, 1mtr, 3dc; rep
from * to last 4 sts, ch4, skip 3
sts, 1dc, turn

□ Row 32: Ch1, 1dc, *ch4,
skip 4ch-sp, 7dc; rep from *
to last 4 sts, ch4, skip 4ch-sp,
1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 33: Ch1, 1dc, *3mtr,
3dc, ch2, skip 1 st, 3dc; rep from
* to last 4 sts, 3mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 34: Ch1, 7dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 7 sts,
7dc, cc, turn

□ Row 35: Ch1, 1dc, ch5, skip
4 sts, 2dc, 1mtr, 2dc, *ch6,
skip 5 sts, 2dc, 1mtr, 2dc; rep
from * to last 5 sts, ch5, skip 4
sts, 1dc, turn

□ Row 36: Ch1, 1dc, ch5, skip
5ch-sp, 5dc, *ch6, skip 6ch-sp,
5dc; rep from * to last 5 sts,
ch5, skip 5ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 37: Ch1, 1dc, 4mtr, 2dc,
ch2, skip 1 st, 2dc, *5mtr, 2dc,
ch2, skip 1 st, 2dc; rep from *
to last 5 sts, 4mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 38: Ch1, 7dc, ch2, skip
2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-
sp; rep from * to last 7 sts,
7dc, cc, turn

□ Row 39: Ch1, 1dc, ch6, skip
5 sts, 1dc, 1mtr, 1dc, *ch8,
skip 7 sts, 1dc, 1mtr, 1dc; rep
from * to last 6 sts, ch6, skip
5 sts, 1dc, turn

□ Row 40: Ch1, 1dc, ch6, skip
6ch-sp, 3dc, *ch8, skip 8ch-sp,
3dc; rep from * to last 6 sts,
ch6, skip 6ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Row 41: Ch1, 1dc, 5mtr, 1dc,
ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc, *7mtr, 1dc,
ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc; rep from
* to last 6 sts, 5mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 42: Ch1, 7dc, ch2, skip



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2ch-sp, *9dc, ch2, skip 2ch-sp; rep from * to last 7 sts, 7dc, cc, turn

□ Row 43: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc, *ch5, skip 4 sts, 1mtr, ch5, skip 4 sts, 1dc; rep from * to last 2 sts, ch2, skip 1 st, 1dc, turn

□ Row 44: Ch1, 1dc, ch2, skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, *ch5, skip 5ch-sp, 1dc; rep from * to last 2 sts, ch2, skip 2ch-sp, 1dc, cc, turn

□ Rows 45-144: Rep Rows 5 to 44 twice more, then rep Rows 5 to 24 once more

□ Row 145: Ch1, 1dc, 1mtr, 1dc, *4mtr, 1dc; rep from * to last 2 sts, 1mtr, 1dc, turn

□ Row 146: Ch1, 1dc in each st to end

Fasten off yarns and weave in ends

EDGING

NOTE: work with RS facing throughout

□ Rnd 1 (RS): Join B with sl st in top right hand st, ch1, (1dc, ch2, 1dc) in same st, 1dc in each st to last st on top edge, (1dc, ch2, 1dc) in last st, rotate work 90°, 1dc in each of next three row ends, *skip next row end, 1dc in each of next four row ends; rep from * to end of long side, finishing on any st in rep, (1dc, ch2, 1dc) in first st on bottom edge, 1dc in each st along to last st on bottom edge, (1dc, ch2, 1dc) in last st, rotate work 90°, 1dc in each of next three row ends, **skip next row end, 1dc in each of next four row ends; rep from ** to end of long side, finishing on any st in rep, sl st to beg dc

□ Rnd 2: Ch3 (counts as 1 tr) *1tr in next st and in each st to 2ch-sp, (1tr, ch2, 1tr) in ch-sp; rep from * around to end, sl st to top of beg ch-3

□ Rnd 3: Ch1, 1dc in same st, *1dc in each st to 2ch-sp, (1dc, ch2, 1dc) in ch-sp; rep from * around to end, sl st to beg dc. Fasten off and weave in ends

TASSEL (MAKE 22)

Wrap B about 16 times around a piece of card approx. 10cm in length. Insert a 30cm length of B under all the loops at the top, knot tightly to fasten and

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THIS MOSAIC TREBLE IS THE SAME AS A REGULAR TREBLE, EXCEPT IT'S WORKED THREE ROWS DOWN FROM YOUR WORKING ROW



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secure the loops together. Cut through all the loops along the bottom edge. Wind another 30cm piece of B three times around all the strands (except the joining yarn at the top) approx. 3cm from the top. Knot to secure. Trim the tassel to level off. Attach the tassels along each short end as follows: one at each corner, then the remaining nine so they line up with each dot between the trees. Use the joining yarn at the top of each tassel to knot securely to the edge. Weave in all ends



This pattern has been adapted from *Mosaic Crochet Workshop* by Esme Crick (£15.99, David & Charles)
davidandcharles.com

DESIGNER HANNAH COOPER

Ballerina duo

Sporting their finest tutus while practising their pirouettes, these make an ideal gift for budding ballerinas

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: yellow, light brown, pink, brown, cream, green, blue
- ★ 4.5mm hook
- ★ 5mm safety eyes
- ★ Polyester toy stuffing
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Scissors

Height: 26cm

LEGS, BODY & HEAD (MAKE 2 - 1 IN EACH COLOUR)

* Using 4.5mm hook and green (green) make a magic ring, work 4dc into ring.

Four sts

□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. Eight sts

□ Rnd 2: 1dc in each st to end

NOTE: colour in brackets foll instruction indicates which yarn to use

□ Rnd 3: 5dc (green [green]) 3dc (cream [light brown])

□ Rnd 4: 5dc green [green], 3dc (cream [light brown])

Stuff
□ Rnd 5: 1dc, dc3tog, 1dc (green [green]), 3dc (cream [light brown]). Six sts
Cont in cream (light brown) only as folls:

□ Rnd 6: rep Rnd 2

□ Rnd 7: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Eight sts

□ Rnds 8-14: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 15: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts

□ Rnds 16-21: 1dc in each st to end

Change to pink (blue)

□ Rnds 22-23: 1dc in each st to end **

Fasten off

Rep from * to ** to make second leg, then cont as folls to



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□ Rnd 45: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

Stuff

Change to cream (light brown)

□ Rnd 46: rep Row 25

□ Rnd 47: dc2tog to end.

Six sts

□ Rnds 48-49: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 50: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnd 51: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 52: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 53: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts

□ Rnds 54-55: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 56: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 57: rep Row 25

NOTE: insert eyes between Rnds 56-57, approx three sts apart

Stuff

□ Rnd 58: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 59: rep Row 25

□ Rnd 60: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

□ Rnd 61: dc2tog to end.

Six sts

Fasten off

ARM (MAKE 4 - 2 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4.5mm hook and cream (light brown) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

□ Rnds 1-3: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 4: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Four sts

□ Rnd 5: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Six sts

□ Rnds 6-11: 1dc in each st to end

Change to pink (blue)

□ Rnd 12: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 13: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Eight sts

join Legs tog and make Body:

□ Rnd 24: 6dc around second Leg, holding first Leg next to second, with feet facing same way, work 12dc around first Leg, 6dc around second Leg. 24 sts

□ Rnd 25: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 26: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts

□ Rnd 27: rep Row 25

□ Rnd 28: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts

□ Rnds 29-30: 1dc in each

st to end

□ Rnd 31: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts

□ Rnd 32: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnds 33-34: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 35: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 36: rep Row 25

□ Rnd 37: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnds 38-44: 1dc in each st to end



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"For the final finishing touches, use up the yarn oddments from your stash to create hair bows and ballet shoes"

CORINNE BRADD
EDITOR

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TOP TIP!

THESE DOLLS ARE BOTH MADE IN THE SAME WAY, BUT WATCH OUT FOR SLIGHT COLOUR CHANGES IN THE BRACKETS



□ Rnds 14-15: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off

HAIR (MAKE 2 - 1 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4.5mm hook and yellow (brown) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 4-9: 1dc in each st

to end
Fasten off

BUN (MAKE 2 - 1 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4.5mm hooks and yellow (brown) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
Stuff
□ Rnd 4: dc2tog to end. Six sts
Fasten off

TUTU (MAKE 2 - 1 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4.5mm hook and blue (pink) join to any front loop of Rnd 32 of Body, working in front loops only 1htr in each st to end, join with a sl st to first st. 30 sts
□ Rnd 1: 1ch (counts as 1htr), working in back loops only 1htr in each st to end, join with a sl st to first ch
□ Rnd 2: 2ch (counts as 1tr), 3tr, 2tr in next st, (4tr, 2tr in next st) to end, join with a sl st to second of first 2ch. 36 sts

□ Rnd 3: (2ch [counts as 1tr], 4tr) in same st, 5tr in each st to end. 180 sts

TO MAKE UP

Stuff Arms and sew to Body. Sew Hair to Head and sew Bun on top. Using an oddment of blue (pink), wrap around Bun and tie into a bow. With green, wrap around each foot to create ballet shoes. Weave in all ends



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Fringed coasters

Boho? Tick. Colourful? Oh yes. Tassels? You betcha!
These are simple to make but full of pizzazz!

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Cool Lilac, Bright Pink, Soft Coral, Sea Green, Shell Pink ★ 4mm hook ★ Tapestry needle ★ Scissors ★ Tape measure

Width (excl. fringe): 9cm;
width (incl. fringe): 15cm

Using 4mm hook and Yarn A make 2ch

□ Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook. Six sts

Work in foll one-rnd stripe sequence: Yarn B, Yarn A

NOTE: do not cut yarn, carry yarn not being used up along back of coaster

□ Rnd 2: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnd 3: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 4: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 5: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts

□ Rnd 6: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts

□ Rnd 7: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts

□ Rnd 8: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 48 sts

Fasten off

TASSELS

For Coaster 1, cut 48x 9cm long strands of Cool Lilac. Fold one strand in half and thread through each st around. For Coaster 2, cut 24x 9cm long strands each of Shell Pink and Soft Coral. Add as before, alternating between the two colours. For Coaster 3, cut 16x 9cm long strands each of Bright Pink, Cool Lilac and Soft Coral. Add as before, alternating between the three colours



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TO MAKE UP

Trim tassels to neaten.
Weave in all ends

TOP TIP!

THESE USE ONLY BASIC STITCHES – CHAINS AND DOUBLE CROCHET – FOR EIGHT ROUNDS, WITH TASSELS IN THE STYLE OF YOUR CHOOSING – ONE, TWO OR THREE-COLOUR!

COLOURWAYS

Coaster 1: Yarn A, Sea Green; Yarn B, Soft Coral

Coaster 2: Yarn A, Cool Lilac; Yarn B, Bright Pink

Coaster 3: Yarn A, Bright Pink; Yarn B, Shell Pink



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DESIGNER SARAH-JANE HICKS

Meadow wreath

Bring the outside in with a neat project that's super quick to whip up

COLOUR TO
SUIT YOUR
SCHEME

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Dusky Blue, Dappled Pink, Spring Petal, Morning Blue, Warm Pink, Lavender Glow ★ 3.75mm hook ★ 23cm wooden embroidery hoop ★ Tapestry needle ★ Scissors

Rose width: 7cm; Double Petal Flower width: 7cm; Loopy Flower width: 5cm; Butterfly width: 5.5cm

ROSE (MAKE 3)

Using 3.75mm hook and Dusky Blue (Dappled Pink, Spring Petal) make 43ch
□ Rnd 1: 1tr in fifth ch from hook (first 4ch counts as 1tr, 1ch), (1ch, miss 1ch, [1tr, 1ch, 1tr] in next st) to end, turn. 40tr, 39 ch sp
□ Rnd 2: 3ch, 4tr in first ch sp, (1dc in next ch sp, 5tr in next ch sp) to end. 20 petals made
Fasten off

DOUBLE PETAL FLOWER (MAKE 2)

Using 3.75mm hook and Morning Blue (Dusky Blue) make 4ch
□ Rnd 1: 11tr in fourth ch from hook (first 3ch counts as 1tr), join with a sl st to top of first 3ch. 12 sts
Change to Warm Pink (Lavender Glow)
□ Rnd 2: (3ch, 3tr in next st, 3ch, sl st in next st) six times. Six petals made
NOTE: now working behind petals just made
□ Rnd 3: (4ch, sl st in back two loops of sl st from Rnd 2) to end. Six loops made
□ Rnd 4: sl st in first loop, 3ch, 4tr, 3ch, sl st in same loop, (sl

st in next loop, 3ch, 4tr, 3ch, sl st in same loop) to end. Six petals made
Fasten off

LOOPY FLOWER (MAKE 4)

Using 3.75mm hook and Morning Blue (Warm Pink, Lavender Glow, Dusky Blue) make 2ch
□ Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook, join with a sl st to first st. Six sts
Change to Dappled Pink (Lavender Glow, Dusky Blue, Spring Petal)
□ Rnd 2: (6ch, sl st in next st) to end. Six loops made
□ Rnd 3: (8dc around loop, sl st in same st as Rnd 2) to end. Six petals made
Fasten off

WHY NOT TRY...

