



Minikins Rainbow

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Height: 2½"

Width: 3½"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Minikins™ (50% Acrylic, 50% Cotton; 1.75oz/50g, 158yds/145m)

- A: 2103-25 Baby Blue – 1 ball
- B: 2103-29 Dungarees – 1 ball
- C: 2103-04 Rosy Cheeks – 1 ball
- D: 2103-02 Custard – 1 ball
- E: 2103-35 Taupe – 1 ball

Hook: US Size B-1 (2.25 mm) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, stuffing, small pompom maker

GAUGE

24 sts x 24 rnds = 4" before stuffing

Save time, check your gauge.

Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Chain and single crochet stitch.
- Seaming.
- Making pompoms.

PATTERN NOTES

To change yarn color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all lps on hook to complete the stitch. Work over the strand of old color as you work each row.

RAINBOW

Front

With A, ch 7.

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hk and in next 4 ch, 5 sc in last ch, working on opposite side of

ch, sc in next 5 chs, turn – 15 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next 5 sts, sc in next 5 sts, turn – 20 sts.

Fasten off, join B.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, do not turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in next 5 sts, (2 sc in next st, sc in next st) 5 times, sc in next 5 sts, turn – 25 sc. Fasten off, join C.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in next 5 sts, (2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts) 5 times, sc in next 5 sts, turn – 30 sc.

Fasten off, join D.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in next 5 sts, (2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts) 5 times, sc in next 5 sts, turn – 35 sc.

Fasten off, join E.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in next 5 sts, (2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts) 5 times, sc in next 5 sts, turn – 40 sc.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in each st across. Fasten off leaving a long tail.

Back

Work as for the Front.

FINISHING

With WS for Front and Back together, sew panels together; stuffing before closing.

Follow package directions to make 4 small pompoms. Be sure to leave a long yarn tails on the strand you use to tie pompom. Using long tails, tie pompoms on bottom of Rainbow. Trim.

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project continued

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

beg	begin(ning)
ch	chain
hk	hook
lp(s)	loop(s)
rep	repeat
RS	right side
sc	single crochet
sl st	slip stitch
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side
yo	yarn over

