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Huggy Bear

Abbreviations

ch chain
 lp(s) loop(s)
 rnd(s) round(s)
 sc single crochet
 sl st slip stitch
 st(s) stitch(es)
 yo yarn over
 sc (first, next, last) 2 sts tog ... insert hook in first st, yo, pull through st, insert hook in 2nd st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

Materials Needed: Worsted weight yarn--6 oz. medium gold, ½ oz. dark brown, 2 yds. black; two 20mm animal or moveable eyes; polyester fiberfill; size G crochet hook.

Note: Rnds are worked in continuous manner and not joined except where specified. It will help if you mark the first st of each rnd with a safety pin or piece of yarn.

Body (make 2)

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 6, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 3 chs, 3 sc in last ch, working down opposite side of ch in remaining ch-lps, sc in each of the next 4 remaining lps. (12)
Rnd 2: *2 loop stitches (see figure 1) in each of next 3 sts, loop stitch in each of next 3 sts, repeat from * once. (18)
Rnd 3: *Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (24)
Rnd 4: *Loop stitch in each of next 3 sts, 2 loop stitches in next st, repeat from * around. (30)
Rnd 5: *Sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (36)
Rnd 6: *Loop stitch in next 5 sts, 2 loop stitches in next st, repeat from * around. (42)
Rnd 7: *Sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (48)
Rnd 8: *Loop stitch in next 7 sts, 2 loop stitches in next st, repeat from * around. (54)
Row 9: *Sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (60)



Row 10: *Loop stitch in next 9 sts, 2 loop stitches in next st, repeat from * around. (66)
Row 11: *Sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (72)
Rnd 12: Loop stitch in each st around. (72)
Rnd 13: Sc in each st around. (72)
Rnd 14: Loop stitch in each st around, sl st in very first st, fasten off.

Place two sides of body wrong sides together matching rnd 1, sew together. Stuff so the body is elongated before closing.

Head (make 2)

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)
Rnd 2: *2 loop stitches in each st around. (12)
Rnd 3: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (18)
Rnd 4: *Loop stitch in each of next 2 sts, 2 loop stitches in next st, repeat from * around. (24)
Rnd 5: *Sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (30)
Rnd 6: *Loop stitch in next 4 sts, 2 loop stitches in next st, repeat from * around. (36)
Rnd 7: *Sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (42)
Rnd 8: *Loop stitch in next 6 sts, 2 loop stitches in next st, repeat from * around. (48)
Rnd 9: *Sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (54)

Rnd 10: *Loop stitch in each st around. (54)

Rnd 11: Sc in each st around. (54)

Rnd 12: Loop stitch in each st around, sl st in very first st, fasten off.

If using snap on eyes (recommended), put these on now--center of each eye should be approximately 1 inch from center of rnd 1.

Place two sides of head wrong sides together; sew together stuffing before closing. Sew head to body along edge where body sides were sewn together.

Arm (make 2)

Rnd 1: With dark brown, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around. (12)

Rnd 3: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (18)

Rnd 4: *Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (24) Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Turn the piece around. With wrong side facing you, join gold with loop st in any st, loop st in each st around. (24)

Rnd 6: Sc in each st around. (24)

Rnd 7: Loop stitch in each st around. (24)

Rnds 8-19: Repeat rnds 6-7 six more times. Fasten off leaving 18 inch tail for sewing.

Stuff and sew opening flat. Sew to body along edge where body sides were sewn together.

Leg (make 2)

Rnd 1: With dark brown, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around. (12)

Rnd 3: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (18)

Rnd 4: *Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (24)

Rnd 5: *Sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (30) Fasten off.

Rnd 6: Turn the piece around. With wrong sides facing you, join gold with loop stitch in any st, loop stitch in each st around. (30)

Rnd 7: Sc in each st around. (30)

Rnd 8: Loop stitch in each st around. (30)

Rnds 9-20: Repeat rnds 7-8 six more times. Fasten off leaving 18 inch tail for sewing.

Stuff and sew opening flat. Sew to body along bottom edge where body sides were sewn together leaving approximately 1 inch space between legs.

Snout

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around. (12)

Rnd 3: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (18)

Rnd 4: *Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, repeat from * around. (24)

Rnds 5-6: Sc in each st around

Rnd 7: Sc in each st around, sl st in very first st, fasten off, leaving 18 inch tail for sewing.

Stuff and sew to lower half of head between rnds 5 and 10.

Nose

Rnd 1: With black, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Rnd 2: *2 sc in next st, sc in next st, repeat from * around. (9)

Rnd 3: Sc in each st around, sl st in very first st, fasten off, leaving 12 inch tail for sewing.

Stuff and sew to upper snout between rnds 1 and 5. Embroider smile on snout with black yarn.

Ear (make 2)

Row 1: With gold, leaving 12 inch tail for sewing, ch 9, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across, ch 1, turn. (8)

Rows 2-4: Sc in first st, sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. (8)

Row 5: Sc first 2 sts tog, sc in next 4 sts, sc last 2 sts tog, ch 1, turn. (6)

Row 6: Sc first 2 sts tog, sc in each of next 2 sts, sc last 2 sts tog, ch 1, turn. (4)

Rnd 7: Sc first 2 sts tog, sc last 2 sts tog. (2) Fasten off.

With dark brown, join with sc in end of first row, sc in end of each row, sc in each st of row 7, sc in end of each row down other side, fasten off. (Do not work in foundation chain).

Sew ears to head along edge where head sides were sewn together approximately 3½ inches apart.

Eyes: If you did not attach snap on eyes when finishing head, attach sew-on eyes now, center of each eye should be approximately 1 inch from center of rnd 1. For small children, we advise using snap-on eyes for safety and to prevent a choking hazard.

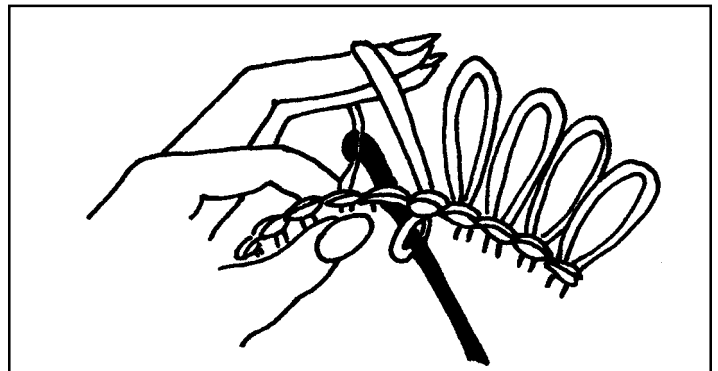


Figure 1

Loop stitch--Insert hook in stitch, wrap yarn around 2 fingers, yarn around hook, pull hook through st, yarn around hook, pull through 2 lps on hook, remove fingers from yarn loop.

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