Use these motifs to decorate blankets, cushions, cards, bags, dresses, hairbands and more!



BUTTERFLY (MAKE 2)

Using 3.75mm hook and Morning Blue (Lavender Glow) make 4ch
□ Rnd 1: 11tr in fourth ch from hook (3ch counts as 1tr), join with a sl st to top of first 3ch. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: 3ch, (1tr, 2ch, 2tr) in same st, (2ch, sl st in next st, 2ch, [2tr, 2ch, 2tr] in next st) five times, 2ch, sl st in next st, 2ch, join with a sl st to top of first 3ch
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Roll petals around to form Rose, sewing through base of initial ch to join. Attach flowers to inner frame of embroidery

hoop by sewing around frame and back of each flower. Fold Butterfly piece in half, attach to hoop using Warm Pink or Spring Petal by wrapping yarn three times around body and frame and knotting in place. Trim yarn leaving two short, knotted strands of yarn to make antennae. Weave in all ends

TOP TIP!

PLACE PIECES BEFORE ATTACHING THEM TO YOUR HOOP TO ENSURE YOU'RE HAPPY WITH THE POSITIONS – YOU COULD EVEN CREATE EXTRA FLOWERS AND BUTTERFLIES TO FILL AROUND THE WHOLE CIRCLE!

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Love hearts

This charming project will give you all the warm fuzzies

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Dusky Blue, Dappled Pink, Spring Petal, Morning Blue, Lavender Glow, Warm Pink
★ 3.75mm hook ★ Stitch markers ★ Tapestry needle
★ Stuffing ★ Scissors

Large Pink width: 10cm;
Large Stripy width: 9cm;
Blue Medium width: 6.5cm;
Small Stripy width: 6cm;
Tiny Lavender width: 4.5cm

LARGE PINK

Using 3.75mm hook and Dappled Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Nine sts
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 15 sts
□ Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 6: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 21 sts
□ Rnd 7: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 8: (7dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 27 sts
□ Rnd 9: (8dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 10: (9dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 33 sts
□ Rnd 11: (10dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnd 12: (11dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 39 sts
□ Rnd 13: (12dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
□ Rnd 14: (13dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 45 sts
□ Rnd 15: (14dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 48 sts
□ Rnd 16: 24dc, miss 24 sts



NOTE: now work on these 24 sts to make top bump of Heart, stuff as you go
□ Rnds 17-18: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 19: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 20: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 21: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off
Attach Spring Petal to first missed st of Rnd 16 and rep Rnds 16-21
Fasten off

LARGE STRIPY

Using 3.75mm hook and Spring Petal make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Nine sts

Work in foll two-row stripe sequence: Morning Blue, Spring Petal
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 15 sts
□ Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 6: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 21 sts
□ Rnd 7: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 8: (7dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 27 sts
□ Rnd 9: (8dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 10: (9dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 33 sts
□ Rnd 11: (10dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnds 12-14: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 15: 18dc, miss 18 sts

NOTE: now work on these 18 sts to make top bump of Heart, stuff as you go
□ Rnds 16-19: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 20: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 21: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off
Attach Morning Blue to first missed st of Rnd 15 and rep Rnds 15-21
Fasten off

BLUE MEDIUM

Using 3.75mm hook and Dusky Blue make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnds 1-7: rep Rnds 1-7 of Large Pink. 24 sts
□ Rnds 8-12: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 13: 12dc, miss 12 sts
NOTE: now work on these 12 sts to make top bump of Heart, stuff as you go
□ Rnds 14-16: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 17: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Eight sts
□ Rnd 18: (dc2tog) to end. Four sts
Fasten off
Attach Dusky Blue to first missed st of Rnd 13 and rep Rnds 13-18
Fasten off

SMALL STRIPY

Using 3.75mm hook and Warm Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
Work in foll stripe sequence: three rows Warm Pink, four rows Spring Petal, five rows Warm Pink
□ Rnds 1-7: rep Rnds 1-7 of Large Pink. 24 sts
□ Rnd 8: 12dc, miss 12 sts
NOTE: now work on these 12 sts to make top bump



of heart, stuff as you go
☐ Rnds 9-11: 1dc in each st to end
☐ Rnd 12: (dc2tog) to end.
 Six sts
 Fasten off
 Attach Warm Pink to first missed st of Rnd 8 and rep Rnds 8-12
 Fasten off

TINY LAVENDER

Using 3.75mm hook and Lavender Glow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
☐ Rnds 1-5: rep Rnds 1-5 of Large Pink. 18 sts
☐ Rnd 6: 9dc, miss nine sts
NOTE: now work on these nine sts to make top bump of Heart, stuff as you go
☐ Rnd 7: 1dc in each st to end
☐ Rnd 8: (dc2tog) twice, 1dc in next st, (dc2tog) twice. Five sts

Fasten off
 Attach Lavender Glow to first missed st of Rnd 6 and rep Rnds 6-8
 Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Use yarn tails to sew up fastened-off sections and gaps in middle of Hearts. Weave in all ends

TOP TIP! KEEP YOUR TENSION FAIRLY TIGHT TO ENSURE THE STUFFING DOESN'T SHOW THROUGH YOUR STITCHES

CHANGING COLOUR

When changing colour, simply pull the new colour through the last two loops of the previous stitch to complete it, and continue in the new shade. If you're working in stripes, don't cut the first colour, just pick it up again when it's time to change back



"You'll be splitting your stitches to complete the top sections... but don't lose heart, it's a cinch!"

CORINNE BRADD
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DESIGNER HANNAH COOPER

Bryony koala

Say G'day to our pom-pom-eared marsupial from Down Under

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: DK, Sea Green, Shell Pink, Black, Soft Coral;
Pom-pom ★ 4mm hook
★ Tapestry needle ★ Scissors

HEAD

Using 4mm hook and Sea Green make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 5: 4dc, (2dc in next st, 1dc) twice, 2dc in next st, 10dc, (2dc in next st, 1dc) twice, 2dc in next st, 6dc. 36 sts
□ Rnd 6: 5dc, (2dc in next st, 2dc) twice, 2dc in next st, 11dc, (2dc in next st, 2dc) twice, 2dc in next st, 6dc. 42 sts
□ Rnd 7: (6dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 48 sts
□ Rnds 8-14: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 15: (6dc, dc2tog) to end. 42 sts
Insert safety eyes between Rnds 9-10, approx 13 sts apart
□ Rnd 16: 5dc, (dc2tog, 2dc) twice, dc2tog, 11dc, (dc2tog, 2dc) twice, dc2tog, 6dc. 36 sts
□ Rnd 17: 4dc, (dc2tog, 1dc) twice, dc2tog, 10dc, (dc2tog, 1dc) twice, dc2tog, 6dc. 30 sts
□ Rnd 18: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 19: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 20: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Fasten off



LEGS & BODY

* Using 4mm hook and Sea Green make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 5: 1dc in each st to end
Change to Soft Coral
□ Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end *
Fasten off
Rep from * to * once, then join Legs tog as folls:
□ Rnd 7: 1dc in each st around right Leg, insert hook in first st of left Leg, 1dc in each st around left Leg. 36 sts
□ Rnds 8-12: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 13: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnds 14-18: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 19: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnds 20-22: 1dc in each st to end
Change to Sea Green
□ Rnds 23-24: 1dc in each

st to end

Stuff firmly

□ Rnd 25: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 26: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts

Fasten off

EAR (MAKE 4 – 2 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4mm hook and Sea Green (Shell Pink) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring, turn. Six sts

□ Row 1: 1ch, 1dc, (2dc in next st) four times, 1dc. Ten sts
Fasten off

ARM (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and Sea Green make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Nine sts

□ Rnds 2-4: 1dc in each st to end

NOTE: stuff as you go

□ Rnd 5: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Six sts

□ Rnds 6-10: 1dc in each st to end

Fasten off

STRAP (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and Soft Coral make 13ch, turn

□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each st to end. 12 sts

Fasten off

POCKET

Using 4mm hook and Soft Coral make 6ch, turn

□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each st to end, turn. Five sts

□ Rows 2-4: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn

□ Row 5: 1ch, dc2tog, 1dc, dc2tog, turn. Three sts

□ Row 6: 1ch, dc3tog. One st
Fasten off

NOSE

Using 4mm hook and black DK make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnd 2: 1dc, (2dc in next st) three times, 3dc, (2dc in next st) three times, 2dc. 18 sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew Head and Arms to Body. Place one Sea Green and one Shell Pink Ear piece tog. With Pom-pom, crochet through both pieces working 1ch, 10dc. Fasten off and rep for other Ear. Sew Ears and Nose to Head. Sew Pocket to front of Body. Secure Straps to front of Body, cross them over at back and sew in place. Sew hole shut between Legs. Weave in all ends

SEE P94 FOR A LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS



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TOP TIP! TO MAKE A BIGGER TOY
WITHOUT CHANGING
THE INSTRUCTIONS JUST
DOUBLE UP ON YOUR YARN AND
TRY A BIGGER HOOK



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Market bag

Perfect for summer days out, this colourful cotton bag is worked in the round

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: DROPS PARIS cotton, no 24 dark grey, 200g; no 01 apricot, 150g; no 23 light grey, no 06 shocking pink, no 17 off white, 100g each; no 41 mustard, 50g; garnstudio.com ★ 4.5mm hook ★ Scissors ★ Tapestry needle ★ Tape measure

Size: 43cm wide x 33cm tall

TENSION SQUARE

★ 13 tr x 6 rows with 2 strands
★ 10 x 10 cm
★ Over patt
★ 4.5mm hook

PATTERN:

See diagrams A.1 and A.2. Diagrams show colours in pattern. 1 square = 1 tr.

BAG

NOTE: Dec 1 tr by working 2 tr tog as follows: work 1 tr but wait with last pull through, (= 2 loops on hook), work next tr but on last pull through, pull yarn through all 3 loops on hook

NOTE: When working with two strands, use yarn from both inside and outside of the ball. When switching to a new ball, try to avoid switching both strands at the same time to avoid a thick yarn when fastening. Work in the round with two strands of each colour

NOTE: COLOUR PATTERN (worked in the round) – When changing colour work as follows: Work last tr with first colour but wait with last pull through, switch to next colour

and work last pull through, then work next tr. When working with two colours place strands for the colour not worked over sts from previous round, work around the strands so that they are hidden and follow in the round

Using 4.5mm hook work 5 ch with two threads shocking pink and form a ring with one sl st in first ch. Then work in the round and according to Chart A.1 (work 12 repetitions of A.1 in width)

NOTE: Replace first tr at beg of every round with 3 ch, finish round with 1 sl st in third ch

□ Rnd 1: Work 12 tr in ring
□ Rnd 2: Work 2 tr in every tr = 24 tr

□ Rnd 3: Work * 1 tr in first tr, 2 tr in the next tr *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 36 tr

□ Rnd 4: Work * 1 tr in each of the first 2 tr, 2 tr in next tr *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 48 tr. REMEMBER THE CROCHET TENSION!

