Dino Cuddle Cloth

No. 1011-203-3155

Difficulty: Intermediate
Crochet hook: 2.5 mm and 5 mm
Materials: pins, black embroidery thread, sewing thread, sewing needle, safety eyes (8 mm)

Yarn: Baby Cotton
Mint (#09) - 1 skein
Purple (#14) - 1 skein
Sky Blue (#07) - 1 skein
Light Rose (#11) - 1 skein

Garn: Baby Merino XL
Pastel Purple (#41) - 1 skein

Abbreviations:
st(s): stitch(es)
ch: chain stitch
sc: single crochet
1 incr: make 2 sc/dc in same st
1 decr: make 1 sc/dc over 2 sts
sl st: slip stitch
dc: double crochet

Buy your yarn here:
http://shop.hobbii.com/dino-cuddle-cloth

Tip!

Use a stitch marker or a safety pin to keep track of the beginning of the round.

A wooden chopstick is a great tool when Dino's head needs to be stuffed well.

DINO HEAD
In the color Mint and a 2.5 mm hook.
Start with a Magic Ring.
Round 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)
Round 2: [incr] x6 (12)
Round 3: [1 sc, incr] x6 (18)
Round 4: 1 sc, incr, [2 sc, incr] x5, 1 sc (24)
Round 5: [3 sc, incr] x6 (30)
Round 6: 2 sc, incr, [4 sc, incr] x5, 2 sc (36)
Round 7: [5 sc, incr] x6 (42)
Round 8-12: 42 sc (5 rounds, 42)
Round 13: 3 sc, incr, [6 sc, incr] x5, 3 sc (48)
Round 14-16: 48 sc (3 rounds, 48)
Round 17: 3 sc, decr, [6 sc, decr] x5, 3 sc (42)

Place the safety eyes between rounds 9 and 10, with 6 sts inbetween.

Round 18: [5 sc, decr] x6 (36)
Round 19: 2 sc, decr, [4 sc, decr] x5, 2 sc (30)
Fill the head with stuffing as you continue
Round 20: [3 sc, decr] x6 (24)
Round 21: 1 sc, decr, [2 sc, decr] x5, 1 sc (18)
Round 22: [1 sc, decr] x6 (12)
Round 23: [decr] x6 (6)
Break the yarn and sew up the small hole.

SNOUT
Using the col Mint
Start with a Magic Ring
Round 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)
Round 2: [incr] x6 (12)
Round 3: [1 sc, incr] x6 (18)
Round 4: 1 sc, incr, [2 sc, incr] x5, 1 sc (24)
Round 5-7: 24 sc (3 rounds, 24)
Break the yarn, but leave a long tail for when you sew it onto the head.
Place the snout on the head with pins, then secure by sewing on with the long tail end. Fill with stuffing before you close up the hole completely.

CHEEKS (make 2)
Using col Light rose
Start with a Magic Ring.

Round 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)
End with a sl st into the first st.
Break the yarn, but leave a long tail end to sew them onto the head.
Place the cheeks on either side of the head and sew on with the tail end.

SPIKES (make 3)
Using col Purple
Start with a Magic Ring.
Round 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)
Round 2: 6 sc (6)
Round 3: [incr] x6 (12)
Round 4: 12 sc (12)
Round 5: [1 sc, incr] x6 (18)
Round 6-7: 18 sc (2 rounds, 18)
Round 8: [1 sc, decr] x6 (12)
End with a sl st.
Break the yarn, but leave a long tail end to sew them onto the head.
Place the spiked with pins and sew onto the head.
Embroider eyebrows and nostrils with black embroidery thread.

LARGE DOTS (make 2)
Using col Sky blue
Start with a Magic Ring.
Round 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)
Round 2: [incr] x6 (12)
End with a sl st.
Break the yarn, but leave a long tail end to sew them onto the head.
Sew a dot to either side of the head.

SMALL DOTS (make 2)
Using col Sky blue
Start with a Magic Ring.
Round 1: 6 sc in the ring (6)
End with a sl st.
Break the yarn, but leave a long tail end to sew them onto the head.
Sew a dot to either side of the head.

RUFFLE COLLAR
Using col Sky blue
Make a Magic Ring
Round 1: Ch 3, 11 dc into the ring, end with a sl st. (12)
Round 2: Ch 3, dc in the first st, 2 dc in every st, end with a sl st. (24)
Round 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in the first st, 3 dc in evert st, end with a sl st.
Break the yarn.
Place the Dino head onto the circle and sew them together.

CLOTH
Worked as a granny square.
Using Baby Merino XL in the color Pastel Purple and crochet hook 5.0 mm.

Ch 5 and join with a sl st to create a ring.
Round 1: Ch 3, 2 dc into the ring, [ch 3, 3 dc] x3, end with ch 3 and a sl st into the 3rd ch from the beginning of the round. Turn the work.
Round 2: Ch 3, 2 dc in the first ch-sp, ch 3, 3dc in the same ch-sp. [Ch 2, 3 dc in the next ch-sp, ch 3, 3 dc in the same ch-sp] x3. End with ch 2 and a sl st into the 3rd ch from the beginning of the round. Turn the work.
Round 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in the first ch-sp, ch 2, [3 dc in the next ch-sp, ch 3, 3 dc in the same ch-sp, ch 2, 3 dc in the next ch-sp, ch 2] x3, 3 dc in the next ch-sp, ch 3, 3 dc in the same ch-sp. End with ch 2 and a sl st into the 3rd ch from the beginning of the round. Turn the work.

Repeat **round 3** until the cloth has the desired size

Edge
Using col Mint and crochet hook 2.5 mm
Round 1: Begin in the middle of a side. Ch 5, sl st into a ch-sp. Repeat [ch 5, sl st into ch-sp] until end of round.
Round 2: Working into the ch-sp, [3 sc, ch 2, 3 sc] in every ch-sp along the edge.
Break the yarn and weave in ends.

BALLS (lav 4 stk.)
Using col Light Rose and crochet hook 2.5 mm
Start with a Magic Ring
Round 1: 6 sc into the ring
Round 2: [incr] x6 (12)
Round 3: [1 sc, incr] x6 (18)
Round 4-6: 1 sc in every st (3 rounds, 18)
Round 7: [1 sc, decr] x6 (12)
Fill with stuffing
Round 8: [decr] x6 (6)
Break the yarn and weave in ends.

FINISHING
Sew a ball to the edge at every corner of the cloth.
Sew the Dino Head to the middle of the cloth, making sure to secure well.

Done!

Enjoy!
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