



Ruby the Christmas Monkey

No. 1009-194-7701

Length: 6" (15 cm)

Skill level: Beginner

Crochet hook: B/C-1/2 (2.5 mm)

Materials: Embroidery needle and black yarn, 2 safety eyes (8 mm), filling.

Yarn: Rainbow Cotton 8/4

How much yarn do you need?

1 x White (001)

1 x Almond (089)

1 x Dark Powder Rose (064)

1 x Pastel Pink (042)

A scrap of green for the christmas tree.

Abbreviations:

MR = magic ring

ch = chain

sc = single crochet

sl st = slip stitch

blo = back loop only

[...] = no. of stitches

(...) = no. of rounds

... = repeat

decrease (dec) = work 2 together

increase (inc) = work 2 sc in same stitch

Buy the yarn here:

<http://shop.hobbii.com/ruby-christmas-monkey>

You can find videos of the techniques used in the pattern here:

Magic ring: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BV_S5wfwqOk

Decrease: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p1MHHdZfSvY&t=6s>

Increase: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8qj7ovPSxdY>

Ruby loves christmas and the many cozy moments around the christmas tree. She puts on her finest clothes, takes the banana cake out of the oven and then the party of the year can begin.

Head

In Pastel Pink (042)

R1: 6 sc in a mr [6]

R2: *inc* 6x [12]

R3: *1 sc, inc* 6x [18]

R4: *2 sc, inc* 6x [24]

R5: *3 sc, inc* 6x [30]

R6: *4 sc, inc* 6x [36]

R7: *5 sc, inc* 6x [42]

R8: *6 sc, inc* 6x [48]

R9: *7 sc, inc* 6x [54]

R10-R17: 1 sc in each st (8 rounds) [54]

R18: *7 sc, dec* 6x [48]

R19: *6 sc, dec* 6x [42]

Insert the safety eye between rows 12/13 with 8 sts between the eyes. Fill the head with filling and ongoing while you finish the head.

R20: *5 sc, dec* 6x [36]

R21: *4 sc, dec* 6x [30]

R22: *3 sc, dec* 6x [24]

R23: *2 sc, dec* 6x [18]

Fill the head nice and tightly.

R24: *1 sc, dec* 6x [12]

R25: *dec* 6x [6]

Cut the yarn and pull the thread through the front loops of R25, tighten carefully and weave in the ends.

The snout

In Almond (089)

Make 8 ch and begin in 2nd ch from the hook:

R1: 6 sc, 3 sc in last st, now you continue on the other side of the sts: 5 sc, 2 sc in the last [16]

R2: *inc* 2x, 4 sc, *inc* 3x, 5 sc, inc, 1 sc [22]

R3: 1 sc, inc, 1 sc, inc, 4 sc, inc, 1 sc, inc, 1 sc, inc, 7 sc, inc, 1 sc [28]

R4: 1 sc in all sts [28]

R5: 1 sc in all sts [28]

Cut the yarn. Leave a long thread for sewing.

Place the snout right below the eyes, at the top of R13 and at the bottom of R20. See the picture.

Embroider the mouth and nostrils in black.



Hood

In Dark Powder Rose (064)

R1: 6 sc in a mr [6]

R2: *inc* 6x [12]

R3: *1 sc, inc* 6x [18]

R4: *2 sc, inc* 6x [24]

R5: *3 sc, inc* 6x [30]

R6: *4 sc, inc* 6x [36]

R7: *5 sc, inc* 6x [42]

R8: *6 sc, inc* 6x [48]

R9: *7 sc, inc* 6x [54]

R10-18: 1 sc in all sts (9 rounds) [54]

Cut the yarn and leave a long thread for sewing the hood to the head.

Ear

Make 2 in Dark Powder Rose:

R1: 6 sc in a mr [6]

R2: *inc* 6x [12]

R3: *1 sc, inc* 6x [18]

R4: *2 sc, inc* 6x [24]

R5-9: 1 sc in all sts (5 rounds) [24]

Cut the yarn and leave a long thread for sewing the ears to the head. Don't fill the ears but fold them flat. See the picture.



Body

In Dark Powder Rose (064) and white (001).

