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Little Grey Bat

A little bat, made one stitch at a time.

PROJECT
Amigurumi

TERMS
US crochet

FORMAT
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Before you begin

Make your bat with the written instructions and original construction pictures in this pattern.

Read through the materials, stitch terms and finishing steps before you begin. Keep the yarn colours and hook size together so you can follow each section in order.

Small parts need care. For an item intended for a young child, use securely embroidered features and leave off detachable accessories.

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Materials

DK cotton yarn (100% cotton, 25 g / 57.5 m): dark grey (080), pink (065) Crochet hook: 3 mm 6 mm safety eyes. You may need to use smaller/ larger eyes, depending on hook/ yarn size. Yarn needle Black embroidery thread

Piece of thin cardboard Fiberfill for stuffing Scissors

Size with the materials above will be about 9 cm.



Original pattern reference

Abbreviations

Rnd: Round

Mr: Magic ring

Ch: Chain

Sl st: Slip stitch

Sc: single crochet

Dc: Double crochet

Inc: Increase

Dec: Decrease ()*: Repeat till the end of round (): Total number of stitches in the round

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Pattern instructions

Head & Body

Stuff as you go along your work. In dark grey

Rnd 1. MR, 6sc (6)

Rnd 2. (inc)* (12)

Rnd 3. (1sc,inc)* (18)

Rnd 4. (2sc,inc)* (24)

Rnd 5. (3sc,inc)* (30)

Rnd 6. (4sc,inc)* (36)

Rnd 7-9. 36 sc (36)

Rnd 10. (5sc,inc)* (42)

Rnd 11-14. 42 sc (42)

Insert the security eyes between rnd 10 and 11. Embroider the cheeks in pink embroidery thread and nose with black one.

Rnd 15. (5sc,dec)* (36)

Rnd 16. (4sc,dec)* (30)

Rnd 17. (3sc,dec)* (24)

Rnd 18. (2sc,dec)* (18)

Rnd 19. (2sc,inc)* (24)

Rnd 20. 24 sc (24)

Rnd 21. (3sc,inc)* (30)

Rnd 22-24. 30 sc (30)

Rnd 25. (4sc,inc)* (36)

Rnd 26-29. 36 sc (36)

Rnd 30. (5sc,inc)* (42)

Rnd 31. 42 sc (42)

Rnd 32. Through the back loop only (5sc,dec)* (36)

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Finish to stuff. For best stability. Draw a circle about 4 cm in diameter on a piece of thin cardboard. Cut it out and slide it into the opening of rnd 32.

Rnd 33. (2sc,dec)* (27)

Rnd 34. (1sc,dec)* (18)

Rnd 35. (dec)* (9)

Close and fasten off.

Ears (Make 2)

In pink

Rnd 1. MR, 6 sc (6)

Rnd 2. (3sc,sc)* (12)

Rnd 3. sc, (3sc in same stitch, 3sc)x 2, 3sc in same stitch, 2 sc (18)

In dark grey

Rnd 4. 2 sc, (3 sc in same stitch, 5sc)x 2, 3 sc in same stitch, sc 3 (24)

Rnd 5. 3 sc, (3 sc in same stitch, 7sc)x 2, 3 sc in same stitch, 4 sc (30)

Sew the ears in side of the head, between rounds 5 and 12, leaving approx 5 stitches between them.

Wings (Make 2)

In dark grey

Rnd 1. MR, 3 ch, 15 dc, slst into ch space (16)

Rnd 2. 3 ch, dc in same ch space, (dc, dc-inc)x7, dc, slst in ch space (24)

Rnd 3. 3 ch, dc in same ch space, (2 dc, dc-inc)x7, 2dc, slst in ch space (32)

Rnd 4. 3 ch, dc in same ch space, (3 dc, dc-inc)x7, 3dc, slst in ch space (40)

Rnd 5. 3 ch, dc in same ch space, 3ch, 2dc in the same space, (4 dc, dc-inc, 2 ch, dc-inc)x7, 4 dc, slst in ch space (80) Stitch together through the back loops only. Sew the wings to the back of the body.

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