

how to
make

Lincraft



Crochet Reindeer

#A548

MEASUREMENTS

Height	cm	21
Yarn Required:		
Lincraft DK 8ply	100g balls	
Main Colour (MC - buff)		
		1
1st Colour (C1 - chocolate)		
		1
2nd Colour (C2 - white)		
	small amount	
3rd Colour (C3 - fire red)		
	small amount	

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CROCHET HOOK

A 3.00mm crochet hook or size needed so that no holes appear in stitches through which stuffing may show.

REQUIREMENTS

Wool needle for sewing up.

12mm safety eyes.

Lincraft siliconised stuffing premium soft fill.

A stitch marker (optional).

TENSION

Tension is not important for this project.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

mr = magic ring (alternatively 3ch, sl st into beg ch and dc into ring).

blo = back loop only.

bobble = 4 treble stitches worked together. Yarn over, insert hook into stitch and pull up loop, yarn over and pull through two loops (2 loops left on hook), yarn over, insert hook into same st and pull up loop, yarn over and pull through two loops (3 loops left on hook), yarn over, insert hook into same stitch and pull up loop, yarn over and pull through two loops (4 loops left on hook), yarn over, insert hook into same stitch and pull up loop, yarn over and pull through two loops (5 loops left on hook), yarn over and pull through five remaining loops.

HEAD (worked from nose to back of head in continuous spirals)

Using 3.00mm hook and MC, work 6dc into mr.

1st round: Inc once in each dc ... 12dc.

2nd round: [1dc in next dc, inc in next dc] 6 times ... 18dc.

3rd round: [1dc in next dc, inc in next dc] 9 times ... 27dc.

4th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

5th round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, inc in next dc] 9 times ... 36dc.

6th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 6th round twice.

9th round: [1dc in each of next 5dc, inc in next dc] 6 times ... 42dc.

10th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 10th round twice.

Insert 12mm safety eyes between rounds 11 and 12, approx 7 sts apart.

13th round: [1dc in each of next 6dc, inc in next dc] 6 times ... 48dc.

14th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 14th round 5 times.

20th round: [1dc in each of next 6dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 42dc.

21st round: [1dc in each of next 5dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 36dc.

22nd round: [1dc in each of next 4dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 30dc.

23rd round: [1dc in each of next 3dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 24dc.

Beg to stuff.

24th round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 18dc.

25th round: [1dc in next dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 12dc.

26th round: [1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 6dc.

Fasten off. Complete stuffing. Using the tail of yarn, sew in and out around the last few decs and gently pull hole closed.



BODY (worked from bottom of body to neck in continuous spirals)

Using 3.00mm hook and MC, work 6dc into mr.

1st round: Inc once in each dc ... 12dc.

2nd round: [1dc in next dc, inc in next dc] 6 times ... 18dc.

3rd round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, inc in next dc] 6 times ... 24dc.

4th round: [1dc in each of next 3dc, inc in next dc] 6 times ... 30dc.

5th round: [1dc in each of next 4dc, inc in next dc] 6 times ... 36dc.

6th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 6th round 6 times.

13th round: [1dc in each of next 4dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 30dc.

14th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 14th round 3 times.

18th round: [1dc in each of next 3dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 24dc.

19th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 19th round 3 times.

23rd round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 18dc.

24th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Fasten off. Stuff. Leave long tail for sewing.

LEGS (make 4 – worked in continuous spirals)

Using 3.00mm hook and C1, work 6dc into mr.

1st round: Inc once in each dc ... 12dc.

2nd round: Inc once in each dc ... 24dc.

3rd round: Worked in blo. 1dc in each dc to end.

4th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

5th round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 6 times ... 18dc.

6th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Change to MC.

7th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 7th round once.

9th round: [1dc in each of next 7dc, 1dc over next 2dc] twice ... 16dc.

10th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 10th round once.

Beg to stuff. Cont to stuff as you go.

12th round: [1dc in each of next 6dc, 1dc over next

2dc] twice ... 14dc.

13th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 13th round once.

15th round: [1dc in each of next 5dc, 1dc over next 2dc] twice ... 12dc.

16th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 16th round once.

18th round: [1dc in each of next 4dc, 1dc over next 2dc] twice ... 10dc.

19th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 19th round twice.

Fasten off leaving long tail for sewing. Complete stuffing. Don't overstuff end.

EARS (make 2 – worked in continuous spirals)

Using 3.00mm hook and MC, work 6dc into mr.

1st round: [1dc in next dc, inc in next dc] 3 times ... 9dc.

2nd round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, inc in next dc] 3 times ... 12dc.

3rd round: 1dc in each dc to end.

4th round: [1dc in each of next 3dc, inc in next dc] 3 times ... 15dc.

5th round: 1dc in each dc to end.

6th round: [1dc in each of next 3dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 3 times ... 12dc.

Fasten off leaving long tail for sewing.

NOSE (worked in continuous spirals)

Using 3.00mm hook and C3, work 6dc into mr.

1st round: [1dc in next dc, inc in next dc] 3 times ... 9dc.

2nd round: 1dc in each dc to end.

3rd round: [1dc in next dc, 1dc over next 2dc] 3 times ... 6dc.

Stuff gently.

Fasten off leaving long tail for sewing.

ANTLERS (make 2 – worked in continuous spirals)

Using 3.00mm hook and C2, work 6dc into mr.

1st round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 1st round once.

3rd round: 1dc in each of next 2dc, bobble in next dc, 1dc in each of next 3dc ... 6 sts.

4th round: 1dc in each st to end ... 6dc.



5th round: 1dc in each dc to end.
Fasten off leaving long tail for sewing.
Gently push bobble out. Stuff gently.

TAIL (worked in continuous spirals)

Using 3.00mm hook and MC, work 6dc into mr.

1st round: [1dc in next dc, inc in next dc] 3 times ...
9dc.

2nd round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, inc in next dc] 3
times ... 12dc.

3rd round: 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep 3rd round twice.

6th round: [1dc in each of next 2dc, 1dc over next
2dc] 3 times ... 9dc.

7th round: 1dc in each dc to end.
Fasten off leaving long tail for sewing.

FINISHING

Pinning before sewing is highly recommended.

Sew Nose to front of Head approx 6 rounds down from eyes. Sew Antlers between rounds 17 and 18, approx 6 sts apart. Face bobble inwards. Flatten Ears and sew bottom closed. Pinch in sides at base of Ear and sew to top of Head on outer sides of Antlers between rounds 17 and 18. Sew Head to neck of Body in desired position. Add extra stuffing before sewing closed. Flatten ends of Legs and sew closed. Sew 2 Legs to round 6 of Body, approx 4 sts apart. Sew 2 Legs to round 22 of Body, approx 3 sts apart. Flatten end of Tail and sew closed. Sew centrally to bottom rear of Body between rounds 7 and 8.
Sew in all ends.

