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# **RICORUMI**

*Spring Crochet Along – Freshen Up Your Garden*



## **„STRAWBERRY FARMER MONKEY“**

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### SIZE

14 cm

### MATERIALS

Ricorumi dk  
 Shade 039 (Turquoise) 25 g  
 Shade 021 (Salmon) 25 g  
 Shade 044 (Grass Green) 25 g  
 Shade 023 (Peach) 25 g  
 Shade 056 (Nougat) 25 g  
 For embroidery:  
 Shade 060 (Black)  
 Rico hook 2.5 mm  
 Rico toy stuffing  
 Rico stitch markers  
 Rico tapestry needle  
 Polyester toy stuffing

### TENSION

26 dc and 26 rows = 10x10 cm

### ABBREVIATIONS (UK TERMINOLOGY)

BLO	back loop only
FLO	front loop only
ch	chain
dc	double crochet
dc2tog	double crochet 2 sts together (decrease)
rnd	round
sl st	slip stitch
st(s)	stitch(es)
[ ]	work stitches in brackets for the specified number of times

### HEAD

**Rnd 1:** in nougat, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** 2 dc in next st 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [2 dc into next st, 1 dc] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc into next st, 2 dc] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 5:** [2 dc into next st, 3 dc] 6 times. 30 sts.

**Rnd 6:** [2 dc into next st, 4 dc] 6 times. 36 sts.

**Rnd 7:** [2 dc into next st, 5 dc] 6 times. 42 sts.

**Rnd 8:** [2 dc into next st, 6 dc] 6 times. 48 sts.

**Rnds 9-19:** 48 dc. 48 sts.

Change yarn.

**Rnd 20:** in salmon, 48 dc. 48 sts.

**Rnds 21-22:** 48 dc. 48 sts.

Change yarn.

**Rnd 23:** in turquoise, 48 dc. 48 sts.

**Rnds 24-31:** 48 dc. 48 sts.

**Rnd 32:** [1 dc2tog, 6 dc] 6 times. 42 sts.

Fill firmly with stuffing.

**Rnd 33:** [1 dc2tog, 5 dc] 6 times. 36 sts.

**Rnd 34:** [1 dc2tog, 4 dc] 6 times. 30 sts.

**Rnd 35:** [1 dc2tog, 3 dc] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 36:** [1 dc2tog, 2 dc] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 37:** [1 dc2tog, 1 dc] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 38:** 6 dc2tog. 6 sts.

Fasten off and break yarn. Weave thread through remaining sts, pull tight and weave in ends.

### FACE

**Rnd 1:** in peach, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** 2 dc in next st 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [2 dc into next st, 1 dc] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc into next st, 2 dc] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 5:** [2 dc into next st, 3 dc] 6 times. 30 sts.

**Rnd 6:** [2 dc into next st, 4 dc] 6 times. 36 sts.

Fasten off and break yarn. Pin face onto head and sew in place between rnds 8 - 19.

### MUZZLE

**Rnd 1:** in peach, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** 2 dc in next st 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [2 dc into next st, 1 dc] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** 3 dc, 2 dc in next st 3 times, 6 dc, 2 dc in next st 3 times, 3 dc. 24 sts.

**Rnds 5-6:** 24 dc. 24 sts.

Fasten off and break yarn. Pin muzzle onto face, lightly stuff and sew in place between rnds 1 - 6 (lower). Using black, embroider eyes over rnds 4-5 of the face (upper), 2 stitches apart. Using nougat, make a nose by embroidering a vertical line over rnds 1-3 of the muzzle and a line over 4 sts at rnd 3.

### INNER EARS (MAKE 2)

**Rnd 1:** in peach, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

Sl st to initial dc, Fasten off and break yarn.

### EARS (MAKE 2)

**Rnd 1:** in nougat, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** 2 dc in next st 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [2 dc into next st, 1 dc] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnds 4-6:** 18 dc. 18 sts.

Fold, 9 dc across the top and break yarn.

Sew inner ears over rnds 3-5 of the ears.

Sew the ears to the head over rnds 7-15.

### LEGS (MAKE 2)

**Rnd 1:** in nougat, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** 2 dc in next st 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [2 dc into next st, 1 dc] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc into next st, 2 dc] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnds 5-7:** 24 dc. 24 sts.

**Rnd 8:** 7 dc, 1 dc2tog 5 times, 7 dc. 19 sts.

**Rnd 9:** 5 dc, 1 dc2tog 4 times, 6 dc. 15 sts.

**Rnd 10:** 13 dc, 1 dc2tog. 14 sts.

Fill firmly with stuffing.

**Rnds 11-12:** 14 dc. 14 sts.

Change yarn.

**Rnds 13-15:** in turquoise, 14 dc. 14 sts.

5 dc to the side of the leg, fold and 7 dc across the top. Fasten off and sew to the head over rnds 33-35 facing out, approx. 3 sts apart.

### ARMS (MAKE 2)

**Rnd 1:** in nougat, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc in next st, dc] 3 times. 9 sts.

**Rnds 3-4:** 9 dc. 9 sts.

**Rnd 5:** 7 dc, 1 dc2tog. 8 sts.

**Rnds 6-11:** 8 dc. 8 sts

Change yarn.

**Rnd 12:** in salmon and working in FLO, 2dc in next st 8 times. 16 sts.

**Rnds 13-14:** 16 dc. 16 sts

**Rnd 15:** 8 dc2tog. 8 sts.

Lightly stuff, fold and 4 dc across the top. Break yarn and sew to the head over rnds 20-22.

Using turquoise, embroider vertical lines over rnds 20-22 on the outer sides of the face and embroider an "X" over rnds 20-22 at the back of the head (3 sts apart at the widest points).



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### HAT

**Rnd 1:** in salmon, working into magic ring, 6 dc. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** 2 dc in next st 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [2 dc into next st, 1 dc] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** working in BLO, 18 dc. 18 sts.

**Rnd 5:** 18 dc. 18 sts.

Change yarn.

**Rnd 6:** in grass green, 18 dc. 18 sts.

**Rnd 7:** [8 dc, 2 dc in next st] 2 times. 20 sts.

Change yarn.

**Rnd 8:** in salmon and working in FLO, [1 dc, 2 dc in next st] 10 times. 30 sts.

**Rnd 9:** [2 dc, 2 dc in next st] 10 times. 40 sts.

Sl st to initial dc and break yarn.

Stuff and sew to the head.

### STRAWBERRY

**Rnd 1:** in salmon, working into magic ring, 4 dc. 4 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [1 dc, 2 dc in next st] 2 times. 6 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [1 dc, 2 dc in next st] 3 times. 9 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc, 2 dc in next st] 3 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 5:** [3 dc, 2 dc in next st] 3 times. 15 sts.

**Rnd 6:** [4 dc, 2 dc in next st] 3 times. 18 sts.

**Rnds 7-8:** 18 dc. 18 sts.

**Rnd 9:** [1 dc, 1 dc2tog] 6 times. 12 sts.

Fill firmly with stuffing.

**Rnd 10:** 6 dc2tog. 6 sts.

Break yarn and weave end.

**Rnd 11:** in grass green, attach yarn to rnd 10 and work 1 dc, [ch4, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, 2 dc, 1 dc in next st] 5 times, ch4, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, 2 dc, sl st to initial dc to close.

Break yarn and weave end. Sew the strawberry tightly to the arm of the monkey.

**Note:** All individual parts must be firmly sewn on. Small parts may be swallowed.

