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SMALL SANTA

*Crocheted santa with knitted hat and scarf**Instruction: Anita Brathetland***Size:**

Height approx 10 cm

Yarn:

TOVE (100 % Norwegian wool, 50 g = 160 m)

Yarn required:

Med.brown melange #2652: 1 ball

Natural melange #2641: 1 ball

Red melange #4236: 1 ball

Green #8264: 1 ball

Yellowish-green #9636: 1 ball

Sea green melange #7252: 1 ball

Notions:

Material for stuffing

Suggested knitting needle/crochet hook:

Double pointed 3.5 mm

Crochet hook 3 mm

Size of knitting needle/crochet hook is only suggestion. If your knitting/crocheting shows tighter tension, use larger needle/hook, for looser tension use thinner needle/hook.

Knitting tension:

24 sts St-st with 3.5 mm ndls = 10 cm

Crochet tension:

22 sc with 3 mm hook = 10 cm

Magic circle:

Twirl yarn once around forefinger and middle finger to form a loop. With crochet hook pick up yarn through loop and make 1 ch.

2 sc tog (= dec 1 sc):

Insert hook in front loop of first sc, insert hook in front loop of next sc, yoh and pull through 2 sts, yoh and pull through the last 2 sts

Inc 1 st:

Pick up yarn between 2 sts and k tbl this new st

1 ridge: k2rows**Fasten yarn ends and fill with stuffing or yarn while work proceeds.****Body and head:**

With md.brown make a magic circle.

Rnd 1: ch6 in the magic circle, and join with 1 sl st.**Rnd 2:** 2 sc in each sc in the rnd = 12 sc.**Rnd 3:** *1 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 18 sc.**Rnd 4:** *1 sc in each of the following 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 24 sc.**Rnd 5:** *1 sc in each of the following 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 30 sc.**Rnd 6:** *1 sc in each of the following 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 36 sc.**Rnd 7 – 11:** 1 sc in every sc.**Rnd 12:** *1 sc in each of the following 4 sc, 2 sc tog*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 30 sc.**Rnd 13:** *1 sc in each of the following 3 sc, 2 sc tog*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 24 sc.**Rnd 14:** *1 sc in each of the following 2 sc, 2 sc tog*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 18 sc.**Rnd 15:** *1 sc, 2 sc tog*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 12 sc.**Rnd 16:** Work 2 sc tog in the rnd = 6 sc.**Rnd 17:** 1 sc in each sc.

Change to natural melange.

Rnd 18: 1 sc in each sc**Rnd 19:** 2 sc in each sc in the rnd = 12 sc.**Rnd 20:** *1 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 18 sc.**Rnd 21:** *1 sc in each of the following 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 24 sc.**Rnd 22 – 24:** 1 sc in each sc in the rnd.**Rnd 25:** *1 sc in each of the following 2 sc, 2 sc tog*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 18 sc.**Rnd 26:** *1 sc, 2 sc tog*, rep from *-* in the rnd = 12 sc.**Rnd 27:** Work 2 sc tog in the rnd = 6 sc.

Cut yarn, baste around last rnd, pull tog and fasten yarn end.

Hat:

With red melange/green/yellowish-green/sea green and 3.5 mm ndls cast on 4 sts

K 1 row, slide sts back to other side of ndl, pull yarn firmly, and k the 4 sts. Rep this every row and always knit from the same side until a total of 5 rows.

Join and cont in rnds with double pointed ndls and inc as follows:

k1, inc 1 st, rep from *-* in the rnd = 4 sts inc.

Rep inc every 4th rnd, but with 1 st more between each inc on every rnd of inc until 20 sts on rnd.

Work 8 rnds without inc.

Cast off.

Scarf:

With red melange/green/yellowish-green/sea green and 3.5 mm ndls cast on 3 sts.

Work ridges back and forth until scarf meas approx 30 cm.

Cast off.

Finishing:**Felting:**

Felt work in washing machine at 40C with regular detergent (do not use special detergent for white) on a regular cycle.

Remove hat and scarf from machine and form each item while still moist.

Put hat on head of santa and tie scarf around his neck.