Start in Dark Powder Rose:

R1: 6 sc in a mr [6]

R2: *inc* 6x [12]

R3: *1 sc, inc* 6x [18]

R4: *2 sc, inc* 6x [24]
R5: *3 sc, inc* 6x [30]
R6: *4 sc, inc* 6x [36]
R7: *5 sc, inc* 6x [42]
R8-12: 1 sc in all sts (5 rounds) [42]

Switch to white

R13-14: 1 sc in all sts (2 rounds) [42]
R15: *5 v, dec* 6x [36]
R16: 1 sc in all sts [36]
R17: *4 sc, dec* 6x [30]
R18: 1 sc in all sts [30]
R19: *3 sc, dec* 6x [24]
R20: 1 sc in all sts [24]
R21: *2 sc, dec* 6x [18]
R22-23: 1 sc in all sts (2 rounds) [18]

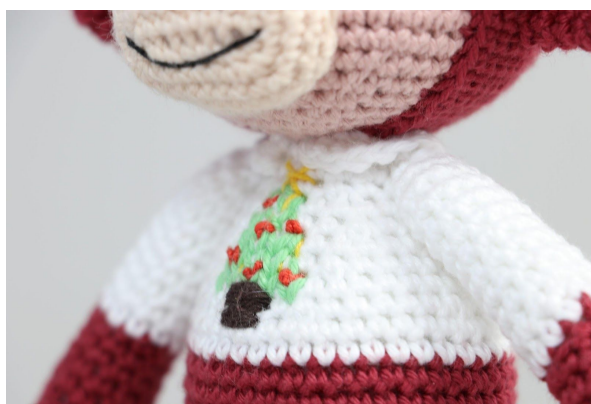
Fill the body nice and tightly, weave in ends.

Embroider a christmas tree on the front of the sweater and sew the head on the body.

Collar

In white

Make 22 ch, start in 2nd ch from the hook and work 21 sc. Cut the yarn and leave a long thread for sewing on the collar exactly between the sweater and the head. See the picture.



Arms

Make 2 in Dark Powder Rose (064) and White (001).

Start with Dark Powder Rose:

R1: 6 sc in a mr [6]

R2: *inc* 6x [12]

R3-5: 1 sc in all sts (3 rounds) [12]

R6: work 1 *bubble stitch**, 11 sc [12]

R7-11: 1 sc in all sts (5 rounds) [12]

Fill the hand with filling and ongoing while you work the arm.

**Bubble stitch = this is the thumb and is worked like this: yo, put through next st and pick up thread, yo and crochet through 2 loops.* Don't finish the dc, but start the next dc by repeating the steps between * *. Make 5 of these unfinished dc. At the end you will have 6 loops on the hook. Yo again and crochet through all 6 loops.*

Switch to white:

R12-21: 1 sc in all sts (10 rounds) [12]

R22: *dec* 6x [6]

Fold the arm flat and work through both loops with 3 sc. Sew the arm to the body in R22.



Legs

Make 2 in Dark Powder Rose (064):

Make 8 ch and begin in the 2nd ch from the hook:

R1: 6 sc, 3 sc in the last. Now continue on the other side of the sts: 5 sc, 2 sc in the last [16]

R2: *inc* 2x, 4 sc, *inc* 3x, 5 sc, inc, 1 sc [22]

R3: 1 sc, inc, 1 sc, inc, 4 sc, inc, 1 sc, inc, 1 sc, inc, 7 sc, inc, 1 sc [28]

R4: 1 sc in blo of all sts [28]

R5-6: 1 sc in all sts (2 rounds) [28]

R7: dec, 8 sc, *dec* 6x, 6 sc [21]

R8: 7 sc, *dec* 5x, 4 sc [16]

R9: 6 sc, dec, 6 sc, dec [14]

R10-14: 1 sc in all sts (5 rounds) [14]

Fill the leg with filling and attach to the body between R1 and R5. See the picture.



Tail

In Dark Powder Rose:

R1: 6 sc in a mr [6]

R2-21: 1 sc in all sts (20 rounds) [6]

Attach the tail to the body in R7.



Enjoy!

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