□ Rnds 5-10: Cont with inc and patt as before, i.e. on every round work 1 more tr between inc = 120 tr

□ Rnd 11: Work last round in A.1, AT THE SAME TIME dec 4 tr evenly, dec by working 2 and 2 tr tog = 116 tr

□ Rnd 12: Cont working in the round, but without inc and work according to A.2 (= 7 repetitions in width), AT THE SAME TIME on 1st round in A.2 dec 4 tr evenly = 112 tr. Cont until A.2 has been worked, fasten off

Diagram

■ light grey ☆ apricot
⊗ shocking pink □ dark grey
⊙ mustard □ off white

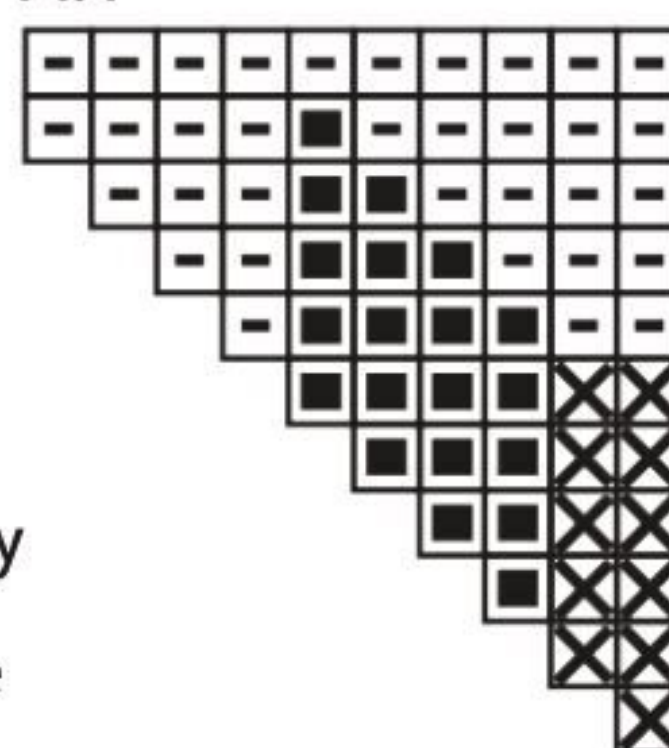


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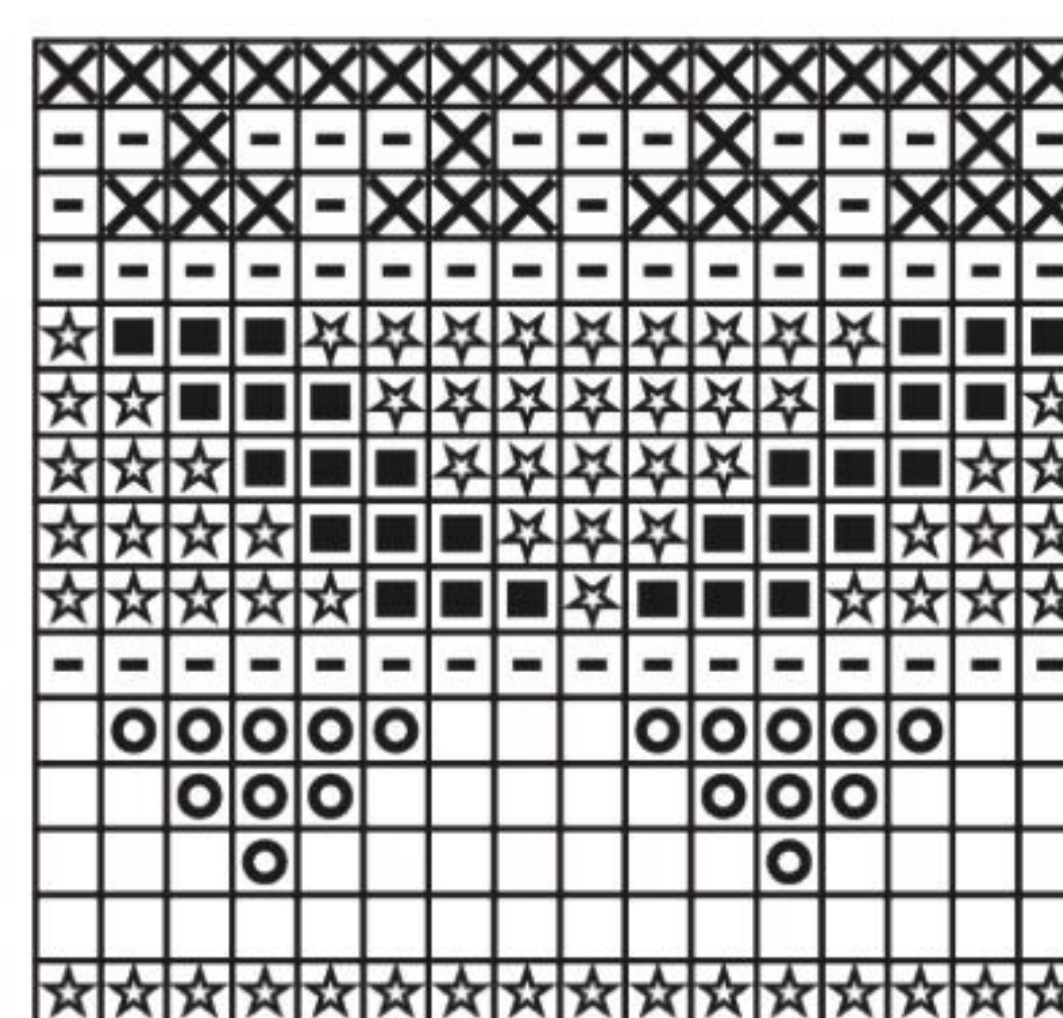
Cut six lengths of each colour of 120cm = 36 strands. Place the strands tog and tie a loose knot, leave approx. 12cm after knot. Distribute strands in three piles with 12 strands in each pile. Plait the three piles tog until plait meas approx. 68 cm. Divide the end of the plait into two. Thread the two halves through bag, 1 tr apart, in third round from edge. Tie them tog in a knot on the front of bag. Untie the knot in the beg of the plait and fasten it to bag the same way but in the opposite side. Make another plait the same way

TOP TIP! YOU CAN FIND VIDEO TUTORIALS TO HELP WITH THIS PATTERN W-599 AT GARNSTUDIO.COM

A.1



A.2





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WHY NOT TRY...

If you'd prefer to make the bag in a single-colour, you will need 600g Paris yarn

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Bath-olemew

This elephant loves nothing better than a long soak in the tub accompanied by his rubber duck!

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Deep Navy, Floral Pink, Soft Fawn, Sky Blue, Yellow, white, orange
★ 4mm hook ★ Two 6mm safety eyes ★ Two 10mm safety eyes ★ Stuffing
★ Stitch markers
★ Tapestry needle
★ Scissors ★ Blusher

Elephant height: 14.5cm;
Rubber Duck height: 5cm

BATH-OLEMEW LEGS, BODY & HEAD

* Using 4mm hook and Soft Fawn make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: 1dc in each st to end
Change to Sky Blue
NOTE: stuff as you go
□ Rnd 5: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 15 sts
□ Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 7: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 8: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Nine sts
□ Rnds 10-11: 1dc in each st to end *
Fasten off
□ Rep from * to * once, then join Legs tog as folls:
□ Rnd 12: 1dc in each st to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 13: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 14: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 15: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnd 16: (5dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts
□ Rnds 17-19: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 20: (5dc, dc2tog) to end. 36 sts
□ Rnd 21 and every odd-numbered rnd: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 22: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 24: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 26: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 28: 2dc in each st to end. 36 sts
□ Rnds 29-33: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 34: (4dc, dc2tog) to end. 30 sts
□ Rnd 35: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 36: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 37: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 38: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
□ Rnd 39: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

ARM (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and Soft Fawn make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 3: 1dc in each st to end
Change to Sky Blue
□ Rnd 4: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. Nine sts
□ Rnd 5: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 6: (1dc, dc2tog) to



end. Six sts
□ Rnds 7-9: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and Floral Pink make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
□ Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
Change to Sky Blue
□ Rnd 5: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

TRUNK

Using 4mm hook and Sky Blue make a magic ring, work 4dc into ring. Four sts
□ Rnd 1: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 2: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 3: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Six sts
□ Rnds 4-5: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 6: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Eight sts

□ Rnds 7-8: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 9: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Ten sts
□ Rnds 10-11: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 12: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 12 sts
□ Rnds 13-14: 1dc in each st to end
NOTE: now working in rows
□ Row 15: 6dc, 1ch, turn. Six sts
□ Row 16: 1dc in each st to end
Fasten off, leaving a long tail

RUBBER DUCK

Using 4mm hook and Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 4: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
□ Rnd 5: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 6: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
□ Rnd 7: 3dc, (2dc in next st) three times, 1dc in each st to end. 15 sts
□ Rnd 8: 4dc, (2dc in next st) three times, 1dc in each st to end. 18 sts
□ Rnd 9: 1dc in each st to end
□ Rnd 10: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
Stuff
□ Rnd 11: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts
Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Weave through rem sts to close Head. Sew Ears and Nose to Head. Sew Arms to Body using whip st. Embroider toes using Deep Navy. To make tail, cut small strands of Sky Blue, plait, then sew to



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back of Body. Add blusher. Using white yarn, embroider st at sides of eyes. Weave through rem sts to close Rubber Duck. To embroider beak, tie two long overhand knots of four wraps each, butted up to each other in centre of length of orange yarn. Pass tails through Duck's head above and below bill area so they reappear in same spot at back of head.

Pull tightly to create pointed beak, knot ends tog and trim. Weave in all ends

TOP TIP!

TAKE YOUR TIME EMBROIDERING THE TOES ONTO THE ELEPHANT AND THE BEAK ONTO THE DUCK BECAUSE THEY REALLY BRING THESE DINKY MAKES TO LIFE

IN STITCHES

Whip stitch: This is used to sew two layers together along their edges. Start the stitch between the two layers and bring the needle through the front. At a slight diagonal angle, sew a stitch that overlaps the edge, passing the needle through the back fabric, and sewing through the two layers at another slight angle through to the front, just up from the starting point



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DESIGNER **LYNNE ROWE**

Pretty purse

This would make a lovely gift and is a great place to store away make-up essentials or crochet notions

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Meadow Green, Cloud White, Sunbeam Yellow ★ 3.75mm hook
- ★ Purse frame ★ Glue gun
- ★ Scissors

Width: 13cm

MAKE 2

- * Using 3.75mm hook and Meadow Green make 4ch, join with a sl st to first ch to form a ring
- Rnd 1: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 15tr into ring, join with a sl st to third of first 3ch. 16 sts. Fasten off Meadow Green, join Cloud White with a sl st to any tr
- Rnd 2: 1ps in same st, 1ch, (1ps in next st, 1ch) to end, join with a sl st to top of first ps. 16 ps made. Fasten off Cloud White, join Sunbeam Yellow with a sl st to any 1ch sp
- Rnd 3: make beg cl in same sp, 2ch, (full cl in next 1ch sp, 2ch) to end, join with a sl st to top of beg cl. 16 clusters made. Fasten off Sunbeam Yellow, join Meadow Green with a sl st to any 2ch sp
- Rnd 4: 2ch (counts as 1htr), 1htr in same sp, 2htr in top of next cl, (2htr in next 2ch sp, 2htr in top of next cl) to end, join with a sl st to second of first 2ch. 64 sts
- Rnd 5: 2ch (counts as 1htr), 1htr in same st, 7htr, (2htr in next st, 7htr) to end, join with a sl st to second of first 2ch, turn. 72 sts
- Rnd 6: 2ch (counts as 1htr), 41htr. 42 sts *
- Fasten off
- Rep from * to * to make Back,

turn, work back along 42 sts just made as follows: Place Front and Back tog with WS facing, lining up 42 sts of Rnd 6 of each piece, 1ch, 1dc in both Front and Back pieces by inserting hook through both sts and working them tog as one st, 1dc in each of 42 sts of Rnd 6. Fasten off, sew in ends

TO MAKE UP

Use glue gun to fix open edge of Purse into frame. Work small pieces at a time, easing crochet edge into frame and holding in place until glue is set. Pin out purse onto flat surface and spray with water or spray starch if desired to stiffen slightly. Leave to dry

IN STITCHES

Puff stitch (ps): * yoh, insert hook into st, yoh, draw hook back through st. Three loops on hook. Rep from * twice. Seven loops on hook. Yoh, draw through all seven loops

Beginning cluster (beg cl): 2ch, * yoh, insert hook into centre of st, yoh, draw hook back through st, yoh, draw through first two loops. Two loops on hook. Rep from * once. Three loops on hook. Yoh, draw through all three loops

Full cluster (full cl): * yoh, insert hook into centre of st, yoh, draw hook back through st, yoh, draw through first two loops. Two loops on hook. Rep from * twice. Four loops on hook. Yoh, draw through all four loops

