



Cat

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This pattern includes:

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

If you have any problems with this pattern - I'm not a native English speaker as I'm sure you were noticed it :-), please don't hesitate to e-mail me:

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Material:

Yarn weight: Sport / 5 ply (12 wpi) 100% cotton
e.g. Catania Solids by Schachenmayr SMC

Yardage: 136 yards (124 meters)

Unit weight: 50 grams (1.76 ounces)

Gauge: 26.0 sts = 4 inches

You will need small amount of these colors:

Colors:

105 beige, 205 green, 219 light green

222 light pink, 256 raspberry

Abbreviations used:

Chain (**CH**)

Slip stitch (**SIS**)

Single crochet (**SC**)

Half double crochet (**HDC**)

Double crochet (**DC**)

Hook: 3 mm

Other material:

needle with blunt tip, common needle, thin sewing thread - brown, tiny flowers buttons average 9mm, two black buttons average 1 cm, flower buttons average 1,5 – 2 cm

Size of finished application: height 15 x width 9 cm

Instruction:

Begin with crocheting of the head, use beige color yarn, hook 3 mm.

Beginning: 19 CH

Row 1: insert a hook in fourth stitch from the hook (first 3 CH will be first DC) and make 15 DC (you will have 16 DC), turn the work.



Row 2 - 3: 3 CH as a first DC, 1 DC in next 15 stitches from previous round, turn the work (16 DC)





Row 4: 1 CH, skip first stitch, 1 HDC, 1 DC in next 11 stitches, 1 HDC in next stitch, 1 S1St in next stitch, don't turn the work



Row 5: 1 CH, make one round of SC, make 2 SC in the upper corner stitches – marked by blue dots), join with 1 S1St, end the work.



Ears:

make one ear in 3 stitches at the right edge and one ear in the 3 stitches at left edge: 3 CH as a 1 DC, 1 DC in next 2 stitches – don't finish these stitches, they will stay on the hook and then crochet them together, 1 CH, end the work. Insert hook in next stitch of inner edge of the ear and make 4 CH, use raspberry color yarn, join with 1 CH of the ear and end the work. Repeat it on the other side again.



Eyes

work with light green color yarn, hook 3 mm. Make two pieces.

Beginning: 4 CH, join with 1 SlSt and form a ring

Row 1: 3 CH as a 1st DC, 8 DC (9 DC), join first DC with 1 SlSt, end the work.



Cheeks:

work with light pink color yarn, hook 3 mm. Make two pieces.

Beginning: 5 CH

Row 1: insert a hook in second stitch from the hook and make 1 SC, 1 DC in next 2 stitches, 1 SC in next stitch, join first CH from beginning (like a circle round) with 1 SlSt, end the work



Body:

Beginning: use beige color yarn, hook 3 mm and make 16 CH

Row 1: insert a hook in second stitch from the hook and make 15 SC, don't turn the work



Row 2: 1 CH, 1 SC in next 9 stitches, 1 HDC in next stitch, 1 DC in next 4 DC, 7 DC in last stitch, continue in circle direction 1 DC in next 4 DC, 1 HDC in next stitch, 1 SC in next 9 stitches (34 stitches) 1 CH for turning the work, turn



Row 3: 1 SC in next 9 stitches, 1 HDC in next stitch, 1 DC in next 3 stitches, 8 times 2 DC in one stitch, 1 DC in next 3 stitches, 1 HDC in next stitch, 1 SC in every 10 stitches (44 stitches); 1 CH for turning the work, turn.



Row 4: Don't turn the work. Insert a hook in 9th stitch from the beginning and make 1 SC in next 9 stitches, two times 2 SC in one stitch, 1 SC in next 4 stitches, 2 times 2 SC in one stitch, 1 SC in next 9 stitches, 1 SlSt, end the work (31 stitches).



End of the head:

Neaten free threads. Sew the eyes on the head, then sew the black buttons. Embroider the eyes, use brown thin embroidery cotton or common thread. Use light pink color yarn and sew the muzzle and mouth using basic embroidery stitches.



Use raspberry color yarn and sew mouth. Use apple green color yarn and sew eyes edge. Sew cheeks visibly – using raspberry color yarn. Sew brown flower button on the head.



Legs: crochet with beige yarn, make two pieces

Beginning: 15 CH

Row 1: insert a hook in fourth stitch from the hook (first 3 CH will be first DC) and make 5 DC, 1 HDC, 4 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC (you will have 13 stitches), end the work. Neaten free thread and sew the legs turn on the body. Sew small flowers buttons (size 9 mm) as the paws.





Tail: Crochet with beige color yarn.

Beginning: 28 CH

Round 1: insert a hook in second stitch from the hook and make 27 S1St. End the work.
The tail begin twist a little bit. Sew it to the body in two spots.



Sew one flower button (average 1,5 cm) on the body and your new cat appliqué is finished – congratulation :-)



♥ Enjoy the crocheting ♥