

Gumnut Crochet

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Summer Santa



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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- You may use this pattern to sell any items you complete. Please refer to Gumnut Crochet as the designer.

Gauge

- Gauge is not critical to this project.
- Different yarn type and different ply will change size.

Materials Used

- 4 ply cotton yarn small quantity face colour, red, white and black
- Size 3.25 mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- 12 mm safety eyes
- Purchased cord – small piece of white
- Fiberfill
- Stitch marker

Size

- 14 cm in height

Stitches Used – US Terminology

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

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Worked without sewing. First head, body and 1 leg, then second leg, then arms

R1. In head yarn, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook, or magic circle 6 sc – 6sc

R2. 2 sc in each sc – 12 sc

R3. (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 18 sc

R4. (Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 24 sc

R5. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 30 sc

R6-11. Sc in each sc – 30 sc

Place marker at R9 where the eyes will be inserted - best to leave the actual inserting of the eyes until after the first leg is completed.

R12. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc 2 tog) – 24 sc

R13. (Sc in each of next 2 sc, sc 2 tog) – 18 sc

R14. (Sc in next sc, sc 2 tog), sl st to close round for colour change, fasten off head colour – 12 sc

Piece is now worked in stripes and in rows, sl st to close each row, ch 1 to start the next row – 1 row white, 2 rows red

R15. In white, ch 1, sc in same ch space, (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc), sl st to close round for colour change – 18 sc

R16. In red, ch 1, sc in same ch space, in back loops only (Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 24 sc

R17. In red, ch 1, (Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 30 sc

R18. In white, ch 1 (Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 36 sc



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R19. In red, ch 1, (Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 42 sc

Forming Arms

R20. In red, (Skip next 9 sc, sc in 10th sc (arm), sc in each of next 11 sc) x 2 – 24 sc

R21. In white, ch 1, sc in each sc – 24 sc

R22. In red, ch 1, sc in each sc – 24 sc

R23. In black, ch1, sc in same ch space sc in each sc, sl st to close round for colour change, fasten off black – 24 sc

R24. In white, ch 1, sc in same ch space, sc in each sc – 24 sc

R25. In red and back loops, sc in each sc – 24 sc

R26. In red yarn, ch 1, sc in same ch space, sc in each sc – 24 s

Forming First Leg

R27. In white, sc in next 7 sc, insert hook into 12 th st from hook, working back towards starting sc, sc in each of next 4 sc – 12 sc

R28-29. In red, sc in each sc – 12 sc

Sl st to close round in last stitch. Fasten off red and white

R30. In skin colour, sc in each sc - 12 sc

R31. In back loops, sc in each sc – 12 sc

R32. (Sc 2 tog) until piece closed, or weave last 6 sc closed



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Forming Second Leg

R32. In white, sl st into closest stitch next to first leg, ch 1, sc in each sc - 12 sc

R33-34. In red, sc in each sc – 12 sc

Sl st in last stitch to close round. Fasten off red and white

R30. In skin colour, sc in each sc - 12 sc

R31. In back loops, sc in each sc – 12 sc

Fill body and legs, being careful not to stretch stitches

R32. (Sc 2 tog) until piece closed, or weave last 6 sc together until opening closed

Fasten off, weave ends.

Finishing Arms

R1. With skin colour yarn, sl st into any sc from arm opening, ch 1, sc in each sc – 12 sc

R2. (Sc in each of next 2 sc, sc 2 tog) – 9 sc

R3-5. Sc in each sc – 9 sc

Fill arm, being careful not to stretch stitches

R6. (Sc 2 tog) until gap is closed, or weave last few stitches together until closed

Fasten off, weave in ends, repeat for second arm

Nose – in head colour

R1. Ch 2, 4 sc in second chain from hook, or magic circle 4 – 4 sc

R2. (Sc in next, 2 sc in next) – 6 sc

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R3. Sc in each sc – 6 sc

Fasten off, fill lightly, sew to head between eyes.

Embroider Buckle on belt.

Beard in white yarn

R1. Ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook, or magic circle 6 – 6 sc

R2. Sc in each sc - 6 sc

R3. (Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 8 sc

R4. (Sc in each of next 3, sc2 sc in next sc) – 10 sc

R5. (Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc)– 12 sc

R6. (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 18 sc

R7. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 24 sc

R8. Sc in each sc – 24 sc

R9. (Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 30 sc

R10-11. Sc in each sc – 30 sc

Fasten off, leaving long tail, fill lightly, whip stitch edges together, sew to face, weave in ends

Hat

R1. In red yarn, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook, or magic circle 6 – 6 sc

R2. Sc in each sc - 6 sc

R3. (Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 8 sc

R4-5. Sc in each sc – 8 sc

R6. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 10 sc

R7-8. Sc in each sc – 10 sc

R9. (Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 12 sc

R10-12. Sc in each sc – 12 sc

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- R13. (Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 14 sc
- R14-15. Sc in each sc – 14 sc
- R16. (Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 16 sc
- R17. Sc in each sc – 16 sc
- R18. (Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 18 sc
- R19. Sc in each sc - 18 sc
- R20. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 24 sc
- R21. Sc in each sc – 24 sc
- R22. (Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 30 sc
- R22. Sc in each sc – 30 sc
- R23. (Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 36 sc
- R24. Sc in each sc, sl st to close round for colour change – 36 sc
- R25-27. With white, ch 1, sc in each sc – 36 sc

Fasten off, weave in ends

Pompom for hat – in white yarn

- R1. Ch 2, 6 sc in chain or do magic circle with 6 sc – 6 sc
- R2. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next) – 8 sc
- R3. (Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 10 sc
- R4. (Sc in next 3 sc, sc 2 tog) – 8 sc
- R5. (Sc in next 3 sc, sc 2 tog) – 6 sc
- R6. (Sc 2 tog)

Fill lightly, sew to top of hat, weave in ends

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R7. (Sc 2 tog)

Fasten off, leaving long tail, weave in ends, sew to top of hat

Finishing Edges – in white yarn

R1. Sl st into any front loop of R16 and complete 2 sc in each front loop, fasten off – 24 sc

R2. Sl st into any front loop from R25, complete 1 sc in each front loop, work a second row of 1 sc in each sc, fasten off – 24 sc

Weave in ends

Gumnut Shaped Sack – in red yarn

R1. Sc 2, with 6 sc in second chain from hook, or magic circle with 6 sc – 6sc

R2. 2 sc in each sc – 12 sc

R3. (Sc in next 1 sc, 2sc in next sc) – 18 sc

R4. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2sc in next sc) – 24 sc

R5. (Sc in next 3 sc, 2sc in next sc) – 30 sc

R6. (Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 36 sc

R7– 13. Sc in each sc – 36 sc

R14. (Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc tog) – 30 sc

R15. (Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 24 sc

R16. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc tog) – 18 sc

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R17. Sc in each sc, sl st to close round – 18 sc

R18. Ch 2, skip 1 sc, (sc in next sc, skip 1 sc) sl st to close round – (18)

R19. Sc in each sc, sl st to close round – 18 sc

R20. 2 sc in each sc – 36 sc

Fasten off, weave in ends. Weave cord through loops in R18.

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