



From magical forest Owl leg warmers

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This pattern includes:

- step by step instructions in American terminology
- step by step photo-tutorial

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Material for warmers

Yarn weight: Sport 5 ply / (12 wpi)
eg, **Kacenka by Nitarna Ceska Trebova**

Yardage: 164 yards (150 meters) per 50g ball

I used a **hook 3 mm**

You will need about 66 g

Colors:

pink 3324, bright pink 3454 , turquoise 5744, green 6124

Material for owl applique

Yarn weight: 100% cotton Fingering / 4 ply
eg, **Camilla by Madame Tricote Paris** (14 wpi)

Yardage: 134 yards/ 123 meters per 50g ball

I used a **hook 2,5mm**

You will need quite small amount of this colors:

0000 white, 5329 green, 5308 turquoise, 5046 pink, 5054 bright pink, 5060 purple, 5307 orange
(for embellishment of warmers)

Abbreviations used:

Chain (CH)

Slip stitch (Sl St)

Single crochet (SC)

Half double crochet (HDC)

Double crochet (DC)

Relief single crochet

Other materials: tiny buttons, black spangles, thin embroidery cotton

Size of the warmers: The instruction are written for warmers sized 4-6 years (it depends on the size (perimeter of the leg, and of use of wearing, if it will be wearied on pants or leggings) Height of warmers is 19 cm (7,5 inches) and perimeter is 26 cm (10,2 inches)

Instruction:

Beginning begin with light pink color: 60 CH, join with 1 SlSt

Round 1: continue in circle rounds; 1 CH, 60 C, join with 1 SlSt



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Round 2: 3 CH as a 1st DC, 1 DC in very first stitch, (skip 2 stitches, 1 CH, crochet 2 DC in one stitch) repeat until the end of the round, join with 1 SSt – we have 20 spaces



Round 3: 3 CH as a 1st DC, work in every space from previous round 2 DC, 1 CH – repeat until the end of the round, join with 1 SSt.

Round 4 - 19: Repeat round 2 and 3 until round 19.

Changes of colors:

Beginning and round 1: light pink

Round 2 - 5: bright pink

Round 6: turquoise

Round 7 – 10: green

Round 11 - 12: bright pink

Round 13 – 15: light pink

Round 16: green

Round 17 - 23: turquoise



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Edge: you will still crochet with turquoise color yarn

Round 20: crochet 1 CH, 2 SC, 1 SC in space, 2 SC, 1 SC in space – repeat all round, join with 1 SSt – you will have 60 stitches



Round 21 – 23: 1 CH, 60 SC, join with 1 SSt
End the work. Fasten free threads.

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Upper ruffle:

Tip

Relief front single crochet is made by wrapping the yarn over the hook, taking the hook from the front and from the right to left round the stitch to be worked and then completing the single stitch normally as always.

Round 1: crochet with orange color yarn, make front relief single crochet – work in first row of edge (round 20), as you see on the picture below, join with 1 SSt, end the work.



Round 2: 1 SC, skip 2 stitches, 5 DC in one stitch – repeat all round – join with 1 SSt with 1st DC, end the work.

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Lower edge:

Round 1: work with orange color yarn, crochet 1 SlSt, skip one stitch, make 3 CH – repeat it to the end of the round, join with 1 SlSt, end the work.



Embroider lower edge with easy embroidery stitches or crosses – following your imagination. In upper edge pull the chain (needed length) by using needle with a blunt-tip.



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Owl applique

Beginning: work with bright pink color and make 8 CH

Row 1: first 3 CH as a 1st DC, 5 DC, turn the work



Row 2: 3 CH as a 1st DC, 1 DC in very first stitch (marked with yellow dot), 4 DC, turn the work



Row 3: 3 CH as a 1st DC, 1 DC in very first stitch, 1 DC, 2 DC in one stitch, 1 DC, 2 DC in one stitch, turn the work.



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Row 4: 3 CH as a 1st DC, 1 DC in very first stitch, 5 DC, 2 DC in one stitch, turn the work



Row 5: 1 CH, 1 HDC, 4 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, turn the work



Row 6: continue with turquoise color; begin in the stitch, noticed with yellow dot.
Crochet 10 SC, 5 times 2 DC in one stitch, 10 SC, turn the work



Row 7: 1 CH, 10 SC, 1 HDC, 2 DC in one stitch, 5 DC, 2 DC in one stitch, 1 HDC, 10 SC, end the work.



Row 8: begin in the stitch, marked by yellow dot – work 2 SC, 1 HDC, 3 times 2 DC in one stitch, 1 HDC, 1 S1St, end the work.

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Wing: work with purple color: 2 SC, 1 HDC, 3 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 S1St – repeat on the other side same way. Follow arrows direction.



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Leg: work with green color: 4 CH, 1 S1St in same stitch, 6 CH, 1 S1St in same stitch, 4 CH, 1 S1St, end the work. Make other leg with the same way.



Eye: work with white color, make a eye 2 times.

Beginning: 4 CH, join with S1St with 1st CH to make a circle

Round 1: 3 CH a 1st DC, 8 DC, join with 1 S1St with first DC and end the work.

Ears:

With brown thin embroidery cotton make a ears (see picture below, please)

1.



2.





3.



4.



Finishing: tie the ears (you could do it as the knots or as a loop), embroider the bill, and sew the eyes on the head and add black spangles. Embroider the contours; embellish the owl with tiny buttons following your imagination and sew the owl on one warmer and you have finished it ☺



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