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MEASUREMENTS AND MATERIALS

Height - approx	18 46	in cm
JAROL MINI SAVER DK green (Mid Green 686) rust (Hair 678) pink (Faces 677) black (Black 638) dark green (Forest Green 685) grey (Mushroom 688) blue (Light Blue 645) white (Snowdrop 631)	2 2 1 1 1 1 1 1	25g balls
1 pair size 4 mm (UK 8 - USA 6) knitting needles or the size of needles to give correct tension. 2 small pieces of black and white felt. 2 buttons. Fabric glue. Washable toy filling.		



IMPORTANT

These yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Jarol cannot accept responsibility for the finished item if any yarn other than the recommended yarn is used.

TENSION

22 sts and 28 rows to 4 in or 10 cm measured over stocking stitch on size 4 mm needles or the size of needles to give correct tension.

It is important to check your tension before commencing the item, therefore knit a tension square.

If there are less sts or rows to 4 in or 10 cm than stated, change to thinner needles.

If there are more sts or rows to 4 in or 10 cm than stated, change to thicker needles.

ABBREVIATIONS

Cm = centimetres; in = inches;

inc = increase; dec = decrease;
K = knit; P = purl; rep = repeat;
st(s) = stitch(es); stst = stocking
stitch (1 row knit, 1 row purl); tog
= together; cont = continue; rem
= remain(ing); yb = yarn back;
garter stitch = every row K; alt =
alternate; yfwd = yarn forward.

LEGS (2)

Using black, cast on 22 sts.

Next Row: Inc in every st to end.
- 44 sts.

Work 6 rows in garter stitch.

Next Row: P.

Starting with a K row work 6 rows stst.

Next Row: (K2, K2tog) 11 times.
- 33 sts.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K1, K2tog, (K2, K2tog) 7 times, K2tog. - 24 sts.

Starting with a P row work 11 rows stst.

Break black, join in white and cont in stst for a further 20 rows.

Break yarn, leave sts on a length of yarn for first leg, do not break yarn for 2nd leg.

BODY AND HEAD

Cont in white and with right side facing K across stitches of both legs. - 48 sts.

Cont in stst for 2½ in or 6 cm ending with a P row.

Work 4 rows in K1, P1 rib.

Join in blue.

Next Row: K in blue.

Next Row: P in blue.

Next Row: (K2 blue, 2 white) 12 times.

Next Row: (P2 white, 2 blue) 12 times.

Rep last 4 rows 5 times more then first 2 rows again.

Shape Shoulders

Next row: In blue, K2, (K2tog) 10 times, K4, (K2tog) 10 times, K2. - 28 sts.

In blue P 1 row.

Shape Head

Break blue and white, join on pink and cont straight in stst for a further 20 rows.

Inc Row: K7, (inc in each of next 3 sts), K8, (inc in each of next 3 sts), K7. - 34 sts.

Work a further 15 rows stst.

Next row: K2tog all across. - 17 sts.

Break yarn, thread through sts draw up and fasten off securely. Join leg and foot seams, then centre back and head seam leaving an opening to insert filling. Insert filling making sure there is sufficient filling for the legs and body to hold their shape. Close opening.

Using two lengths of grey tie into a bow on each foot to form laces.

RIGHT ARM AND HAND

Using white, cast on 10 sts and starting with a K row, work in stst as follows:-

1st Row: In white inc in first st, join in blue, K1 blue, (2 white, 1 blue) twice, 1 white, inc in last st in white.

2nd Row: (P1 blue, 2 white) 4 times.

3rd Row: In blue, inc in first st , K to last st, inc in last st.

4th Row: In blue P.

5th Row: In white, inc in first st, (K2 white, 1 blue) 4 times, in white inc into last st.

6th Row: (P2 white, 1 blue) 5 times, 1 white.

7th and 8th Rows: As 3rd and 4th.

9th Row: In white, inc in first st, K1 white, (1 blue, 2 white) 5 times, in white inc in last st.

10th Row: P1 white, (1 blue, 2 white) 6 times, 1 blue.

11th and 12th Rows: As 3rd and 4th.

13th Row: In white, inc in first st, (K1 blue, 2 white) 6 times, 1 blue, 1 white, in white inc in last st.

14th Row: (P1 blue, 2 white) 8 times. - 24 sts.

Keeping colour pattern correct work 18 rows straight. Break white and blue, join in pink. K1 row. P1 row.**

Shape Hand

K18, turn and leave rem 6 sts on a length of yarn. P1 row.

First Finger: K12 ,*** inc in next st, K4, inc in next st, turn.

Work 5 rows stst on last 8 sts.

Next Row: (K2tog) 4 times.

Break yarn, thread through rem sts draw up and fasten off.

Second Finger: With wrong side facing rejoin yarn to rem 12 sts. P across 6 sts, turn and work as for 1st finger from ***.

Third Finger: With wrong side facing rejoin yarn to rem 6 sts and work as for other fingers.

Thumb

Next Row: With right side facing rejoin pink to rem 6 sts left on length of yarn at beg.

Inc in first st, K4, inc in last st. P1 row, K1 row, P1 row.

Next Row: (K2tog) 4 times.

Break yarn draw up and fasten off securely.

