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CRED HEART CROCHET CARTOON MOUSE TOY



MATERIALS

Red Heart® Super Saver™ (7 oz/198 g; 364 yds/333 m)	
Contrast A Buff (0334)	1 ball

Contrast B Aran (0313)

1 ball

Note: 1 ball of A will make 8 toys.

Size U.S. G/6 [4 mm] crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Yarn needle. Stitch marker. Pair of ³/₄" [15 mm] safety eyes.



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ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg = Beginning
Ch = Chain(s)
PM = Place marker
Rem = Remaining
Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 3" [7.5 cm] tall by 3" [7.5 cm] in diameter.

GAUGE

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

INSTRUCTIONS

Notes:

- Toy is worked in a spiral. Do not join rnds. There are no ch worked at beg of rnd unless otherwise indicated; simply work directly into the next st (noting marker to indicate end of rnd will move up each rnd).
- To change color, work to last 2 loops on hook and draw new color through last 2 loops, then proceed in new color.

Sc = Single crochet
Sc2tog = Draw up a loop in each
of next 2 stitches. Yoh and draw
through all loops on hook
Sl st = Slip stitch
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Yoh = Yarn over hook

With A, ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring.

1st rnd: Ch 1. 10 sc in ring. PM on last st.

2nd rnd: *1 sc in next sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. 15 sc. **3rd rnd:** *1 sc in each of next 2 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. 20 sc.

4th rnd: 1 sc in each sc around. **5th rnd:** *1 sc in each of next 3 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. 25 sc.

6th rnd: *1 sc in each of next 4 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. 30 sc.

7th rnd: 1 sc in each sc around.



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8th rnd: *1 sc in each of next 5 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. 35 sc.

9th to 12th rnds: 1 sc in each sc around.

13th rnd: *With A, 1 sc in each of next 16 sc. With B, 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. With A, 1 sc in each sc to end of rnd.

14th rnd: *With A, 1 sc in each of next 15 sc. With B, 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. With A, 1 sc in each sc to end of rnd.

15th rnd: As 14th rnd.

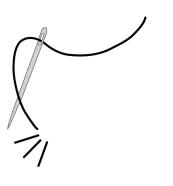
16th rnd: *1 sc in each of next 5 sc. Sc2tog. Rep from * around. 30 sts. **17th rnd:** *1 sc in each of next 4 sts. Sc2tog. Rep from * around. 25 sts.

18th rnd: *1 sc in each of next 3 sts. Sc2tog. Rep from * around. 20 sts.

Stuff toy. Following manufacturer's instructions, attach safety eyes, placing eyes in approx 9th rnd of work, with 4 sts between eyes. Embroider nose with B in Satin stitch as shown in photo, and embroider whiskers using Straight stitch.



SATIN STITCH



STRAIGHT STITCH

19th rnd: *1 sc in each of next
2 sts. Sc2tog. Rep from * around.
15 sts.
20th rnd: *1 sc in next st. Sc2tog.
Rep from * around. 10 sts.
21st rnd: *Sc2tog. Rep from * around. 5 sts. Fasten off.

Draw end tightly through rem sts and secure tightly.

Arms (make 2).
With A, ch 8.
1st row: SI st in 2nd ch from hook.
1 sI st in each ch to end of chain.
Fasten off.

Ears (make 2).With A, ch 3. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring.1st row: Ch 1. 8 sc in ring. Sl st in ring, Fasten off.

Attach Arms and Ears as shown in photo.