STEP OUT
IN STYLE





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DESIGNER **SUSIE JOHNS**

Sleep mask

Whip up a felt-lined eye mask to help you get your beauty sleep

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Ocean Blue, Dolphin Blue, Shell White, black ★ Blue felt ★ 4.5mm hook ★ Tapestry needle ★ Needle and thread ★ Ribbon ★ Pinking shears ★ Scissors ★ Tape measure ★ Pins ★ Pen

To fit: adult

EYE MASK (MAKE 2)

Using 4.5mm hook and Ocean Blue (Dolphin Blue) make 19ch

□ Row 1 (RS): 1dc in second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to end, turn. 18 sts

□ Rows 2-6: 1ch, 2dc in next st, 1dc in each st to last st, 2dc in next st, turn. 28 sts

□ Row 7: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn

Work left side as folls:

□ Row 8: 1ch, 13dc, turn. 13 sts

□ Rows 9-15: 1ch, dc2tog, 1dc in each st to end, turn. Six sts

Fasten off

With RS facing miss centre two sts, rejoin Ocean Blue (Dolphin Blue) to next st and work right side as folls:

□ Row 8: 1ch, 13dc, turn. 13 sts

□ Row 9-15: 1ch, 1dc in each st to last two sts, dc2tog, turn. Six sts

Fasten off

EYEBALL (MAKE 4)

Using 4.5mm hook and Shell White make 2ch

□ Row 1: 3dc in second ch from hook, turn. Three sts

□ Row 2: 1ch, 2dc in each st to end. Six sts

□ Row 3: 1ch, (2dc in next st, 1dc) to end. Nine sts

Fasten off

ALL THOSE ENDS

When fastening off each section leave a 40cm yarn tail. This is useful for sewing the pieces together when everything is finished

EYELID (MAKE 4 - 2 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4.5mm hook and Ocean Blue (Dolphin Blue) make 2ch

□ Rows 1-3: rep Rows 1-3 of Eyeball. Nine sts

□ Row 4: 1ch, one sl st in each st to end, work eight sl st evenly spaced along lower edge

Fasten off

IRIS (MAKE 4 - 2 IN EACH COLOUR)

Using 4.5mm hook and Dolphin Blue (Ocean Blue) make a magic ring, 1ch, 6dc

into ring, join with a sl st to first st. Six sts

□ Rnd 1: 1ch, 2dc in each st to end, join with a sl st to first st. 12 sts

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew in ends on Mask. Pin Eyeballs onto Mask with straight edge uppermost. Sew in place firmly using yarn tails. Place an Iris on top of each Eyeball and sew in place. Embroider a small pupil in centre of each Iris using black yarn. Place an Eyelid on top of

each pupil, with curved edge uppermost. Sew in place. Place Mask flat on felt sheet and draw around outline, leaving a 3mm margin all around. Cut out using pinking shears. Cut two 40cm lengths of ribbon and sew one end to each side of reverse of Mask. Place Mask on top of felt and sew two pieces tog securely close to edge

TOP TIP!

CHOOSE AN ELASTICATED RIBBON FOR COMFORT



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DESIGNER SARAH-JANE HICKS

Camp scene

Create an idyllic camping set-up that's perfect for playtime with these dinky designs

KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Lemon Yellow, Pretty Violet, Light Mocha, Blue Twist, Fresh Mint, Sweet Coral ★ Tapestry needle
★ 3mm hook ★ Stuffing
★ Cardboard ★ Scissors

Tent length: 10cm; Striped Tent length: 10cm; Fire height: 4cm; Sleeping Bag length: 9.5cm; Log length: 9cm; Blanket: 9.5cm square

TENT

Using 3mm hook and Pretty Violet make 21ch

□ Row 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to last ch, 3dc in next ch, work along opposite side of ch as folls: 19dc, turn. 41 sts

□ Row 2 and every even-numbered row: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end

□ Row 3: (1ch, 2dc) in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 1dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, turn. 45 sts

□ Row 5: 1ch, 1dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 3dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 1dc, turn. 49 sts

□ Row 7: 1ch, 2dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 5dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 2dc, turn. 53 sts

□ Row 9: 1ch, 3dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 7dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 3dc, turn. 57 sts

□ Row 10 and every even-numbered row: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end Change to Fresh Mint

NOTE: for Row 11 work every other 1dc into st below on Row 9 rather than Row 10 to form spike stitch

□ Row 11: 1ch, 4dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 9dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 4dc, turn. 61 sts

□ Row 13: 1ch, 5dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 11dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, turn

st, 5dc, turn. 65 sts

□ Row 15: 1ch, 6dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 13dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 6dc, turn. 69 sts

□ Row 17: 1ch, 7dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 15dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 7dc, turn. 73 sts

□ Row 19: 1ch, 8dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 17dc, 2dc in next st, 18dc, 2dc in next st, 8dc, turn. 77 sts

□ Row 20: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Make cardboard insert as folls: measure along top ridge of Tent (ours is 10cm) and down sides (ours is 9cm). Cut a cardboard rectangle to line whole tent (ours is 10cm x 18cm). Score down centre of long edge of rectangle, from one side to the other, then fold in half. With a needle, prick small holes along both bottom edges of cardboard insert,

approx. 7mm up from edge and 1cm apart. Place card inside tent and use matching yarn to sew in place. Weave in all ends

STRIPED TENT

Work as for Tent in foll two-row stripe sequence: Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Pretty Violet, Lemon Yellow, Fresh Mint, Lemon Yellow, Sweet Coral, Lemon Yellow, Pretty Violet, Lemon Yellow

NOTE: ignore Note for Row 11

TO MAKE UP

Using Sweet Coral join with a sl st to bottom row of doorway, work around doorway as folls: (1dc, 1ch, miss next row, 1dc) to end, fasten off. Make cardboard insert as for Tent To Make Up. Weave in all ends

FIRE FLAMES

Using 3mm hook and Lemon Yellow work (7ch, sl st in second ch from hook, work down ch as folls: 1dc, 1htr, 1tr, 1htr, 1dc) three times Fasten off, leaving a long tail Using 3mm hook and Sweet Coral work (4ch, starting in second ch from hook work down ch as folls: 1dc, 1htr, 1dc) three times Fasten off, leaving a long tail

STICKS (MAKE 2)

Using 3mm hook and Light Mocha make 2ch

IN STITCHES

Lazy daisy stitch:

Bring tapestry needle up through centre of where you want the flower

to be, reinsert needle beside this point and pull yarn part way through. Bring needle up through where you want the edge of the petal to be. Using needle, lasso loop of thread at centre and complete a small st to secure petal in place. Cont in circular motion until all petals resemble a flower





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- Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook, join with a sl st to first st. Six sts
 - Rnd 2: (6ch, starting in second ch from hook, 5dc, one sl st in next st on Rnd 1) to end. Six sticks made
- Fasten off, leaving a long tail

TO MAKE UP

Sew Lemon Yellow and Sweet Coral Flames tog, then sew Sticks tog, one on top of the other. Sew Flames to Sticks. Weave in all ends

SLEEPING BAG

Using 3mm hook and Sweet Coral make 13ch

- Rnd 1: starting in second ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to last ch, 3dc in next ch, work along opposite side of ch as folls: 10dc, 2dc in last ch. 26 sts

- Rnds 2-15: 1dc in each st to end

NOTE: work in rows to form pillow

- Row 16: working in front loops only, 9dc, turn. Nine sts
 - Rows 17-27: 1ch, 1dc in each st to end, turn
- Fasten off, leaving a long tail

TO MAKE UP

Fold pillow in half and sew in place, stitching through unworked loops of Rnd 15 and sewing side edges tog. Using Lemon Yellow and

Pretty Violet, embroider flower onto Sleeping Bag using lazy daisy stitch for petals and a French knot in centre. Weave in all ends

LOG

Using 3mm hook and Lemon Yellow make 2ch

- Rnd 1: 6dc in second ch from hook. Six sts

- Rnd 2: working in back loops only, 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

- Rnd 3: working in back loops only, (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts

Change to Light Mocha

- Rnd 4: working in back loops only, 1dc in each st to end

- Rnds 5-18: 1dc in each st to end

Fasten off

END

Using 3mm hook and Lemon Yellow make 2ch

- Rnds 1-3: rep Rnds 1-3 of Log. 18 sts

Fasten off, leaving a long tail

TO MAKE UP

Stuff Log and sew End in place, stitching through back loops of end and both loops of Log. Using Fresh Mint, embroider leaves onto Log using running st for branches and lazy daisy st for leaves. Weave in all ends

BLANKET

NOTE: this patt folls corner to corner crochet method

Using 3mm hook and Blue Twist make 6ch

- Row 1: starting in fourth ch from hook, 3tr, turn. One block of 3ch and 3tr made

- Row 2: 6ch, starting in fourth ch from hook, 3tr, sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp, turn. Two blocks

- Row 3: 6ch, starting in fourth ch from hook, 3tr, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) twice, turn. Three blocks

- Row 4: 6ch, starting in fourth ch from hook, 3tr, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) three times, turn. Four blocks

- Row 5: 6ch, starting in fourth ch from hook, 3tr, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) four times, turn. Five blocks

- Row 6: 6ch, starting in fourth ch from hook, 3tr, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) five times, turn. Six blocks

- Row 7: 6ch, starting in fourth ch from hook, 3tr, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) six times, turn. Seven blocks

- Row 8: sl st in each st to first 3ch sp, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) six times, sl st in 3ch sp, turn. Six blocks

- Row 9: sl st in each st to first 3ch sp, (sl st in 3ch sp,

3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) five times, sl st in 3ch sp, turn. Five blocks

- Row 10: sl st in each st to first 3ch sp, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) four times, sl st in 3ch sp, turn. Four blocks

- Row 11: sl st in each st to first 3ch sp, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) three times, sl st in 3ch sp turn. Three blocks

- Row 12: sl st in each st to first 3ch sp, (sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp) twice, sl st in 3ch sp, turn. Two blocks

- Row 13: sl st in each st to first 3ch sp, sl st in 3ch sp, 3ch, 3tr in 3ch sp. One block
- Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Using Lemon Yellow, embroider running sts along edges of second and sixth rows. Weave in all ends

TOP TIP!

THE BLANKET USES THE CORNER TO CORNER (C2C) CROCHET METHOD.

NOT SURE HOW IT WORKS? SEARCH 'CORNER TO CORNER' AT CRAFTSY.COM



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DESIGNER **EMMA VARNAM**

Fruity brooches

Brighten up your outfits this summer
with our fun crochet projects

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Pink Delight, Hilly Green, Fluffy Cloud, black
- ★ 3.5mm hook
- ★ Safety pin
- ★ Stuffing
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Scissors

Cherry: 2.5cm x 3cm;
Watermelon: 5cm x 9.5cm

CHERRY

CHERRY (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Pink Delight make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
- Rnds 3-6: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 7: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts.

Stuff

- Rnd 8: (dc2tog) to end.

