

Gumnut Crochet

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**Wardrobe – Shell Stitch Dress – Designed to fit
Gumnut Crochet Koala and Gumnut Crochet Doll**



Materials Used

- 4 ply cotton yarn x 50 gram – main colour
- 4 ply cotton yarn small quantity - contrast
- Size 3.25 mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch marker x 1
- Buttons

Skill Level

- Intermediate
- A beginner who has access to google and u-tube, should be able to complete this project with some research into any stitches or steps which are unfamiliar

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Gauge

- Gauge is critical to this project if making the piece to match the dolls designed by Gumnut Crochet.
- Different yarn type and different ply will change size.

Stitches Used – US Terminology

- Sc – single crochet
- Fl – front loops
- Bl – back loops
- Ch – chain
- 2 sc in next sc – sc increase
- 2 hdc in next – hdc increase
- Sc 2 tog- sc decrease
- Sl st – slip stitch
- Hdc – half double crochet
- Sc dec – sc decrease
- Sc inc – sc increase

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Dress – worked from waist up

- Rd 1. Ch 46, ch 1, turn
- Rd2. Sc into ch 1, sc in each of next 44 sc – 45 sc
- Rd3. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc 2 tog) – 36 sc
- Rd4. (Sc in each of next 4 sc, sc 2 tog) – 30 sc
- Rd5. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc 2 tog) – 24 sc
- Rd6. Sc in each sc - 24 sc

Shape for armholes

- Rd7. Sc in each of next 4 sc, ch 8, skip 4 sc, sc in each of next 8 sc, ch 8, skip 4 sc, sc in each of next 4 sc – 32 sc
- Rd8. Sc in each sc – 32 sc

Shell stitch base –

- Rd9. Sl st into first st from R1, (Sc in each of next 4 sc, sc 2 in next sc), join round – 54 sc
- R10-16. (2 hdc, ch 1, 2 hdc, in next sc, skip 1 sc, 4 hdc) - (54)

Fasten off, sew in ends.

Sleeve edge

- R1. Sl st into bottom corner of upper arm, (2hdc, ch 1, 2 hdc into same stitch, skip next sc) – 3 times

Back edge opening

- R1. On right neck edge pick up 1 sc, chain 4 (for first buttonhole), sc back into base sc, pick up 6sc, chain 4 (for second buttonhole), pick up 7 sc. Continuing up left neck edge pick up 12 sc on next side (2 buttonholes on 1 side)

Fasten off, sew in ends – sew on buttons

Headband

- R1. Ch 45, sl st tog being careful not to twist chain



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- R2. Ch 2, hdc in each ch, sl st tog – 45 hdc
- R3. Change to contrast colour, ch 1, sc in each hdc, sl st tog – 45 sc
- R4. In main colour, ch 1, scc in each sc, sl st tog – 45 sc
- R5. In contrast colour, ch 1, sc in each sc, sl st tog – 45 sc
- R6. In main colour, ch 2, hdc in each sc, sl st tog – 45 hdc

Fasten off, weave in ends

Sandals slip on – Make 2

- R1. In main colour - Ch 8, sc in second chain from hook, sc in each

of the next 5 sc, 3 sc in next sc, continuing on opposite side of foundation chain, sc in each of the next 6 sc, 3 sc in next sc – 18 sc

- R2. 2sc in next sc, sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in each of next 3 sc, sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in last 2 sc – 24 sc

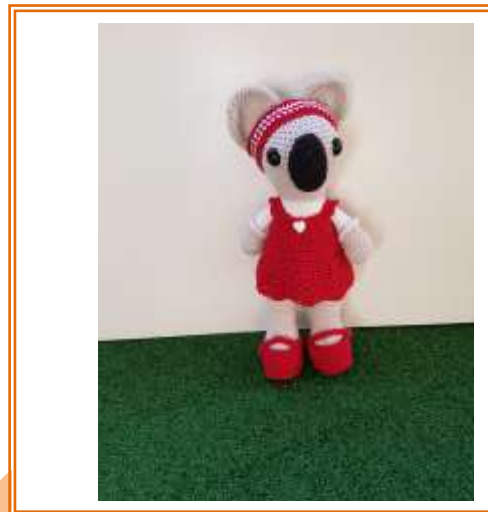
- R3. 2sc in next sc, sc in each of next 7 sc, (2 sc in each of next sc, sc in next sc) x 2, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc – 30 sc

- R4. Sc in each sc – 30 sc

- R5. Sc in back loops – 30 sc

- R6-9. sc in each sc – 30 sc

- R10. In back loops sc in each of next 8 sc, (sc2 tog) x 6, sc in each of next 10 sc – 24 sc



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R11. sc in each of next 7 sc, (sc 2 tog) x 4, sc in each of next 7, sc 2 tog, – 19 sc

Fasten off, weave in ends. Place bow or button on toe or side to decorate

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