



**OCTAVIA THE OCTOPUS** 

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# **MATERIALS**

**Lily® Sugar'n Cream®** (2.5 oz /70.9 g; 120 yds/109 m) **Main Color (MC)** Grape (00071) or Hot Orange (01628)

2 balls or 181 yds/165 m

Contrast A Black (00002) or Warm Brown (01130)

2 balls or 124 yds/116 m

Contrast B White (00001)

1 ball or 42 yds/38 m

Size U.S. G/6 (4 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stuffing. Yarn needle.





CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**Approx** = Approximately

**Alt** = Alternate

**Beg** = Beginning

Ch = Chain(s)

**Hdc** = Half double crochet

**Hdc2tog** = (Yoh and draw up a loop in next stitch) twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

**Rep** = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Sc2tog** = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 stitches. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

**SI st** = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

**Tog** = Together

**Tr** = Treble crochet

**Yoh** = Yarn over hook

## **MEASUREMENT**

Approx 7" [18 cm] tall.

## **GAUGE**

15 sc and 16 rows = 4'' [10 cm].

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### Head

With MC, ch 2.

\*\*1st rnd: 7 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Join with sl st to first sc. 7 sc. 2nd rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. 14 sc.

**3rd rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 21 sc.

**4th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 2 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 28 sc.

**5th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 3 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 35 sc.

**6th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 4 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc.\*\* 42 sc.

7th and alt rnds: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. 8th rnd: Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 5 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 49 sc.





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**10th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 6 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 56 sc.

**12th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 7 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 63 sc.

**13th to 17th rnds:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

**18th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 7 sc. Sc2tog. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 56 sts.

**19th and 20th rnds:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

**21st rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 6 sc. Sc2tog. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 49 sts.

**22nd and 23rd rnds:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

**24th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 5 sc. Sc2tog. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 42 sts.

25th and 26th rnds: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

27th rnd: Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 4 sc. Sc2tog. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 35 sts.

28th to 30th rnds: Ch 1 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

31st rnd: Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 6 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 40 sc.

**32nd rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 4 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 48 sc.

**33rd rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 5 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 56 sc.

**34th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 6 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around, 64 sc.

35th rnd: Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 7 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. 72 sc.

### Divide for tentacles:

**Note:** Ch 2 at beg of row **does not** count as st.

\*\*\*1st row: Ch 2. Hdc2tog. 1 hdc in each of next 5 sc. Hdc2tog. Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.

2nd and 3rd rows: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of next 7 sts. Turn.

4th row: Ch 2. Hdc2tog. 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. Hdc2tog. Turn.

**5th and 6th rows:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of next 5 sts. Turn.

**7th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first hdc. Hdc2tog. 1 hdc in each of next 2 hdc. Turn. 4 sts.

8th row: Ch 34. 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (1 sc in next ch. 2 sc in next ch) 4 times. (1 hdc in next ch. 2 hdc in next ch) 4 times. (1 dc in next Join with sl st to first sc. ch. 2 dc in next ch) 4 times. (1 tr in next ch. 2 tr in next ch) 4 times. Skip 3 hdc of 7th row. SI st to top of last sc. hdc. Fasten off.\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*Join MC with sl st to next missed sc of last rnd. Rep from \*\*\* to \*\*\* as before. \*\*\*\*

Rep from \*\*\*\* to \*\*\*\* 6 times more. sc.\*\*

**Bottom:** With A, rep from \*\* to \*\* as given for Head.

**7th rnd:** \*Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around, 49 sc.

Join with sl st to first sc.

8th and 9th rnds: \*Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 64 sc at end of last rnd.

10th rnd: \*Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 7 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. 72 sc.

Work from \*\*\* to \*\*\* as given for Tentacles.

Rep from \*\*\*\* to \*\*\*\* 6 times more as given for Tentacles.

Eyes (make 2).

With A, ch 2.

\*\*1st rnd: 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

**2nd rnd:** With A, ch 1. 2 sc in each sc around. Join B with sl st to first

**3rd rnd:** With B, ch 1. \*2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc.

4th to 6th rnds: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first

7th rnd: Ch 1. \*1 sc in next sc. Sc2tog. Rep from \* around.

8th rnd: Ch 1. Sc2tog. Rep from \* around. Break B, leaving a long end. Stuff Eye. Thread yarn through rem sts pull tightly and fasten securely.





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**Eyelid:** (make 2). With MC, work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Eye. Fasten off.

Insert Eye into Eyelid. Sew each Eye to body of Octopus as shown in picture.

## **FINISHING**

Stuff Head.

Attach Bottom to Head: Align tentacles of Head with tentacles of Bottom. With WS of Head and RS of Tentacles tog, join B at beg of tentacle at longer side. Working through both thickessess, 1 sc in each st along longer sides of tentacle of to turning ch 1. Fasten off. With A, sew shorter sides of tentacle (tentacle will curl by itself). Rep for all tentacles.

Sew Eyes in position, as shown in picture.