Sew fingers, thumb and arm seam leaving an opening between base of thumb and

fingers for the palm gusset, and an opening to insert filling. Insert filling and close opening.

PALM GUSSET (2)

Using pink, cast on 3 sts.

Next row: Inc in first st, K1, inc in last st.

Next row: P.

Next Row: Inc in first st, K3, inc in last st.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: Inc in first st, K5, inc in last st.

Next Row: P.

Cast off.

Sew cast off edge of gusset to base of fingers and the remainder to base of thumb and arm seam.

LEFT ARM AND HAND

Work as for Right Arm and Hand to **.

Shape hand

Break pink, slip first 6 sts onto a length of yarn, rejoin pink and K18.

Now work on these 18 sts as follows:- P 1 row.

First Finger:

Next Row: Inc in first st, K4, inc in next st, turn.

Work 5 rows on these 8 sts.

Next Row: (K2tog) 4 times.

Break yarn and thread through rem sts and fasten off.

Work other 2 fingers as first.

Thumb

Work as for Thumb of Right Hand.

Sew up as for Right Arm and Hand then sew Arms to Body.

NOSE

Using pink, cast on 20 sts and starting with a K row work 4 rows stst.

Next row: K8, (K2tog) twice, K8.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K7, (K2tog) twice, K7.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K6, (K2tog) twice, K6. - 14 sts.

Work 6 rows stst.

Break yarn, thread through rem sts, draw up and fasten off securely.

Join seam, insert filling and sew to face.

EARS (2)

Using pink, cast on 8 sts and work in stst starting K inc 1 st at each end of first and foll alt row. - 12 sts.

P1 row.

Cont in stst dec 1 st at each end of every K row until there are 8 sts.

P1 row.

Cast off.

Fold wrong sides tog and join seam. Sew in position.

HAIR

Cut a piece of card 5in x 3in or 13 cm x 8 cm and wind black yarn around it, leaving enough to sew to head. Slide hair off card, tie tightly through one end of loops, cut other end. Sew tied end to centre of head and spread hair around head. Trim as in photograph.

Using black embroider mouth in position. Cut circles from black and white felt and glue to face to form eyes as shown in photograph.

HAT

Using dark green, cast on 50 sts.

1st Row: K2, (P2, K2) to end.

2nd Row: P2, (K2, P2) to end.

Rep last 2 rows until work measures 3½ in or 9cm.

Next Row: K2tog all across.

Break yarn, thread through sts, draw up and fasten off securely. Join seam.

Make a small pom-pom and sew to top of hat.

Turn up brim and sew hat in position on head.

TROUSERS

Right Leg

Using rust, cast on 36 sts and starting with a K row, work 30



rows in stst.

Shape as follows:-

Next Row: K8, inc in each of next 2 sts, K26.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K9, inc in each of next 2 sts, K27.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K10, inc in each of next 2 sts, K28.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K11, inc in each of next 2 sts, K29.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K12, inc in each of next 2 sts, K30. - 46 sts.

Next Row: P.

Break yarn and leave sts on a length of yarn.

Left Leg

Work as for Right Leg reversing shapings, but do not break yarn at end.

Join Legs as follows:-

With right side facing, K across sts of left leg, then K across sts of right leg. - 92 sts.

Cont straight in stst for 1 in or 3cm ending with a P row.

Next Row: K30, (K2tog) twice, K24, (K2tog) twice, K30.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K29, (K2tog) twice, K22, (K2tog) twice, K29.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K28, (K2tog) twice,

K20, (K2tog) twice, K28.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K27, (K2tog) twice, K18, (K2tog) twice, K27.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K26, (K2tog) twice, K16, (K2tog) twice, K26. - 72 sts.

Next Row: P.

Work 4 rows K1, P1 rib.

Cast off loosely in rib.

Patches

Using grey, cast on 12 sts and work 16 rows in garter st. Cast off.

Using black, cast on 10 sts and work 12 rows in garter st. Cast off.

Join leg and back seam. Sew on Patches. Cut 2 lengths of grey and tie around waist as in photograph.

JACKET

Back

Using green, cast on 45 sts and starting with a K row work 6 in or 15 cm in stst ending with a P row. Cast off.

Right Front

Using green, cast on 20 sts and starting with a K row work 2½ in or 6 cm in stst ending with a P row.

Shape neck as follows:-

Next Row: K2tog, K to end. P1 row.

K1 row.

P1 row.

Rep last 4 rows until 14 sts rem.

P1 row.

Cast off.

Left Front

Work as for Right Front reversing all shapings.

Sleeves

Using green, cast on 30 sts and starting with a K row work in stst for 2½ in or 6 cm.

Cast off.

Join shoulder seams, set in sleeves, join side and sleeve seams. Sew on buttons as shown in photograph.

SCARF

Using grey, cast on 14 sts.

1st Row: Slip 1, (K1, slip 1) to last st, K1.

2nd Row: Slip 1 purlwise, (yb, K1, yfwd, slip 1 purlwise), to last st, yb, K1.

Rep 2nd row until work measures 9 in or 23 cm.

Cast off by slipping every alt st onto a spare needle and cast off by knitting tog the sts from each needle and casting off in the usual manner.

Knot lengths of yarn through ends of scarf to form a fringe and tie around neck.



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