Six sts

Fasten off

LEAF (MAKE 2)

Using 3.5mm hook and Hilly Green make 7ch

- Row 1: 1dc in second ch from hook, 1dc, 2htr, 1dc, (one sl st, 1ch, one sl st) in next ch, turn and work along opposite side of ch as folls: 1dc, 2htr, 2dc, one sl st in turning ch

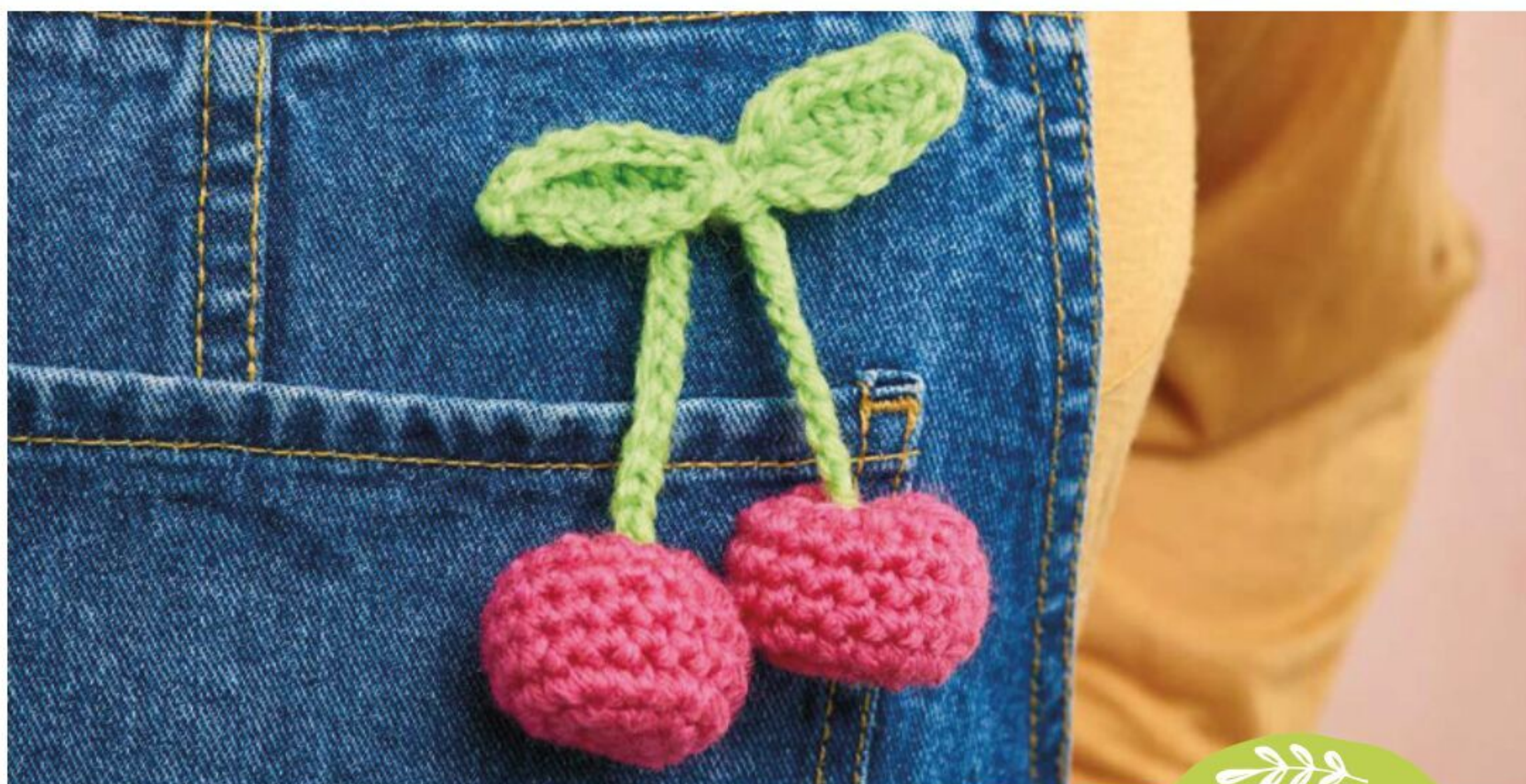
Fasten off

STEM

Using 3.5mm hook and Hilly Green make 24ch
Fasten off

WATERMELON

Using 3.5mm hook and Pink



Delight make a magic ring, work 8dc into ring. Eight sts

- Rnds 1-2: rep Rnds 1-2 of Cherry. 24 sts
- Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 32 sts
- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 40 sts
- Change to Fluffy Cloud
- Rnd 5: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 48 sts
- Change to Hilly Green
- Rnd 6: 1dc in each st to end

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Fold Watermelon circle in half, using tapestry needle and small length of black DK, embroider a few small lines to front. With WS tog, join sides using dc sts. Sew safety pin to back of Watermelon. Sew ends of Stem to centre of Cherry. Sew Leaves to Stem. Attach safety pin to back of Leaves.

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WHY NOT TRY...

Why not also try making an orange slice or grapes too? You'll soon have a whole fruity cocktail to choose from



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DESIGNER **HOBBYCRAFT**

Tapestry cushion

Expand your skills with the tapestry
crochet technique

KIT LIST

★ Yarn: Knitcraft Cotton Blend Plain DK 100g, Light Grey (Yarn A), Hot Pink (Yarn B), Bright Blue (Yarn C), White (Yarn D), Teal (Yarn E), Mustard (Yarn F)
★ Milward Rose Gold Stork Embroidery Scissors ★ Easy Grip Crochet Hook 5mm x 14cm ★ Tapestry needle
★ 40cm x 40cm cushion pad ★ All items available at hobbycraft.co.uk

TENSION SQUARE

★ 16 sts x 19 rows
★ 10cm x 10cm
★ Over pattern
★ 5mm hook

MAKE 2

Using yarn A and 5mm hook
ch 65

□ Row 1: 1dc into 2nd ch from hook, 1dc into each st, turn. (64 sts)

□ Rows 2-8: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarn B

□ Rows 9-14: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarn C

□ Rows 15-16: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarns D and E

NOTE: The cushion is worked in double crochet throughout. Each square on the Charts represents one double crochet stitch in the colour stated

NOTE: For the tapestry crochet technique used for the Charts carry the unused yarn in between your stitches as you go, creating a neat look on the front and back of your work

NOTE: When working from



the Chart, begin each row with a 1ch, work the appropriate row of the Chart, turn

NOTE: When following the chart all odd numbered rows are worked right to left and all even number rows are worked left to right

□ Rows 17-32: Work rows 1-16 of Chart A using tapestry crochet method, changing to yarns F and A on row 9

Change to yarn C

□ Rows 33-34: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarn F

□ Rows 35-38: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarn E

□ Rows 39-40: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarns B and D

□ Rows 41-56: Work rows 1-16 of Chart B using tapestry crochet method, changing to yarns C and E on row 9

Change to yarn A

□ Rows 57-58: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarn B

□ Rows 59-62: 1ch, 1dc into each st, turn

Change to yarns D and F

□ Rows 63-70: work rows 1-8 of Chart C using tapestry crochet method

Change to yarn C

□ Rows 71-76: 1ch, 1dc into each st

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

With RS facing in, sew three edges of the cushion together using mattress st. Turn cushion RS out and insert cushion pad. Sew up the remaining side

DESIGNER LIZ WARD

Benjamin lion

Our *fur*-ocious friend will be the 'mane' attraction

WHIP UP IN
A JIFFY

KIT LIST

- ★ Yarn, DK: Sky Blue, Lawn Green, Sunbeam Yellow
- ★ 4mm hook, two
- ★ 9mm safety toy eyes
- ★ Stitch markers
- ★ Black embroidery thread
- ★ Tapestry needle
- ★ Scissors

Height: 21cm

BODY

Using 4mm hook and Sky Blue make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts

□ Rnds 5-10: 1dc in each st to end

Change to Lawn Green

□ Rnds 11-12: 1dc in each st to end

Change to Sunbeam Yellow

□ Rnd 13: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 14: (dc2tog, 3dc) to end. 24 sts

□ Rnd 15: (dc2tog, 2dc) to end. 18 sts

□ Rnd 16: (dc2tog, 1dc) to end. 12 sts

Stuff

□ Rnd 17: (dc2tog) to end. Six sts

Fasten off

HEAD

Using 4mm hook and Sunbeam Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st)



to end. 18 sts

□ Rnds 3-5: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnd 6: 2htr in each of next six sts, 1dc in each st to end. 24 sts

NOTE: mark next rnd with a st marker

□ Rnd 7: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts

□ Rnd 8: (4dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 36 sts

□ Rnd 9: (11dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 39 sts

□ Rnd 10: (12dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 42 sts

□ Rnds 11-12: 1dc in each st to end

□ Rnds 13-14: working in back loops only 1dc in each st to end

Insert safety eyes on marked rnd approx 12 sts apart

□ Rnd 15: (dc2tog, 12dc) to end. 39 sts

□ Rnd 16: (dc2tog, 11dc) to end. 36 sts

□ Rnd 17: (dc2tog, 4dc) to end. 30 sts

□ Rnds 18-21: rep Rnds 14-17 of Body. Six sts

Fasten off

MANE

Using 4mm hook and Lawn Green rejoin to any front loop of Rnd 13

□ Rnd 1: (7ch, 1dc) to end

Fasten off Lawn Green, join Sky Blue to any front loop of Rnd 14

□ Rnd 2: (10ch, 1dc) to end

Fasten off

LIMB (MAKE 4)

Using 4mm hook and Sky Blue make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

□ Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end

Change to Lawn Green

□ Rnd 4: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Eight sts

□ Rnds 5-6: 1dc in each st to end

Change to Sunbeam Yellow

□ Rnds 7-11: 1dc in each st to end

Fasten off

EAR (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm hook and Sunbeam Yellow make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

□ Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts

Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Sew Head closed and sew to Body. Stuff Legs and sew to Body. Sew Ears to Head. Using black embroidery thread embroider a nose and mouth. Plait a tail and sew to back of Body



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simple enough to conquer
within an afternoon!"*

CORINNE BRADD
EDITOR



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DESIGNER **BRENDA GROBLER**

Starling shawl

Craft a gorgeous cover-up for breezy summertime evenings using shell stitch



KIT LIST

★ Yarn, Nurturing Fibres 210m/25g KidSilk mohair/silk mix, 3 balls in Forged (for a longer poncho, buy 4 balls) ★ 4mm hook
★ Tapestry needle
★ Scissors ★ Tape measure

Size: 160cm x 40cm

NOTE: Work ch1 at the beginning of dc and htr rows. This doesn't count as a stitch

NOTE: Work ch3 at the beginning of tr rows. This counts as a stitch

NOTE: The pattern is worked in multiples of 10 + 1

Using 4mm hook ch 243

□ Row 1: Insert hook in the 4th ch from hook and work 1tr in each ch across, turn. (241sts)

□ Row 2: Ch3, [(1tr, ch1) twice, 1tr] at the base of the ch3, *sk next 3 sts, 1dc in the next st, ch3, sk next st, 1dc in the next st, sk next 3 sts, 1sh in the next st*, rep from * to last 10 sts, sk next 3 sts, 1dc in next st, ch3, sk next st, 1dc in next st, sk next 3 sts, 1 half-sh in the last st, turn

□ Row 3: Ch3, 1tr at the base of the ch3, ch3, 1dc in the first 1chsp (of the half-sh), ch2, *(1dc, ch3, 1dc) in the next 3chsp, ch2, sk next 1chsp (of the sh), 1dc in the next 1chsp, ch3, 3trtog in the next 1chsp, ch3, 1dc in the next 1chsp, ch2*, rep from * to the last sh, ch2, (1dc, ch3, 1dc) in the next 3chsp, ch2, 1dc in the last 1chsp of the half-sh, ch3, 2tr in the last st, turn

□ Row 4: Ch1, 1htr at the



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IN STITCHES

Shell (sh): (tr, ch1) 5 times, 1tr; all in same st/sp as indicated in pattern

Half-shell (half-sh): (tr, ch1) twice, 2tr; all in same st/sp as indicated in pattern

base of the ch1, ch1, 1dc in the first 3chsp, *sk next 2chsp, 1sh in next 3chsp, sk next 2chsp, 1dc in next 3chsp, ch3, 1dc in next 3chsp*, rep from * to 2nd last 3chsp, 1sh in the 3chsp, sk next 2chsp, 1dc in last 3chsp, ch1, 1htr in last tr, turn

□ Row 5: Ch1, 1htr at the base of the ch1, ch1, 1dc in the 1chsp, ch2, *sk next 1chsp (of the sh), 1dc in the next 1chsp, ch3, 3trtog in the next 1chsp, ch3, 1dc in the next 1chsp, ch2, (1dc, ch3, 1dc) in the next 3chsp, ch2*, rep from * across to last sh, sk next 1chsp (of the sh), 1dc

in the next 1chsp, ch3, 3trtog in the next 1chsp, ch3, 1dc in the next 1chsp, sk last 1chsp of sh, ch2, 1dc in the next 1chsp, ch1, 1htr in the last st, turn

□ Row 6: Ch3, 1tr at the base of the ch3, (ch1, 1tr, ch1, 1tr) in the next 1chsp, *sk next 2chsp, 1dc in the next 3chsp, ch3, 1dc in the next 3chsp, sk next 2chsp, 1sh in the next 3chsp*, rep from * to the 3chsp before the last 3trtog, 1dc in the 3chsp before the last 3trtog, ch3, 1dc in the 3chsp after the last 3trtog, (1tr, ch1, 1tr, ch1) in the last 1chsp before the last st, 2tr

in the last st, turn

□ Next rows: Rep row 3-6 another 8 times for a shorter (40cm length) poncho, or another 9 times for a longer (50cm length) poncho

TO MAKE UP

It is essential to block the finished crochet: Pin the piece to measurement (gauge when blocked: 1 pattern repeat = 7cm x 5cm), spray with water and leave to dry. Fold in half widthwise, and sew the top seam together, leaving a 30cm neck opening (or as per personal preference)



