PATTERN NOTES.

RECIPE FOR CARE.

This yarn is designed to have a low pilling* quotient however, its tough to avoid forever. Pilling occurs as a natural result of friction. A careful snip with scissors will restore your item to its original glory. If required, gently hand wash in cold water then lay flat in the shade to dry.

Handle with care and try not to bring into contact with sharp objects.

*Pilling does not constitute a defect

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RECIPE INSPIRATION.





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crochet slippers pattern.

One size fits most (approximately size NZ 7-10). Use a tighter tension if you are aiming for a smaller slipper and a looser tension if you want a larger one.

ingredients.







2 x 200g cheeses

1 x 28mm crochet hook

1 stitch marker

notes.

// Your slippers are worked in a continuous spiral around a foundation chain with no slip stitch to join each round. It can be helpful to place a stitch marker in the first stitch of each round and move it up as you work.

// The number in brackets at the end of each round refers to the number of stitches worked that round.

 $\ensuremath{/\!/}$ The pattern is the same for the left and right slippers.

// You have three different options for finishing off the slippers: keyhole, crochet seam or a bow. Instructions are provided for each.

abbreviations.

This pattern uses UK terminology (UK double = US single) ch - chain dc - double crochet rnd/s - round/s st/s - stitch/es

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Ch9.

rnd 1: Dc in the second ch from the hook and in each of the next 6 sts, 3dc in last st. Working into the back of the foundation ch, dc in each of next 6 sts. [16]

rnd 2: 3dc in next st, dc in each of next 7 sts, 3dc in next st, dc in each of next 7 sts. [20]

rnd 3: Ch1 (does not count as a st); working into back loops only, dc in each stitch around. [20]

rnd 4: Ensuring you skip the ch-1 and working into both loops again, dc in the next 9 sts. Skip st, dc in next st, skip st, dc in next st, skip st, dc in each of next 6 sts. [17]

Finishing

Keyhole

Fasten off, cutting yarn and leaving a tail around 40cm long. Skip 4 sts, then use your fingers to weave tail under next st to secure it to the last st of Row 4 and form the ankle hole. Take tail back over the last st of Row 4 and repeat to make a couple of sts.

Take the tail under the back loop of next st, from inside to outside, and in each st around toe. Pull tail to draw in the sts and form the keyhole. Weave in end.

Crochet seam

Remove loop from hook after the last st of Rnd: 4 and carefully turn the slipper inside out. Insert hook back into the loop and ch1, squeezing the sides of the slipper together until the sts of each are aligned. Working into both loops of each aligned pair of sts, slip stitch along until you reach the toe (there will be a single st remaining). Fasten off and weave in end.

Bow

Fasten off and secure sts to form ankle hole, as per the keyhole finishing option above. Weave in end. Cut a length of yarn around 80cm long and weave it through the back loops as above. As you pull the sts tight, adjust the ends of the length of yarn so they remain even. Tie the ends into a bow.

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