PREMIER

Amigurumi Flamingo

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Height: 9" (when seated)

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Parfait® Chunky

(100% Polyester; 3.5oz/100g, 131yds/120m)

• A: 1150-18 Ballet Pink - 1 ball

• B: 1150-42 Espresso - 1 ball

• C: 1150-22 Peach - 1 ball

Hook: US Size J-10 (6 mm) or size needed to

obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, removable stitch

markers, stuffing

GAUGE

10 sc x 11 rnds = 4"

Gauge not essential for this project.

Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Chain, single, double and treble crochet stitches.
- Invisible decrease.
- Seaming.
- Working in continuous and joined rounds.

STITCH GUIDE

Inv-dec (invisible single crochet decrease):

Insert hk in front lp only of each of next 2 sts, yo and pull through both sts, yo and pull through 2 lps on hk (1 st dec'd)

PATTERN NOTES

Flamingo Body, Head, Neck and Beak are made in one piece; Wings and Legs are made and sewn on Body separately. Join rounds with a slip stitch in first stitch when indicated. When working in continuous rounds, place a marker to indicate beginning of round. Move marker up as each round is completed. Work tightly so that stuffing does not show between stitches.

FLAMINGO

Body

Beg at back end of Body, with A, ch 2.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in 2^{nd} ch from hk; do not join,

work in continuous rnds.

Rnd 2: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 3: 2 sc in each st around – 12 sc.

Rnd 4: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 5: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st; rep

from * around - 18 sc.

Rnds 6-7: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 8: *Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep

from * around – 24 sc.

Rnd 9: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 10: *Sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep

from * around – 30 sc.

Rnd 11: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 12: *Sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep

from * around – 36 sc.

Rnds 13-20: Sc in each st around.

Place a marker in Rnd 20 to indicate where sts will be sewn to shape bottom of Neck.

Rnd 21: *Sc in next 2 sts, inv-dec; rep from *

around – 27 sc.

Rnd 22: *Sc in next sc, inv-dec; rep from *

around – 18 sc.

Stuff Body firmly

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Rnd 23: *Sc in next sc, inv-dec; rep from * around – 12 sc.

Rnd 24: *Sc in next 4 sts, **inv-dec**; rep from * around – 10 sc.

Neck

Rnds 25-38: Sc in each st around.

Mark Rnd 31 and 33 for sewing Head to Neck. Bend Neck up and sew marked Rnds 20 and 31 together with 3 sts to hold Neck in place. Remove the markers from Rnds 20 and 31. Stuff Neck firmly as rnds progress.

Head

Rnd 39: 2 sc in each st around - 20 sc.

Rnd 40: *Sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 25 sc.

Rnds 41-44: Sc in each st around.

Mark Rnd 42.

Rnd 45: *Sc in next 3 sts, inv-decc; rep from *

around - 20 sc.

Rnd 46: *Sc in next 3 sts, inv-dec; rep from *

around – 16 sc.

Stuff head firmly.

Rnd 47: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 48: (Inv-dec) 8 times - 8 sc.

Fasten off.

Bend Head down and sew marked Rnds 42 and 33 together to hold Head in place. Remove the markers from Rnds 42 and 33.

Beak

Rnd 49: Pull up a lp of B in st at bottom of Head, sl st in each st around; do not join – 8 sl st.

Rnd 50: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 51: Inv-dec, sc in next 4 sts, **inv-dec** – 6 sc.

Rnd 52: (**Inv-dec**) 3 times – 3 sc.

Rnd 53: Sc in each st around.

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing.

Thread yarn tail into needle and sew closed.

Wings (make 2)

Note: Wings are made in 3 sections: top, middle, bottom and then sewn together in same order.

Top

With A, ch 4.

Rnd 1: SI st in 4th ch from hk, in same ch as last sI st made, work (ch 4, sI st in ch-4) 4 times – 5 ch-4 sps.

Fasten off.

Middle

With A, ch 4, join with a sl st to form a ring.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in ring – 6 sc.

Rnd 2: (Sl st, ch 2, dc, ch 2, sl st) in each st around – 6 feathers.

Fasten off.

Bottom

With A, ch 5, join with a sl st to form a ring.

Rnd 1: 7 sc in ring – 7 sc.

Rnd 2: (Sl st, ch 3, tr, ch 3, sl st) in each st around – 7 feathers.

Fasten off leaving along tail for sewing.

Thread yarn tail into needle and sew Wings together. Sew on each side of body. Legs (make 2)

With C, ch 5, join with sl st to form a ring.

Rnd 1: 5 sc in ring, do not join, work in continuous rnds.

Rnds 2-13: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 14: 2 sc in next 3 sts, leaving remaining

2 sts unworked, turn – 6 sc.

Row 15: Ch 1, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts,

2 sc in last st, turn – 8 sc.

Row 16: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 17: Ch 1, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts,

2 sc in last st - 10 sc.

Fasten off. Do not stuff.

FINISHING

With B, stitch on eyes.

Sew Legs to Body of Flamingo.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

beg begin(ning)

ch chain

dc double crochet

dec'd decreased

hk hook

lp(s) loop(s)

rep repeat

rnd(s) round(s)

sc single crochet

sp(s) space(es)

st(s) stitch(es)

sl st slip stitch

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tr treble

yo yarn over