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KIT LIST

★ Yarn, DK: Petal, Snow, Mocha ★ 3.75mm hook
★ Safety eyes, 5mm ★ Toy stuffing ★ Tapestry needle
★ Scissors ★ Embroidery thread: black, pink

BODY & HEAD (MAKE 3)

Using 3.75mm hook and Mocha (Snow, Petal) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts

- Rnd 1: 2dc in each st to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 2: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 18 sts
- Rnd 3: (2dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 4: (3dc, 2dc in next st) to end. 30 sts
- Rnds 5-6: 1dc in each st to end

NOTE: colour in brackets preceding instruction indicates which yarn to use

- Rnd 7: (Mocha, [Snow Petal]), 10dc, (Snow [Petal, Mocha]) 10dc, (Mocha [Snow, Petal]) 10dc
- Cont in Mocha (Snow, Petal)
- Rnds 8-9: rep Rnds 5-6
- Rnd 10: (3dc, dc2tog) to end. 24 sts
- Rnd 11: (Mocha [Snow, Petal]) 10dc, (Snow [Petal, Mocha]) 6dc, (Mocha [Snow, Petal]), 8dc
- Cont in Mocha (Snow, Petal)
- Rnds 12-13: rep Rnds 5-6
- Rnd 14: (2dc, dc2tog) to end. 18 sts
- Rnd 15: (Mocha, [Snow Petal]) 9dc, (Snow [Petal, Mocha]) 3dc, (Mocha, [Snow Petal]) 6dc
- Cont in Mocha (Snow, Petal)



- Rnds 16-17: rep Rnds 5-6
- Rnd 18: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. 12 sts
- Rnd 19: 1dc in each st to end
- Rnd 20: 1htr, 2dc, 1htr, 2tr, 1htr, 2dc, 1htr, 2tr
- Stuff, insert safety eyes between Rows 16-17, approx two sts apart
- Fasten off

TAIL (MAKE 3)

- Using 3.75mm hook and Snow (Petal, Mocha) make a magic ring, work 6dc into ring. Six sts
- Rnd 1: (1dc, 2dc in next st) to end. Nine sts
 - Rnds 2-3: 1dc in each st to end

- Rnd 4: (1dc, dc2tog) to end. Six sts
- Change to Mocha (Snow, Petal)
- Rnds 5-14: 1dc in each st to end
- Fasten off

TO MAKE UP

Fold top of Head flat and sl st across top, working through two matching sts at a time. Sew Tail to back of Body. Join to side of Body with a st. Using a length of embroidery thread and a tapestry needle, embroider a nose in pink, and whiskers in black thread



AMIGURUMI MASTERCLASS

Up your amigurumi game with our toymaking tips

Amigurumi is the Japanese form of stitching a small soft toy with anthropomorphic features. The word comes from the Japanese words *ami*, meaning crocheted or knitted, and *nuigurumi*, which refers to a stuffed doll. Thanks to the internet, the craze has taken off worldwide, with a plethora of patterns to be found on websites such as Etsy and Ravelry by users of a variety of nationalities. Amigurumi toys are usually made up of spheres and tubes of various sizes, with the head or part with the face being much larger in proportion to the rest of the body and limbs. Most amigurumi toys are crocheted rather than knitted, as crochet is easier to work in the round.



Get a koala-ty finish, mate!

★ Acrylic yarn is an affordable option for making amigurumi toys or try a good quality cotton yarn.

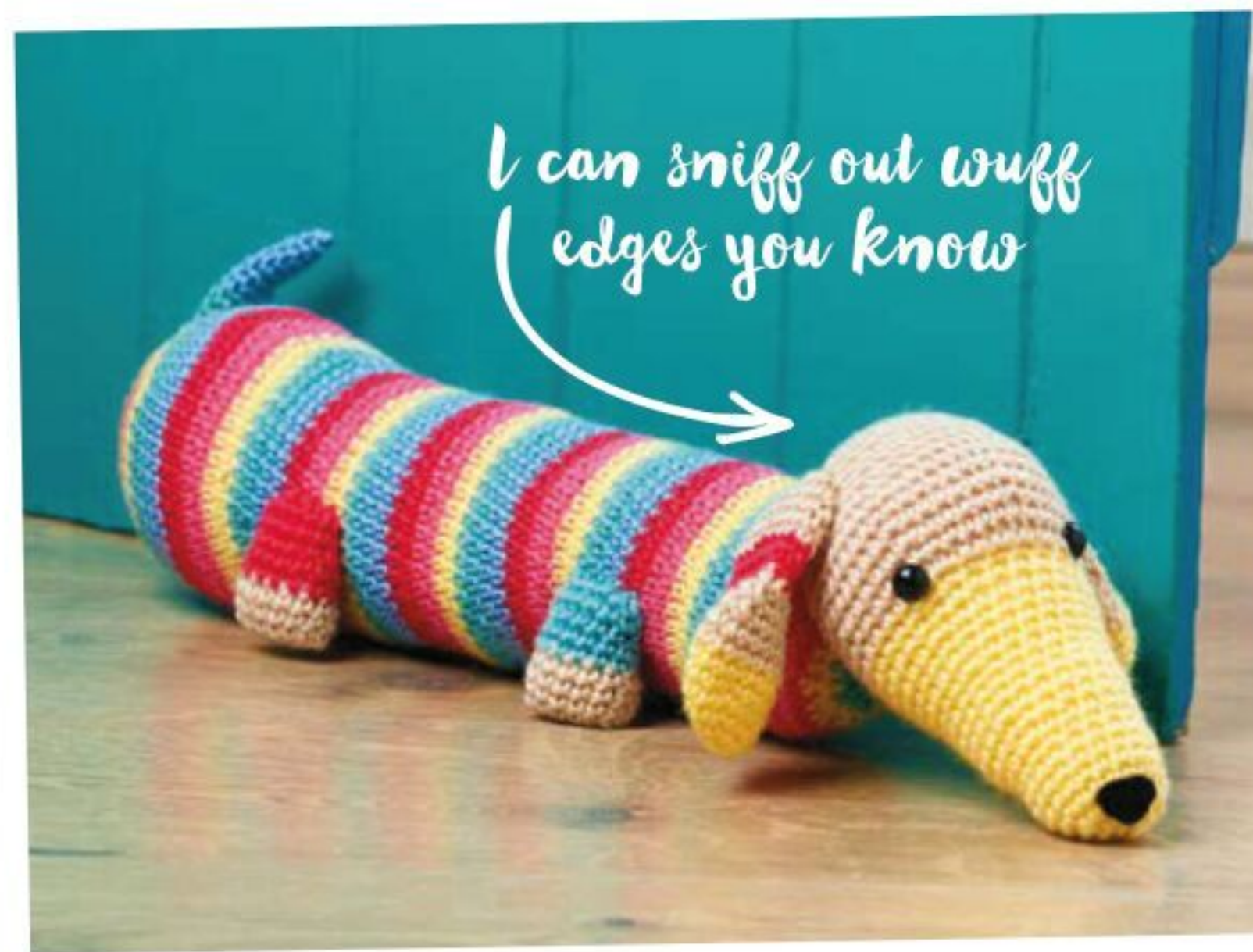
★ It is better to start with too much stuffing rather than too little. You can always pull the surplus out, whilst having too little may leave unwanted lumps. Some crafters like to shape their stuffing to the desired shape before inserting it, but this is up to personal preference.

★ It can be difficult to get each limb stuffed the same, but stuffing each pair simultaneously can help. However, don't spend too much time worrying about it: an uneven arm just adds to a toy's cuteness!

★ Stuff your doll firmly as this will help it keep its shape. When working on small things like arms it's a good idea to stuff as you are going along, this keeps the working area open and makes it easier to see your stitches.

★ Use a pencil to help push the stuffing into any tricky corners.

★ If you are stitching a toy for a young child, embroider the eyes instead of using safety eyes. Likewise, if you would like to attach felt it is



better to use a needle and thread to sew it on for a young baby, rather than using tacky glue. Just keep your felt pieces small and attach them to a flat part of the toy for easy stitching.

★ Amigurumi patterns are forgiving so if you are one or two stitches off your stitch count at the end of the round, it won't show that much when you've finished your doll. Plus, you can always correct your count on the next round

★ Try to keep your stitches consistently neat and tight so you create a firm fabric that the stuffing won't show through

★ Locking stitch markers will come in handy if you find keeping track of the number of stitches tricky.



ATTACHING PARTS

Once you've made the individual parts of the toy, now comes the fun part: putting it all together! Either embroider eyes after stuffing

or if inserting toy safety eyes, do so before sewing up.

1 Firmly stuff head and body. Pin pieces into place before sewing

2 Tuck one tail of yarn into the piece and thread the other onto a tapestry needle

3 Use this to sew the pieces together, inserting the needle under one stitch on the body and out of the stitch above on the head

4 Go back on yourself for one stitch to make a knot, bring the tail through the entire piece, pull tight and cut the thread. It will then spring back into the piece and be hidden



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HOW TO CROCHET

Essential tips and techniques for all your crochet projects



HOLDING THE YARN

There are many ways of tensioning the yarn in crochet, and this is one



Step 1: make a slip knot (see opposite page) on the hook. Take the yarn between your ring and little finger



Step 2: wrap the yarn around your little finger and take it between your index and middle finger



Step 3: bring the yarn in front of your index finger to tension it, and grip the work with your thumb and middle finger

FOUNDATION CHAIN

This forms the base of most crochet projects and will get you used to the movement



Step 1: make a slip knot (see opposite) and place it on the hook – don't pull it too tight



Step 2: tensioning the yarn, wrap the yarn around the hook from back to front (yoh)



Step 3: pull the hook through the slip knot, catching the yarn. You will have one loop on your hook. This is one chain stitch (ch). Repeat Steps 2 and 3 to make more chain stitches – do not count the loop on your hook as a stitch

SLIP STITCH (SL ST / SS)

This is a travelling stitch that can be used for shaping. It is also useful for joining in yarn



Step 1: insert hook into stitch or chain and wrap the yarn around the hook



Step 2: pull yarn through stitch and through loop that is already on your hook



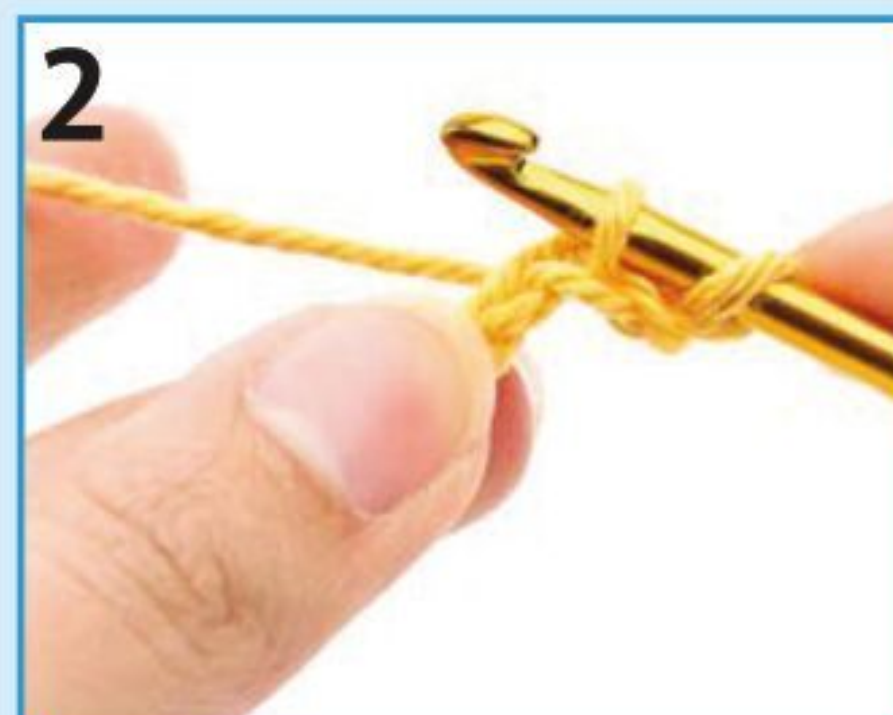
Slip stitch edge

DOUBLE CROCHET (DC)

This is one of the easiest stitches to work and is used a lot in making crochet toys



