



Little Lamb Hangers

Crochet these precious little hangers to pamper a little prince or princess (or to please a new doting mommy). The clever use of “pretty berry” stitches gives the little lambs their furry coat.

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Directions are for baby sized hanger.

Finished measurements: 11¾" x 4".

RED HEART® Soft Baby Steps: 1 skein each 9600 White **A**, 9800 Baby Blue (for boy) or 9700 Baby Pink (for girl) **B**.

Crochet Hook: 4mm [US G-6] and 5.5mm [US I-9].
Small child's hanger, yarn needle, fiberfill, 2-7/16" buttons
La Mode® 2064, ¼" ribbon, glue gun and glue stick.

GAUGE: 8 sts = 4"; 8 rows = 4" in pattern. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge

Special Stitch

Pretty Berry (PBS):

Insert hook in next st, yo and pull up a loop, ch 2, yo and pull through both loops on hook. **Note:** Be certain to keep all berries pushed to right side of work.

BODY

Row 1: With larger hook and **A**, ch 11 and PBS in 2nd ch from hook. Sc in next ch, alternate PBS and sc across, ch 1—10 sts.

Row 2: PBS in each sc and sc in each PBS across; ch 1 and turn—10 sts.

Row 3: Work (PBS, sc) in first sc (increase made); PBS in each sc and sc in each PBS across to last 2 sts; (sc, PBS) in next st (increase made); sc in last sc; ch 1 and turn—12 sts.

Row 4: Repeat Row 2—12 sts.

Row 5: Repeat Row 3—14 sts.

Row 6: Repeat Row 2—14 sts.

Row 7: Repeat Row 3—16 sts.

Rows 8-12: Repeat Row 2—16 sts.

Row 13: Repeat Row 3—18 sts.

Rows 14-16: Repeat Row 2—18 sts.

Row 17: Repeat Row 3—20 sts.

Rows 18-20: Repeat Row 2—20 sts.

Row 21: Repeat Row 3—22 sts.

Rows 22-24: Repeat Rows 2—22 sts.

Row 25: PBS in first sc; sc2tog; PBS in each sc and sc in each PBS across to last 4 sts; sc2tog; PBS in next sc and sc in last st; ch 1 and turn—20 sts.

Rows 26-28: Repeat Rows 18-20—20 sts.

Row 29: Repeat Row 25—18 sts.

Rows 30-32: Repeat Rows 18-20—18 sts.

Row 33: Repeat Row 25—16 sts.

Rows 34-36: Repeat Rows 18-20—16 sts.

Row 37: Repeat Row 25—14 sts.

Rows 38-40: Repeat Rows 18-20—14 sts.

Row 41: Repeat Row 25—12 sts.

Row 42: Repeat Row 18—12 sts.

Row 43: Repeat Row 25—10 sts.

Row 44: Repeat Row 18—10 sts.

At the end of Row 44 fold piece in half. Sew ends up and place hanger inside. Sew top part of pouch around top of hanger.

HEAD

Round 1: With larger hook and **B**, ch 2; [PBS, sc] 3 times in 2nd ch from hook, do not join—6 sts.

Round 2: Change to **A**, (PBS, sc) in each st around—12 sts.

Round 3: *PBS in next sc; sc and PBS in next st; repeat from * around—18 sts.

Round 4: *PBS in next sc; sc in next PBS; (PBS, sc) in next st; repeat from * around—24 sts.

Round 5: *PBS in next sc; sc in next PBS; PBS in next sc; (sc, PBS) in next st; repeat from * around—30 sts.



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Round 6: *Sc in next 3 sc; 2 sc in next sc; repeat from * around; join with a slip st and fasten off—30 sts.

EARS

(Make 2 Outer Ears and 2 Inner Ears)

Outer Ears

Row 1: With smaller hook and **A**, ch 2 and 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook; ch 1 and turn—3 sts.

Row 2: 2 sc in first sc; sc in next sc; 2 sc in last sc; ch 1 and turn—5 sts.

Row 3: Sc in each sc across, ch 1 and turn—5 sts.

Row 4: Repeat Row 2—7 sts.

Row 5: Repeat Row 3—7 sts.

Row 6: Repeat Row 2; ch 1 and turn—9 sts.

Row 7: Repeat Row 2 and fasten off—9 sts.

Inner Ears

With smaller hook and **B**, repeat Rows 1-7 of outer ear pattern. When inner ear is complete, with **A** work 1 row of slip st around piece except across base. Place wrong sides of outer and inner ears together and slip st through both pieces to join.

MUZZLE

Round 1: With smaller hook and **B**, ch 2 and 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook; do not join—3 sts.

Round 2: With **A**; 2 sc in each sc around—6 sts.

Round 3: *Sc in sc; 2 sc in next sc; repeat from * around—9 sts.

Round 4: *Sc in next 2 sc; 2 sc in next sc; repeat from * around—12 sts.

Round 5: Sc in each sc around; slip st in next sc and fasten off.

FINISHING

Fold ears in half and sew in place on head. Sew head to body. Stuff muzzle and sew in place on head. Tie ribbon in a bow and glue under head as shown.



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ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **sc2tog** = single crochet 2 stitches together; **sl st** = slip stitch; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **yo** = yarn over needle; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.

