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Spring Crochet Along – Roadtrip



„KANGAROO WITH SUITCASE“

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SIZE

Approx 18 cm (7 in)

TOOLS AND MATERIALS

Ricorumi dk
 Shade 033 (light blue) 25 g
 Shade 040 (teal) 25 g
 Shade 070 (apricot) 25 g
 Shade 071 (sand) 50 g
 Shade 069 (terracotta) 25 g
 Shade 019 (mauve) 25 g
 Rico crochet hook (UK 12 – USA C/2)
 2 Ricorumi button eyes 6 mm in diameter
 Rico embroidery needle
 Rico synthetic stuffing
 Stitch markers

HEAD

In sand, working into a magic ring, 6 dc.
 Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [2 dc into the next st] 6 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 3: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 4: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Rnd 5: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 36 sts.
 Rnds 6 – 11: 36 dc.
 Rnd 12: [5 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 42 sts.
 Rnd 13: [6 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 48 sts.
 Rnd 14: [7 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 54 sts.
 Rnd 15: 24 dc, 5 tr, 25 dc. 54 sts.
 Rnd 16: 25 dc, [2 tr into next st] 3 times, 26 dc. 57 sts.
 Rnd 17: 57 dc.
 Rnd 18: 26 dc, [dc2tog] 2 times, 27 dc. 55 sts.
 Rnd 19: [7 dc, dc2tog] 6 times, 1 dc. 49 sts.
 Rnd 20: Dc2tog, [6 dc, dc2tog] 5 times, 5 dc, dc2tog. 42 sts.
 Rnd 21: [5 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 36 sts.
 Rnd 22: [4 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Attach button eyes either side of nose between rnds 12 and 13, 6 sts apart.
 Fill Head with stuffing and cont stuffing as you go along.
 Rnd 23: [3 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 24: [2 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Embroider nose on rnds 17 and 18.
 Fasten off and break yarn.

BODY

In sand, working into a magic ring, 6 dc.
 Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [2 dc into next st] 6 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 3: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 4: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Rnd 5: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 36 sts.
 Rnd 6: [5 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 42 sts.
 Rnd 7: [6 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 48 sts.
 Rnds 8 – 17: 48 dc.
 Rnd 18: [6 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 42 sts.
 Rnd 19: 42 dc.
 Change yarn.
 Rnd 20: In light blue, BLO 42 dc.

Change yarn.
 Rnd 21: In teal, 42 dc.
 Rnd 22: [5 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 36 sts.
 Rnd 23: 36 dc.
 Rnd 24: [4 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Rnd 25: 30 dc.
 Rnd 26: [3 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 27: 24 dc.
 Fill Body with stuffing.
 Rnd 28: [2 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 29: 18 dc.
 Change yarn.
 Rnd 30: In light blue, 18 dc.
 Finish stuffing body.
 Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.

POUCH

In sand, make 30 ch + 1 t-ch, turn.
 Row 1: Dc2tog, 26 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 28 sts.
 Row 2: 28 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Row 3: Dc2tog, 24 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 26 sts.
 Row 4: 26 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Row 5: Dc2tog, 22 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 24 sts.
 Row 6: 24 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Row 7: Dc2tog, 20 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 22 sts.
 Row 8: Dc2tog, 18 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 20 sts.
 Row 9: Dc2tog, 16 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 18 sts.
 Row 10: Dc2tog, 14 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 16 sts.
 Row 11: Dc2tog, 12 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 14 sts.
 Fasten off and break yarn, weave in ends.

LEGS (MAKE 2)

PART 1 – THIGH

In sand, working into a magic ring, 6 dc.
 Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [2 dc into the next st] 6 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 3: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 4: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Rnds 5 – 6: 30 dc.
 Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.

PART 2 – FOOT

In sand, working into a magic ring, 6 dc.
 Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [2 dc into the next st] 6 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnds 3 – 5: 18 dc.
 Rnd 6: [1 dc, dec2tog] 6 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 7: 12 dc.
 Rnd 8: [4 dc, dec2tog] 2 times. 10 sts.
 Rnds 9 – 14: 10 dc.
 Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.

