

Gumnut Crochet

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Easter Doll with Kangaroo Motif



Skill Level

- Intermediate

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Gauge

- Gauge is not critical to this project.
- 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
- Dc – double crochet
- Dc dec – double crochet decrease

Materials Used x 1 doll

- 4 ply cotton yarn small quantity – teal, coral, white, yellow
- Size 2.5 mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Fiberfill
- Stitch marker x 2
- Piece of plastic lid or cardboard
- 18 cm of builders wire for arms and tape to secure ends

Size

- 25 cm in height

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Body – worked in continuous rounds, starting with base

- R1. In teal yarn, magic circle 6, or ch 2, sc 6 in second chain from hook
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. (Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 36 sc
R7. (Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 42 sc
R8. (Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 48 sc
R9. (Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 54 sc
R10. (Sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 60 sc
R11. (Sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc), sl st to close round – 66 sc

Use a stitch marker to mark the beginning of each row. It avoids having to count each multiple as well as each stitch.

Cut a piece of cardboard or plastic lid to fit base

- R12. In back loops only, sc in each sc – 66 sc

Base completed, forming sides of body

- R13. Sc in each sc – 66 sc
R14. (Sc in each of next 20 sc, sc dec) – 63 sc
R15. Sc in each sc – 63 sc
R16. (Sc in each of next 19 sc, sc dec) – 60 sc
R17. Sc in each sc – 60 sc
R18. (Sc in each of next 18 sc, sc dec) – 57 sc
R19. Sc in each sc – 57 sc
R20. (Sc in each of next 17 sc, sc dec) – 54 sc
R21. Sc in each sc – 54 sc
R22. (Sc in each of next 16 sc, sc dec) – 51 sc
R23. Sc in each sc – 51 sc
R24. (Sc in each of next 15 sc, sc dec) – 48 sc
R25. Sc in each sc – 48 sc
R26. (Sc in each of next 14 sc, sc dec) – 45 sc



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- R27. Sc in each sc – 45 sc
R28. (Sc in each of next 13 sc, sc dec) – 42 sc
R29. Sc in each sc – 42 sc
R30. (Sc in each of next 12 sc, sc dec) – 39 sc
R31. Sc in each sc – 39 sc
R32. (Sc in each of next 11 sc, sc dec) – 36 sc
R33. Sc in each sc – 36 sc
R34. (Sc in each of next 10 sc, sc dec) – 33 sc
R35. Sc in each sc – 33 sc
R36. (Sc in each of next 9 sc, sc dec) – 30 sc
R37. Sc in each sc – 30 sc
R38. (Sc in each of next 8 sc, sc dec) – 27 sc
R39. Sc in each sc – 27 sc
R40. (Sc in each of next 7 sc, sc dec) – 24 sc
R41. Sc in each sc – 24 sc
R42. (Sc in each of next 6 sc, sc dec) – 21 sc

Fill lightly

- R43-52. Sc in each sc - 21 sc
R53. (Sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec) – 18 sc
R54. (Sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec) – 15 sc
R55. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec) – 12 sc

Fasten off yarn, weave in ends

Head – in yarn colour

- R56. (Sc in next, 2 sc in next) – 18 sc
R57. (Sc in next, 2 sc in next) – 27 sc
R58. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next) – 36 sc
R59. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next) – 48 sc
R60. (Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next) – 54 sc
R61. (Sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next) – 60 sc
R62-73. Sc in each sc – 60 sc



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- R74. (Sc in each of next 8 sc, sc dec) – 54 sc
R75. (Sc in each of next 7 sc, sc dec) – 48 sc
R76. (Sc in each of next 6 sc, sc dec) – 42 sc
R77. (Sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec) – 36 sc
R78. (Sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec) – 30 sc
R79. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec) – 24 sc
R80. (Sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec) – 18 sc
R81. (Sc in next sc, sc dec) – 12 sc
R82. (Sc 2 tog) – 6 sc

Fill lightly, fasten off, close, gap, weave in ends

- R82. In contrast yarn, sl st into any front loop from R12, sc in each second front loop

Fasten off, weave in ends

Eyes x 2

- R1. In black yarn, magic circle 6, or ch 2, sc 6 in second chain from hook, fasten off yarn – 6 sc
R2. In blue yarn, 2 sc in each sc, fasten off yarn – 12 sc
R3. In white yarn, (sc in next sc, 2 sc in next), fasten off yarn – 18 sc

Weave in ends, sew to head

Nose x 1 – in face yarn

- R1. Magic circle 6, or ch 2, sc 6 in second chain from hook – 6 sc
R2. (2 sc in each sc) – 12 sc
R3. (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 18 sc

- R4-5. Sc in each sc – 18 sc

Fasten off, sew to head, weave in ends

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Ears x 2- in head yarn

- R1. Magic circle 6, or ch 2, sc 6 in second chain from hook – 6 sc
- 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

Fasten off, fold in half, whip stitch edges together, sew to head

Arms x 2 in teal yarn

Prepare 18 cm wire curved at one end and taped securely in wrist region.

