



MATERIALS

Red Heart® Amigurumi™ (3.5 oz/100 g; 239 yds/219 m)
Unicorn (9178) **1 ball**

Contrast A White
Contrast B Pink
Contrast C Blue
Contrast D Yellow

Set of 4 size U.S. 1 (2.25 mm) double-pointed knitting needles. Size U.S. 1 (2.25 mm) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

Stitch marker. Stuffing. Two ½" [6 mm] safety eyes. Four 1" [2.5 cm] pompoms in color of your choice (for ear muffs and ends of scarf). Orange toothpick (for nose). Small piece of chenille stem in color of your choice (for headband portion of earmuffs). ½" [6 mm] rhinestones, sequins or beads. Craft glue (for flying saucer lights). Glue sticks.

Optional: Piece of heavy cardboard approx 5" [12.5 cm] square for stuffing/stiffening ornament.



KNIT 1 SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately

Beg = Beginning

Cont = Continue

K = Knit

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

Kfb = Increase by knitting into front, then into back of next stitch

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

PM = Place marker

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

MEASUREMENT

Approx 5" [12.5 cm] tall.

GAUGE

28 sts and 36 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking st.

INSTRUCTIONS

Notes:

- Head of snowman and top half of flying saucer are worked in one piece for top section. Lower half of flying saucer is worked separately for bottom section. Top and bottom sections are sewn tog and stuffed while sewing.

- Before start, separate the different color sections of the yarn as follows: Push the rings of color out from center. Find the point where the color changes and Break the yarn. Rep this process for the rem yarn colors. Wind each color into a separate ball.

TOP SECTION

Head

With A and double-pointed needles, cast on 6 sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles. Join in rnd. PM for beg of rnd.

1st rnd: (Kfb) 6 times. 12 sts.

2nd rnd: (K1, Kfb) 6 times. 18 sts.

3rd rnd: Knit.

4th rnd: (K2. Kfb) 6 times. 24 sts.
5th rnd: Knit.
6th rnd: (K3. Kfb) 6 times. 30 sts.
7th rnd: Knit.
8th rnd: (K4. Kfb) 6 times. 36 sts.
9th to 20th rnds: Knit.
21st rnd: (K4. K2tog) 6 times. 30 sts.
22nd rnd: (K3. K2tog) 6 times. 24 sts.
23rd rnd: (K2. K2tog) 6 times. 18 sts.
 Attach safety eyes between 15th and 16th rnds approx 6 - 7 sts apart. Stuff head.
24th rnd: Knit. Change to B. Break A.

Top of Saucer

1st rnd: Knit.
2nd rnd: Kfb in each st around. 36 sts.
3rd rnd: Knit.
4th rnd: (K2. Kfb) 12 times. 48 sts.
5th rnd: Knit.
6th rnd: (K7. Kfb) 6 times. 54 sts.
7th and 8th rnds: Knit. Change to C. Break B.
9th rnd: (K8. Kfb) 6 times. 60 sts.
10th and 11th rnds: Knit.
12th rnd: (K9. Kfb) 6 times. 66 sts.
13th and 14th rnds: Knit.

15th rnd: (K10. Kfb) 6 times. 72 sts.
16th and 17th rnds: Knit. Change to D. Break C.
18th to 21st rnds: Knit. Cast off loosely.

BOTTOM SECTION

With B and double-pointed needles, cast on 12 sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles. Join in rnd. PM for beg of rnd.
1st rnd: Knit. 12 sts.
2nd rnd: Knit.
3rd rnd: Kfb in each st around. 24 sts.
4th rnd: Knit.
5th rnd: (K3. Kfb) 6 times. 30 sts.
6th rnd: Knit.
7th rnd: (K4. Kfb) 6 times. 36 sts.
8th rnd: Knit.
9th rnd: (K2. Kfb) 12 times. 48 sts.
10th rnd: Knit.
11th rnd: (K7. Kfb) 6 times. 54 sts.
12th and 13th rnds: Knit. Change to C. Break B.
14th rnd: (K8. Kfb) 6 times. 60 sts.
15th and 16th rnds: Knit.
17th rnd: (K9. Kfb) 6 times. 66 sts.
18th and 19th rnds: Knit.
20th rnd: (K10. Kfb) 6 times. 72 sts.

21st and 22nd rnds: Knit. Change to D. Break C.
23rd to 26th rnds: Knit. Cast off loosely, leaving a long end for sewing pieces tog.

SCARF

With C and pair of needles, cast on 65 sts.
1st and 2nd rows: Knit. Change to D. Break C.
3rd and 4th rows: Knit. Change to B. Break D.
5th and 6th rows: Knit. Cast off, leaving a long end. Thread end through short edge and pull tightly to form a tapered (puckered) end. Weave in end securely. Use a scrap of yarn to taper (pucker) other short end. Attach pompom to each end of scarf.

FINISHING

Make Cardboard Insert (optional)
 Place bottom section flat on piece of heavy cardboard and trace around it, adding approx 1/8" [3 mm] in diameter. Break out circle and check for fit by holding the circle tog with top and bottom sections. Cardboard can be trimmed for better fit as needed.

Assemble Saucer

With RS facing, hold top and bottom sections tog. With D, working in back loop of top layer and front loop of bottom layer, whipstitch edges of sections tog approx half way around. Insert optional cardboard and stuff bottom and top of saucer, keeping the cardboard at the center to separate the top and bottom stuffing. Cont to whipstitch edges of sections tog, stuffing as you go.

Nose: Break orange toothpick in half (plain toothpick can be colored with orange permanent marker). Dip the broken end of toothpick in strong craft glue and insert between sts of head, centered approx 1 row below eyes.

Earmuffs: Break 2" [5 cm] length of chenille stem. Bend stem to fit over snowman's head. With strong craft glue, glue a pompom to each end of chenille stem. Allow glue to dry for several hours or overnight. **Hint:** Protect work surface from glue with a piece of waxed paper. When glue is dry, place earmuffs on snowman's head and glue the pompoms in place.

Saucer Lights: With craft glue, glue rhinestones, sequins or beads evenly spaced around D-colored edge of flying saucer.

Tie scarf around snowman's neck.

If desired, attach thread or fishing line to top of snowman for hanging loop.