Step 1: insert hook into stitch or chain and wrap the yarn around the hook



Step 2: pull yarn through stitch, so you have two loops on your hook



Step 3: yoh and pull through both loops

HOW TO HOLD YOUR HOOK

The two basic ways of holding a crochet hook are in the knife or pencil position. If neither is comfortable for you, feel free to find a way that suits you and your style of crocheting – just make sure your tension stays even. To do this, use your opposite

hand to hold your yarn. Wrap the yarn around your index finger and hold your work between your middle finger and thumb, just beneath the crochet hook. You can then hold the hook as if you were going to write a sentence with a pencil, as if you'll cut up your dinner with a knife, or something completely different

PENCIL



KNIFE



SUBSTITUTING YARN

If you're making a garment or big project that requires a specific tension and plan on using different yarns, it's best to choose one with a similar tension to the specified yarn, going

by the details given on the ball band. Also, look at the meterage of the new yarn, rather than the weight of the ball. Not all 50g balls have the same meterage and you don't want to run short when nearing the end of your project

HALF TREBLE (HTR)

This is a slightly taller stitch than double crochet



Step 1: yoh, then insert hook into stitch



Step 2: yoh, then pull yarn through stitch so there are three loops



Step 3: yoh and pull through all three loops

TREBLE (TR)

An even taller stitch, this creates a slightly openwork fabric



Step 1: work as for steps 1-2 of a half treble stitch



Step 2: yoh and pull it through first two loops only



Step 3: yoh and pull it through last two loops on your hook

DOUBLE TREBLE (DTR)

This long stitch is worked in a similar way to a treble



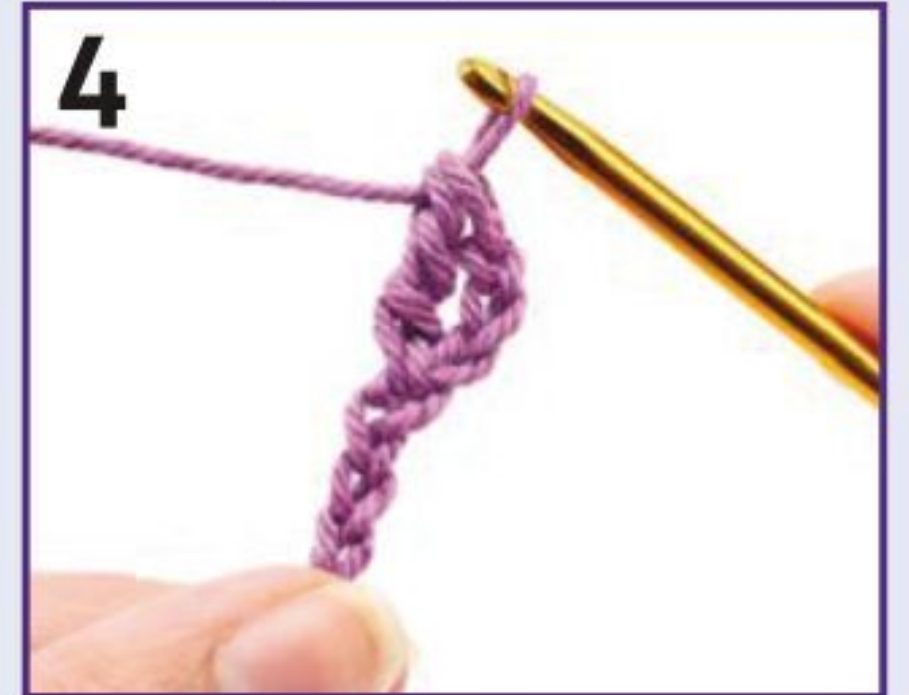
Step 1: yoh twice, then insert hook into stitch



Step 2: yoh, then pull yarn through stitch so there are four loops on your hook



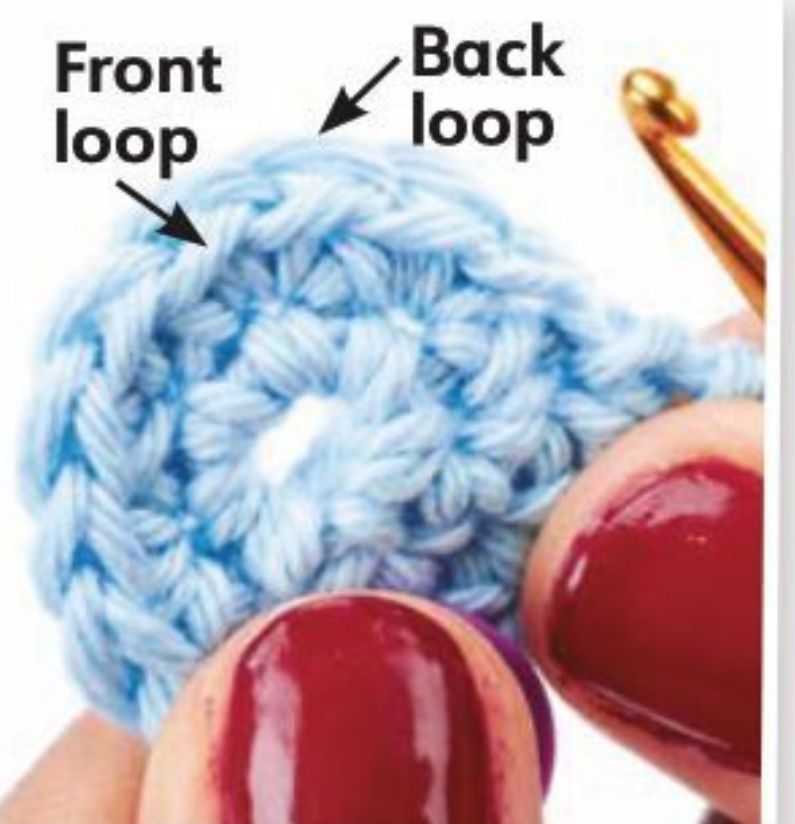
Step 3: work as for Step 2 of treble



Step 4: work as for Step 3 of treble

FRONT & BACK LOOPS

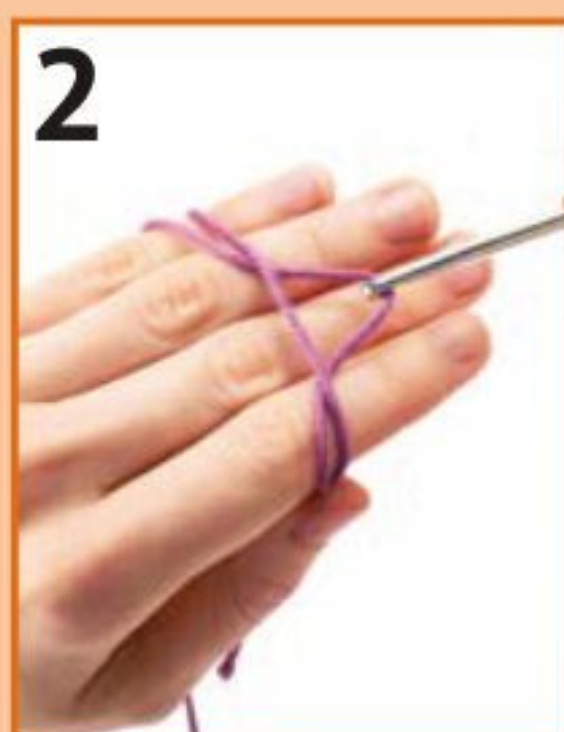
Unless otherwise stated you will be working through both loops that form the 'V' at the top of the stitch from the previous round. However, you can alter the shape of your crochet by working into just one of these loops



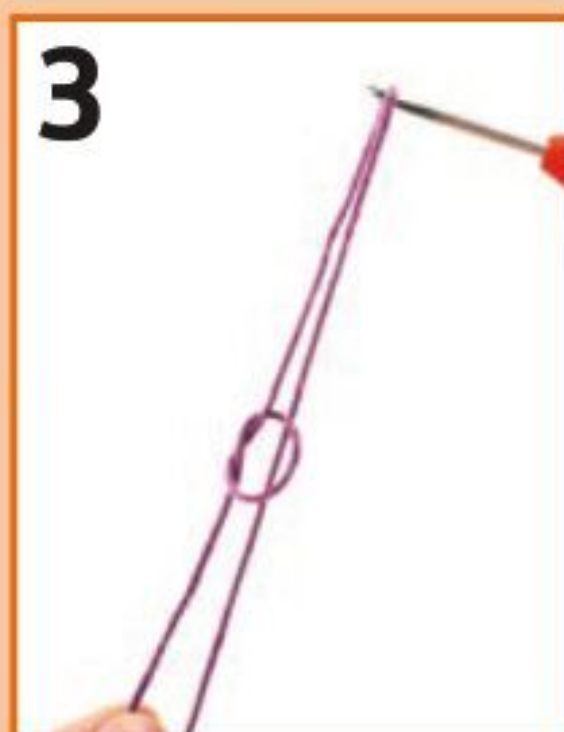
SLIP KNOT

Create a starting stitch on your hook by making a slip knot

Step 1: Leaving a 10cm tail, wrap yarn twice around left hand so second loop crosses over first and lays closer to knuckles. With hook facing down, go under first loop and over second



Step 2: Catch second strand with hook and pull it under first



Step 3: Keeping new stitch on hook, slip loop from left hand

Step 4: Pull gently to tighten slip knot around hook

FASTENING OFF

To finish your work, simply cut the yarn leaving a tail, wrap the yarn around the hook, then pull it all the way through the loop

CHAINS AND SLIP STITCHES



Step 1: If you want a circle with a hole in the centre, work a number of chain stitches, then work a slip stitch in the first chain to make a ring



Step 1: Another method is to make two chain stitches, then work into the second chain several times to form the first round of your ring



Step 2: Work into the centre of the ring on your next round, then on all following rounds, work into the top of the stitch as normal



Step 2: This leaves a small hole in the centre, which can be sewn closed, if you wish



INCREASING

The easiest way of increasing is to work several times into the same stitch. This method can be used whether you are working in rows or in the round, or using any stitch. You will need to do this to make the diameter of your circular crochet bigger

DC2TOG

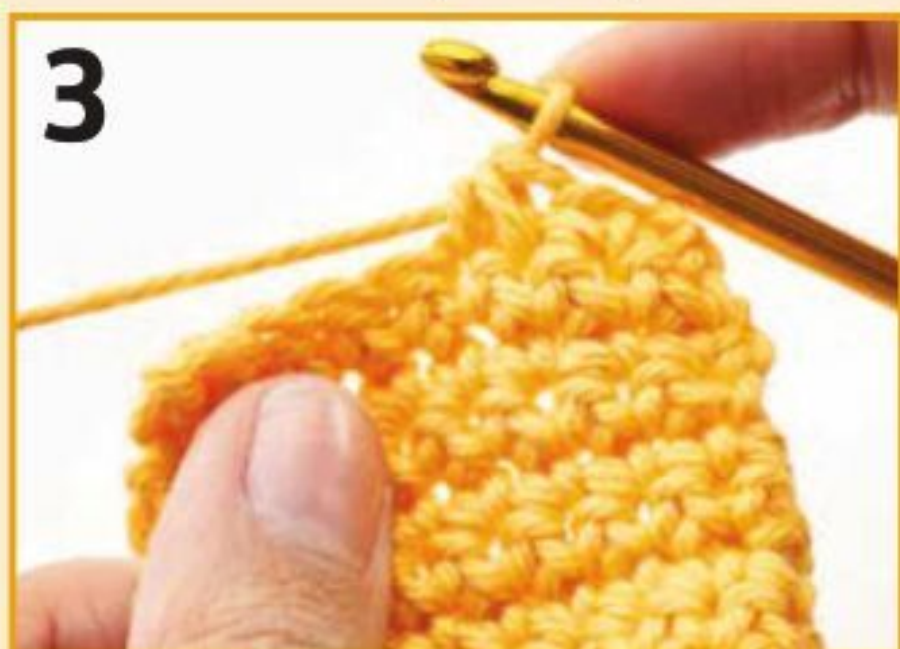
This is one of the easiest stitches to work and is used a lot in making crochet toys



Step 1: insert the hook into the next st, yoh and pull the loop through the stitch as for a normal dc