- R1. Ch 2, sc 6 in second chain from hook or magic circle 6 – 6 sc
- R2. (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) - 9 sc
- R3-4. Sc in each sc – 9 sc
- R5. (Sc in next sc, 2 sc tog) – 6 sc
- R6-25. Sc in each sc, sl st to close round – 6 sc

Fasten off leaving tail to sew arm to body. No need to fill. Insert wire through body where arms are to be joined.

Curve each end of wire and tape securely. Slide arms onto wire and sew to body.

Jacket x 1 in coral

Right Side x 1

- R1. Ch 2, turn
- R2. Sc in second ch from hook, turn – 1 sc
- R3. Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, turn – 2 sc
- R4. Ch 1, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next – 3 sc
- R5. Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, turn – 4 sc
- R6. Ch 1, sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in last, turn – 5 sc
- R7. Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 4 sc, turn – 6 sc
- R8. Ch 1, sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next, turn – 7 sc
- R9. Ch 1, 2 sc in next, sc in each of next 6 sc – 8 sc

Fasten off, weave in ends

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Back x 1

R1. Ch 15, sc in second ch from hook and each ch to end, turn – 14 sc

R2-9. Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn – 14 sc

Fasten off, weave in ends

Left Side x 1

R1. Ch 2, turn

R2. Sc in second ch from hook, turn – 1 sc

R3. Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, turn – 2 sc

R4. Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc – 3 sc

R5. Ch 1, sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, turn – 4 sc

R6. Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc, turn – 5 sc

R7. Ch 1, sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, turn – 6 sc

R8. Ch 1, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, turn – 7 sc

R9. Ch 1, sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc, turn – 8 sc

Do not fasten off,

Joining pieces

R10. With left side, 2 sc in first sc, sc across left side, sc 14 sc across back, sc across right side to last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn - 30 sc

R11-19. Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn – 30 sc

Sleeve x 2

R1. On sleeve edge (v opening), pick up 18 sc evenly, turn

R2-5. Ch 1, sc in each sc – 18 sc

R6. Ch 1, sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 ch, sc in each of next 9 sc, turn – (18)

R7. Ch 1, sc in each of next 11 sc, 2 sc in ch 2 space, ch 2, 2 sc in ch 2 space, sc in each of next 11 sc (26)

R8. Ch 1, sc in each of next 13 sc, 2 sc in ch 2 space, ch 2, 2 sc in ch 2 space, sc in each of next 13 sc (30)

R9. Ch 1, sc in each of next 15 sc, 2 sc in ch 2 space, ch 2, 2 sc in ch 2 space, sc in each of next 15 sc (34)

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- R10. Ch 1, sc in each of next 17 sc, 2 sc in ch 2 space, ch 2, 2 sc in ch 2 space, sc in each of next 17 sc (38)
R11. Ch 1, sc in each of next 19 sc, 2 sc in ch 2 space, ch 2, 2 sc in ch 2 space, sc in each of next 19 sc (42)
R12. Ch 1, sc in each of next 21 sc, 2 sc in ch 2 space, ch 2, 2 sc in ch 2 space, sc in each of next 21 sc (46)

Fasten off yarn, sew up shoulder seams, weave in ends

- R13. In contrast yarn, sl st into any sc from edge, sc evenly around front and neck edge of jacket, 2 sc in edges.
R14. In contrast yarn, sl st into any sc from sleeve edge, sc around edge. Repeat for both sleeves.

Fasten off, weave in ends. Sew to doll, sew on button.

Hat – in yellow yarn

- R1. Magic circle 6, or ch 2, sc 6 in second chain from hook
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
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R10. (Sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 60 sc
R11. (Sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 66 sc
R12. Sc in each back loop only – 60 sc
R13-18. Sc in each sc – 60 sc
R19. Sc in front loops only – 60 sc
R20. (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next) – 90 sc
R21. (Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next) – 120 sc
R22-24. Sc in each sc, fasten off yarn – 120 sc
R25. In contrast yarn, sc in each sc – 120 sc

Fasten off leaving long tail to sew to body. Decorate as desired. Secure to head

Variation: Change to edge colour for R17.

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Butterfly for hat – in contrast yarn – make as many as you like

- R1. Ch 4, sl st to form a ring
- R2. (Ch 2, 3 dc into ring, ch 2 sl st to ring) x 2
- R3. (Ch 1, 3 dc in to ring, ch 1 sl st to ring) x 2

Wrap yarn around centre several times, sew to hat - contrast yarn can be used for wrap yarn

Kangaroo Motif – in contrast yarn

Ch 70, Sew to body forming head, ears, back and tail

Ch 6, Sew to body forming front legs

Ch 12, sew to body forming front of back leg

Ch 10, sew to body forming tummy

Refer diagram below to see the shape and formation of the kangaroo.

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