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#### CARON **CROCHET BEAR FEET SLIPPER SOCKS |** CROCHET



MATERIALS

<b>Caron<sup>®</sup> Simply Soft<sup>®</sup></b> (6 oz/170.1 g; 315 yds/288 m)						
Sizes	2/4	<b>6/8</b>	L5/6	L7/8	Men's	
Orchid (39717) or						
Robins Egg (39780) or						
Taupe (39783)	1	1	2	2	2	ball(s)
Size U.S. 7 (4.5 mm) ci	rochet	t hook	or size	needeo	d to obta	ain gauge

Stitch markers. 3 yds (2.7 m) of black yarn for embroidery.

## **ABBREVIATIONS:**

**Approx** = Approximate(ly) **Beg** = Begin(ning) Ch(s) = Chain(s)**Dc** = Double crochet **Hdc** = Half double crochet **Rem** = Remaining **Rep** = Repeat

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s) **RS** = Right side **Sc** = Single crochet **SI st** = Slip stitch **Sp(s)** = Space(s) **St(s)** = Stitch(es) **Tog** = Together

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#### SIZES **Finished Foot Length**

Child 2/4 years	6" [15 cm]
Child 6/8 years	7½" [19 cm]
Lady's Size 5/6	9½" [24 cm]
Lady's Size 7/8	10½" [26.5 cm]
Men's	11½" [28 cm]

# GAUGE

14 sc and 15 rows = 4" [10 cm].

# **INSTRUCTIONS**

### Beg at toe, ch **5** (**5**-**7**-**7**-**8**).

**1st rnd**: 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each of next 2 (2-4-4-5) ch. 3 sc in last ch. Working into opposite side of chain, 1 sc in each of next 2 (2-4-4-5) ch. 2 sc in last ch. Join with sl st to first sc. 10 (10-14-14-16) sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 3 (3-5-5-6) sc. 3 sc in next sc, placing marker on center sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 (4-6-6-7) sc. 3 sc in next sc, placing marker on center sc. Join with sl st to first sc. 14 (14-18-18-20) sc.

3rd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. (1 sc in each sc to next marked sc. 3 sc in marked sc) twice. 1 sc in each sc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to first sc. 18 (18-22-22-24) sc.

Rep last rnd 2 (3-3-4-4) times more. 26 (30-34-38-40) sc. Place marker at end of last rnd

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Next rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. Rep last rnd until Sock from marked rnd measures  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ -51/2- 61/2 -7)" [9 (11.5-14-16.5-18)] cm. Fasten off.

Fold sock flat and place markers on each side sc, noting ends of rnds (joining sc) are at bottom of sock.

Note: Heel will be worked when remainder of Sock is complete. Heel opening is created with length of chain worked in next rnd.

Make heel opening and top of Sock:

**1st rnd**: With RS of top of Sock facing, rejoin yarn with sl st at side sc. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp. 1 sc in each of next 12 (14-16-18-19) sc. Ch 15 (17-19-21-24) loosely. Skip next 13 (15-17-19-20) sc. Join with sl st to first sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 12 (14-16-18-19) sc. 1 sc in each of next 15 (17-19-21-24) ch. Join with sl st to first sc. 28 (32-36-40-44) sc for top of sock.

3rd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

Rep last rnd until work from heel chain measures 2 (21/2-21/2-3-3)" [**5** (**6**-**6**-**7.5**-**7.5**) cm].

Next rnd: Ch 1. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 9 (11-13-15-16) sc. (Sc2tog) twice. 1 sc in each of next 11 (13-15-17-20) sc. Sc2tog. Join with sl st to first st. 24 (28-32-36-40) sc.

Next rnd: Ch 1. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 7 (9-11-13-14) sc. (Sc2toq) twice. 1 sc in each of next 9 (11-13-15-18) sc. Sc2toq. Join with sl st to first st. 20 (24-28-32-36) sc.

Cuff: 1st rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. \*Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from \* to last sc. Ch 1. Skip last sc. Join with sl st to first sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. \*Working around ch-1, 1 dc in next skipped sc 1 rnd below. 1 hdc in next sc. Rep from \* to last ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next skipped sc 1 rnd below. Join with sl st to first hdc.

3rd rnd: Ch 2. 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. \*1 dcfp around post of next st. 1 hdc in next hdc. Rep from \* to last st. 1 dcfp around

post of last st. Join with sl st to first hdc.

Rep last rnd until Cuff measures 1 (1-1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-2)" [2.5 (2.5-3-3-5) cm].

Heel: 1st rnd: With RS of bottom of Sock facing, rejoin yarn with sl st to 8th (9th-10th-11th-13th) rem loop of chain. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 5 (5-6-8-8) ch. 1 sc in each of next 13 (15-17-19-20) sc. 1 sc in each of last 7 (8-9-10-12) ch. Join with sl st to first sc. 28 (32-36-40-**44**) sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 4 (5-6-7-8) sc. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. Place marker on last sc for side. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 9 (11-13-15-17) sc. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. Place marker on last sc for side. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of last 4 (5-6-7-8) sc. Join with sl st to first sc. 24 (28-32-36-40) sc.

3rd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around (keeping markers in place). Join with sl st to first sc.

**4th rnd**: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. (1 sc in each sc until 2 sc before next marked sc. Sc2tog. 1 sc in marked side sc. Sc2tog) twice. 1 sc in each sc to end of

rnd. Join with sl st to first sc. Rep last 2 rnds once more. 16 (20-24-28-32) sc.

**Next rnd**: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. (1 sc in each sc until 2 sc before next marked sc. Sc2tog. 1 sc in marked side sc. Sc2tog) twice. 1 sc in each sc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to first sc. Rep last rnd 2 (2-3-4-5) times more. 4 (8-8-8-8) sc. Break yarn leaving an end 24" [61 cm] long. Turn Sock inside out and fold flat. Place rem sts tog and using yarn end, sew Heel sts tog. Fasten off.

**Ears:** Ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring.

Ch 1. (1 sc. 1 hdc. 8 dc. 1 hdc. 1 sc) all in ring. Fasten off. Arrange sts into a half circle. Sew to Sock as shown in photo.

With black yarn, embroider face as as shown in photo using satin stitch and straight stitch.