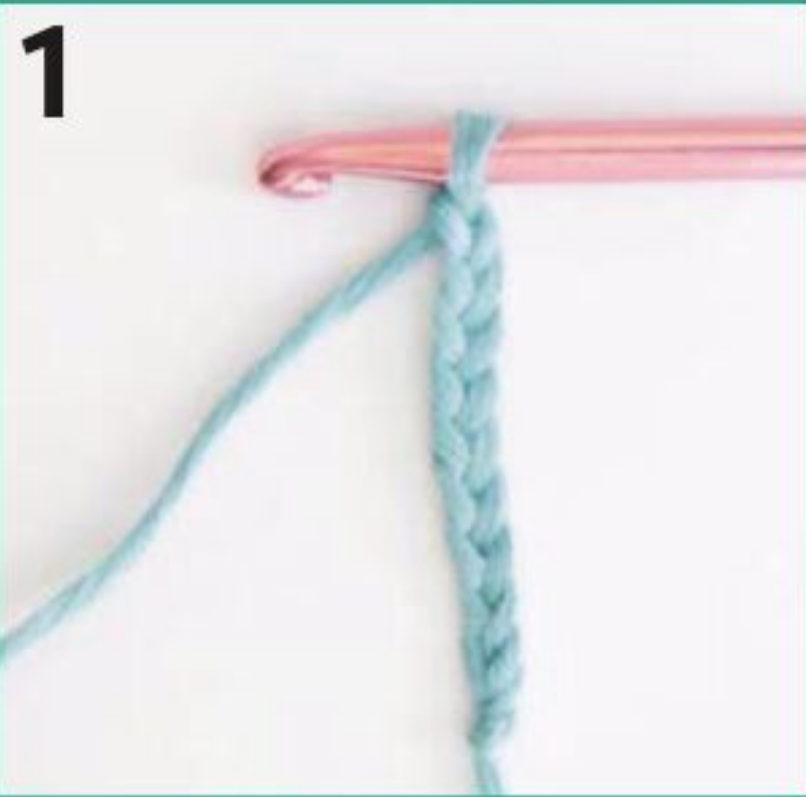
Step 2: instead of completing the dc, insert your hook into the next stitch in your row or round, yoh and pull the loop through the stitch, so you have three loops on your hook



Step 3: yoh, then pull through all the loops on the hook. For a dc3tog, work Step 2 twice, so you have four loops on your hook

COUNTING. ONE. TWO. THREE...

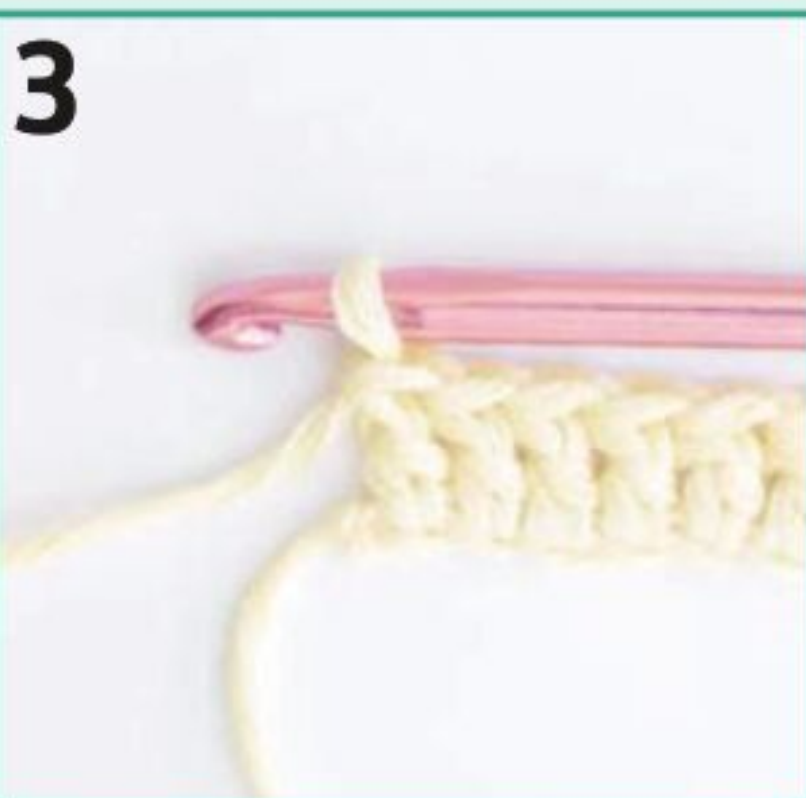
For neat projects be sure to count, count, count!



Step 1: Whether you're counting chains or stitches, always remember the first slip knot doesn't count and neither does your working loop (the one on your hook)



Step 2: When counting short stitches (e.g. double crochet), the easiest way is to count the plaited 'V' shapes at the top



Step 3: For taller stitches like trebles, the best way is to count the upright 'stems' – there is one for each stitch you make

YARN VS HOOK

Yarn Type	Hook Size
Lace	1.6-2.2mm
4ply	2.25-3.5mm
DK	3.5-5.5mm
Aran	5.5-6.5mm
Chunky	6.5-9mm
Super Chunky	9mm+

TOP TIP!

USE A MIRROR TO REVERSE THE HOW-TO STITCH PICS FOR LEFT-HANDED CROCHETING

HTR2TOG

To combine two stitches with a half treble, follow this guide



Step 1: yoh, insert the hook into the next st, yoh and pull the loop through the stitch



Step 2: repeat Step 1 in the next stitch, so you have five loops on your hook



Step 3: yoh, then pull through all the loops on the hook

JOINING IN A NEW COLOUR

The neatest way to join a new yarn is during the last movement of the previous stitch, like in this double crochet stitch



Step 1: insert the hook into the next stitch, yoh and pull the loop through the stitch – two loops on hook



Step 2: using the new colour, yoh and pull through both loops. Pull yarn tails to tighten loops if needed

TR2TOG

Join two stitches from the previous row or round with this treble technique



Step 1: start working as for a normal treble crochet stitch, but stop when you have two loops left on your hook



Step 2: yoh, insert the hook into the next st, yoh and pull the loop through the stitch so you have four loops on the hook



Step 3: yoh, pull through the first two loops on the hook, so three loops remain



Step 4: yoh, then pull through all the loops on the hook

2 tr cl: two treble cluster – (Yrh and insert hook in sp or st, yrh and pull yarn through work, yrh and pull yarn through first two loops on hook) twice in same st. Three loops now on hook. Yrh and pull yarn through all three loops on hook to complete

alt: alternate

approx: approximately

Bb: work the stitch into the back bump of the foundation chain

beg: beginning

begtr2tog: beginning treble two together – 2ch (counts as start of tr2tog) one loop on hook. Yoh, insert through next st, yoh, pull through all loops on hook

bet: between

BLO: back loop only

ch: chain stitch

ch sp/chsp: chain space

cont: continue(ing)

dc: double crochet

dc2tog: double crochet two together

dec: decrease(ing)

dtr: double treble crochet

edc: elongated double crochet – Insert hook in st two rounds below current round, yrh, pull yarn up level to current round, yrh, pull through both loops on hook to complete edc

FLO: Front loop only

fol/folls: following

fpdc: front post double crochet – Yoh, insert hook from front to back around post of st indicated, yoh and pull up a loop even with loop on hook. Three loops on hook. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice

fptr: front post treble – Yoh, insert hook around post of st from front right to front left, yoh, pull through under st. Three loops on hook. (Yoh and pull through two loops) twice

htr: half treble crochet

inc: increase(ing)

invisible dc2tog: invisible double crochet together – Insert your hook into the front loop of the first stitch, then the front loop of the second stitch, yoh, pull through the first two loops on your hook, yoh, pull through the remaining two loops

l-tr: linked treble – Insert hook in horizontal bar on previous tr, yoh, pull through bar, insert hook in next st, yoh, pull through st. Three loops on hook. (Yoh, pull through two loops on hook) twice. For the first l-tr after 3ch, insert hook in second ch from hook, yoh, pull through ch, insert hook in next st, yoh, pull through st. Three

loops on hook. (Yoh, pull through two loops on hook) twice

meas: measure(s)

patt: pattern

picot: 3ch, one sl st in first ch

pm: place marker

prev: previous

rem: remain(ing)

rep/rpt: repeat(ing)

rm: remove marker

rnd(s): round(s)

RS: right side

sk: skip

sl st/ss: slip stitch

sm: slip marker

sp(s): space(s)

st(s): stitch(es)

tog: together

tr: treble crochet

tr2tog between sts: treble two together between stitches – Yoh, insert hook into sp, yoh, pull up loop. Three loops on hook. Yoh, pull through two loops. Two loops on hook. Yoh, insert hook into same sp, yoh, pull up loop. Four loops on hook. Yoh, pull through two loops. Three loops on hook. Yoh, pull through all loops on hook

tr3tog: treble three together – Yoh, insert hook into next st, yoh, pull yarn through st. Three loops on hook. Yoh, pull yarn through first two loops. Two loops on hook. Yoh, insert hook into next st, yoh, pull yarn through st. Four loops on hook. Yoh, pull yarn through first two loops. Three loops on hook. Yoh, insert hook into next st, yoh, pull yarn through st, yoh, pull yarn through first two loops. Four loops on hook. Yoh, pull yarn through all loops on hook

trtr: triple treble – made in the same way as a double treble, except the yarn must be wrapped around the hook three (rather than two) times to start – with one loop on the hook, yoh three times. Insert hook into next st. Yoh, pull yarn through st. You should now have five loops on hook. Yoh, pull yarn through two loops. Yoh, pull yarn through two loops. Yoh, pull yarn through two loops. Yoh, pull yarn through last two loops

WS: wrong side

yoh: yarn over hook

yrh: yarn round hook

* repeat instructions following the asterisk as many times as stated

()[] work instructions inside the brackets as many times as instructed

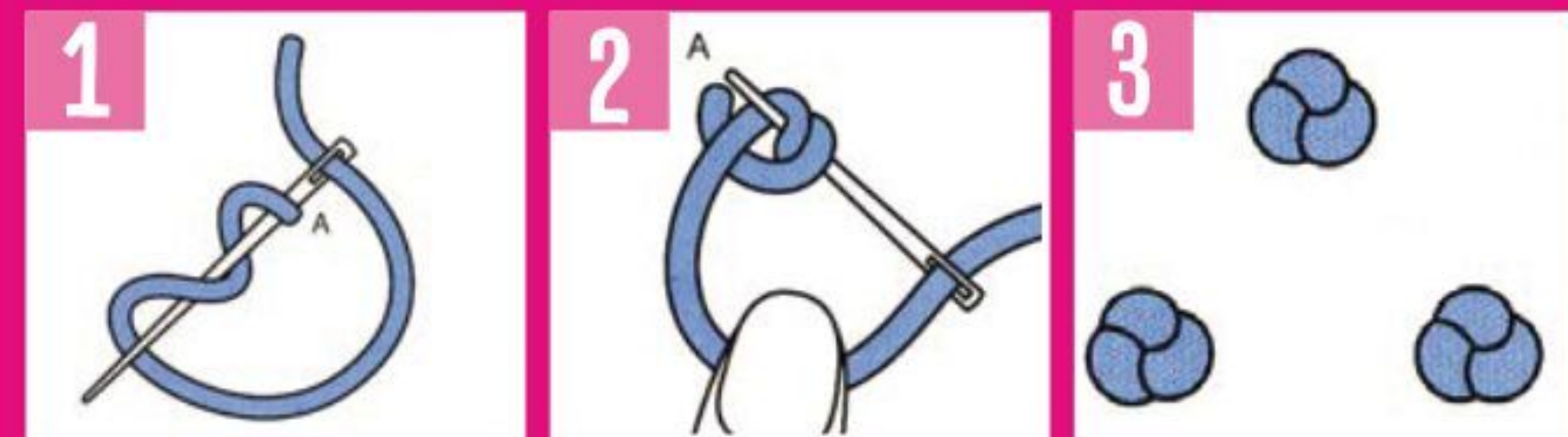
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A close-up photograph showing a gold-colored crochet hook pulling a purple yarn loop through a mesh of purple yarn. The hook is positioned at the top of the frame, and the yarn is being pulled through a series of loops that form a triangular mesh pattern. The background is white.

1 French knots can be spaced out or worked together in a cluster. Bring the needle up through the fabric at the desired position of the knot, then hold the thread taut between your finger and thumb

2 Take the needle under the thread and wrap it around three times. While holding the thread taut, take the needle through the starting place and pull to the back

3 Once you have a small knot on the surface, take the needle back up through the fabric at the position of the next knot and repeat the process



When working in the round, you usually have a turning chain and close the round with a slip stitch. However, most amigurumi designs are worked in a spiral, so there is no need to work a turning chain or a closing slip stitch



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