ARM (MAKE 2)

In sand, working into a magic ring, 6 dc.
 Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [1 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 3 times. 9 sts.
 Rnds 2 – 13: 9 dc.
 Change yarn.
 Rnd 14: In light blue, BLO 9 dc.
 Change yarn.
 Rnds 15 – 17: In teal, BLO 9 dc.
 Fasten off and break yarn.

TAIL

In sand, working into a magic ring, 6 dc.

Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [1 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 3 times. 9 sts.
 Rnds 2 – 3: 9 dc.
 Rnd 4: [2 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 3 times. 12 sts.
 Rnds 5 – 6: 12 dc.
 Rnd 7: [3 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 3 times. 15 sts.
 Rnds 8 – 10: 15 dc.
 Rnd 11: [4 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 3 times. 18 sts.
 Rnds 12 – 14: 18 dc.
 Rnd 15: [5 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 3 times. 21 sts.
 Rnds 16 – 18: 21 dc.
 Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.

EAR (MAKE 2)

Working into a magic ring, 4 dc.
 Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [2 dc into the next st] 4 times. 8 sts.
 Rnd 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 4 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 3: [2 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 4 times. 16 sts.
 Rnd 4: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 4 times. 20 sts.
 Rnds 5 – 6: 20 dc.
 Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.

CAP

In apricot, working into a magic ring, 6 dc.
 Cont working in a spiral.
 Rnd 1: [2 dc into the next st] 6 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into the next st] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 3: 18 dc.
 Rnd 4: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnds 5 – 6: 24 dc.
 Change yarn.
 Rnd 7: In terracotta, 24 dc.
 Cont working in rows.
 Row 8: FLO 10 dc, 1 t-ch, turn. 10 sts.
 Row 9: BLO 10 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Row 10: Dc2tog, FLO 6 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 8 sts.
 Row 11: BLO 8 dc.
 Row 12: Dc2tog, FLO 4 dc, dc2tog, 1 t-ch, turn. 6 sts.
 Fasten off and break yarn. Weave in ends. Join sides of bill to upper part of cap.

SUITCASE

MAIN PART

In light blue make 35 ch + 1 t-ch, turn.
 Row 1: 1 dc in 2nd ch from hook, 34 dc, 1 t-ch, turn. 35 sts.
 Rows 2 – 3: 35 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Change yarn.
 Row 4: In mauve, 35 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Change yarn.
 Rows 5 – 10: In light blue, 35 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Change yarn.
 Rows 11 – 13: In mauve, 35 dc, 1 t-ch, turn.
 Row 14: 35 dc.
 Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.
 Join 1st and last rows to make a tube.

SIDES (MAKE 2)

In light blue make 10 ch + 1 t-ch, turn.
 Rows 1 – 3: 10 dc, 1 t-ch, turn. 10 sts.
 Row 4: 10 dc.
 Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail (approx 20 cm, 8 in).
 Sew Sides to each end of tube.

HANDLE

In mauve make 10 ch + 1 t-ch, turn.



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Row 1: 10 dc. 10 sts.

Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail. Sew handle to suitcase, using long tail.

TO MAKE UP

Using long tails, sew pieces together as follows. Sew Head to Body and Pouch to Lower Body between rnds 6 and 17. Sew Thighs to sides of Body between rnds 6 and 17 and Feet at a slight angle underneath Body on rnds 3 and 6. Sew Arms to Body on last-but-one rnd. Fold ears and sew to sides of Head on rnds 4 and 5, and Tail at the back between rnds 6 and 13. Place Cap on Head and secure with a few stitches.

ABBREVIATIONS

BLO	in back loop only
cm	centimetre(s)
ch	chain
cont	continue
dc	double crochet (UK)
dc2tog	double crochet (UK) 2 sts together (decreasing)
dec	decrease(ing)
FLO	in front loop only
fol	following
g	grammes
in	inch(es)
mm	millimetre(s)
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rs	right side
rnd	round
sl st	slip stitch
st(s)	stitch(es)
t-ch	turning chain
tog	together
tr	treble crochet (UK)
ws	wrong side

