



Sock Monkey and Baby Hat

Designed by Linda Cyr.

Hat directions are for baby size (18" circumference); changes for toddler size (20½" circumference) are in parentheses.

Sock Monkey measures 14" high.

RED HEART® "Super Saver®": 1 skein each 334 Buff **A**, 313 Aran **B**, 319 Cherry Red **C**, and 312 Black **D**.

Crochet Hook: 4mm [US G-6].
Yarn needle, stuffing material, split-lock stitch marker.

GAUGES: 14 sts = 4"; 10 rounds = 4" in hdc rounds. 16 sts = 4"; 16 rounds = 4" in sc rounds. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauges.**

Special Abbreviations

h-inc (hdc increase) = 2 hdc in next st.

s-inc (sc increase) = 2 sc in next st.

dec (decrease) = [draw up a loop in next st] twice, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

BABY HAT

Round 1: With **A**, make a loop over your fingers, insert hook into the loop and draw up 1 ch; 9 hdc into loop; join with a slip st in first hdc; draw up end to tighten loop – 9 hdc.

Round 2: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in same st as joining, [h-inc] 8 times; join with a slip st in top of ch 2 – 18 sts.

Round 3: Ch 2, hdc in same st as joining, hdc in next hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next hdc] 5 times; join – 27 sts.

Round 4: Ch 2, hdc in same st as joining, hdc in next 2 hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next 2 hdc] 8 times; join – 36 sts.

Round 5: Ch 2, hdc in same st as joining, hdc in next 3 hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next 3 hdc] 8 times; join – 45 sts.

Round 6: Ch 2, hdc in same st as joining, hdc in next 4 hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next 4 hdc] 8 times; join – 54 sts.

Round 7: Ch 2, hdc in same st as joining, hdc in next 5 hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next 5 hdc] 8 times; join – 63 sts.

Toddler Hat Only- Round 8: Ch 2, hdc in same st as joining, hdc in next 6 hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next 6 hdc] 8 times; join – 72 sts.

Both Sizes-Round 8 (9): Ch 2, hdc in next hdc and in each hdc around; join.

Rounds 9 and 10 (10 and 11): With **B**, repeat Round 8 (9).

Rounds 11 and 12 (12 and 13): With **C**, repeat Round 8 (9).

Rounds 13 and 14 (14 and 15): With **B**, repeat Round 8 (9).

Round 15 (16): Ch 1, slip st in each st around. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Ear (Make 2)

Row 1: With **B**, ch 3; 4 hdc in 3rd ch from hook; turn – 5 sts.

Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in first hdc, [h-inc] 4 times; turn – 10 sts.

Row 3: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, hdc in next hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next hdc] 4 times; turn – 15 sts.

Row 4: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, hdc in next 2 hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next 2 hdc] 4 times; turn – 20 sts.

Toddler Size Only-Row 5: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, hdc in



next 3 hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next 3 hdc] 4 times; turn – 25 sts.

Both Sizes-Row 5 (6): Ch 1, slip st in each st across. Fasten off.

Ear Lining (Make 2)

With **C**, work as for Ear through Row 3 (4). Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew Ear Linings to Ears. Sew Ears to sides of Hat. Weave in all ends.

MONKEY

Legs (Make 2)

Round 1: With **B**, make a loop over your fingers, insert hook into the loop and draw up 1 ch; 6 sc into loop; draw up end to tighten loop – 6 sc. Do not join but work in continuous rounds. Mark last sc of round. Move marker up each round.

Round 2: [S-inc] 6 times – 12 sc.

Rounds 3-8: Sc in each sc around.

Rounds 9-26: With **A**, sc in each sc around. Cut yarn and set aside first leg.

Make 2nd leg, but do NOT cut yarn.

Join Legs/Body

Round 1: Ch 2 for crotch, sc in the 12 sc of first leg, sc in each ch between legs, sc in the 12 sc of 2nd leg, sc in remaining loops of ch – 28 sc.

Rounds 2-16: Sc in each sc around.

Round 17: [Dec, sc in next 5 sc] 4 times – 24 sc.

Round 18: [Dec, sc in next 4 sc] 4 times – 20 sc.

Round 19: [Dec, sc in next 3 sc] 4 times – 16 sc. Fasten off.

Head

Round 1: With **A**, make a loop over your fingers, insert hook into the loop and draw up 1 ch; 6 sc into loop; draw up end to tighten loop – 6 sc. Do not join but work in continuous rounds. Mark last sc of round. Move marker up each round.

Round 2: [S-inc] 6 times – 12 sc.

Round 3: [S-inc, sc in next sc] 6 times – 18 sc.

Round 4: [S-inc, sc in next 2 sc] 6 times – 24 sc.

Rounds 5-11: Sc in each sc around.

Round 12: [Dec, sc in next 4 sc] 4 times – 20 sc.

Round 13: [Dec, sc in next 3 sc] 4 times – 16 sc. Fasten off.

Muzzle

Rounds 1-3: With **B**, work as for Head through Round 3.

Rounds 4 and 5: Sc in each sc around. Fasten off.

Ears (Make 2)

Row 1: With **A**, ch 3; 8 dc in 3rd ch from hook; turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, slip st in each st across. Fasten off.

Arms (Make 2)

Work as for Legs.

Hat

Round 1: With **B**, make a loop over your fingers, insert hook into the loop and draw up 1 ch; 9 hdc into loop; join with a slip st in first hdc; draw up end to tighten loop – 9 hdc.

Round 2: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in same st as joining, [h-inc] 8 times; join with a slip st in top of ch-2 – 18 sts.

Round 3: Ch 2, hdc in same st as joining, hdc in next hdc, [h-inc, hdc in next hdc] 5 times; join – 27 sts.

Round 4: Ch 2, hdc in next hdc and in each hdc around; join.

Round 5: Ch 1, slip st in each st around. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Stuff Legs, Body, Head, Arms and Muzzle. Sew Head to Body. Sew Muzzle and Ears to Head. Flatten tops of Arms and sew to sides of Body. Embroider eyes with **D** French knots. Embroider mouth with **C** and make 6 satin sts across Muzzle. For topknot, cut eight (8) 10” strands of **C**; thread strands through a st at top of hat. Knot strands together with an overhand knot at base. Trim to 1”. Sew Hat to Head.



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ABBREVIATIONS: **A, B**, etc. = color A, B, etc.; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **yo** = yarn over; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.