



# Finn the Hippo

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#### MATERIALS

2 skeins of Rainbow Cotton 8/4, color 016 1 skein of Rainbow Cotton 8/4, color 035 A piece of black scrap yarn for the eyes A piece of beige scrap yarn for the hat

Crochet hook size 2.5 mm 2 small buttons Fiberfill

#### **YARN QUALITY**

**Rainbow Cotton 8/4**, Hobbii 100% cotton / 50 g = 170 meters

#### ABBREVIATIONS

mr = magic ring ch = chain sc = single crochet sl st(s) = slip stitch(es) bl = back loop fl = front loop inc = increase - 2 stitches in the same st dec = decrease - 2 stitches together rnd(s): = rounds (xx) = Number of stitches after ended round

#### **EXPLANATIONS**

Crab stitch = single crochet worked from left to right

#### **MEASUREMENTS**

Height: 35 cm

# **PATTERN INFORMATION**

Always stuff the head and body firmly. Always stuff between head and body as you sew the head on to avoid a wobbly head. Work tightly to avoid holes between the stitches.

All pieces are worked in a spiral.

#### **TECHNIQUE VIDEOS**

Magic ring: <u>Link for video</u> Single crochet: <u>Link for video</u> Increase: <u>Link for video</u> Decrease: <u>Link for video</u>

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#### QUESTIONS

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# Pattern







#### HEAD

In color 016

Rnd 1: 6 sc in a mr Rnd 2: inc 6 times (12) Rnd 3: (1 sc, inc) 6 times (18) Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc) 6 times (24) Rnd 5: (3 sc, inc) 6 times (30) Rnd 6: (4 sc, inc) 6 times (36) Rnd 7: (5 sc, inc) 6 times (42) Rnd 8: (6 sc, inc) 6 times (48) Rnd 9: (7 sc, inc) 6 times (54) Rnds 10-17: 1 sc in each st (54) Stuff the head as you work if you prefer. Rnd 18: (7 sc, dec) 6 times (48) Rnd 19: 1 sc in each st (48) Rnd 20: (6 sc, dec) 6 times (42) Rnd 21: 1 sc in each st (42) Rnd 22: (6 sc, inc) 6 times (48) Rnd 23: (7 sc, inc) 6 times (54) Rnds 24-29: 1 sc in each st (54) Rnd 30: (7 sc, dec) 6 times (48) Rnd 31: 1 sc in each st (48) Rnd 32: (6 sc, dec) 6 times (42) Rnd 33: 1 sc in each st (42) Rnd 34: (5 sc, dec) 6 times (36) Rnd 35: (4 sc, dec) 6 times (30) Rnd 36: (3 sc, dec) 6 times (24) Rnd 37: (2 sc, dec) 6 times (18) Rnd 38: (1 sc, dec) 6 times (12) Rnd 39: (2 sc, dec) 3 times (9) Stuff the head well with fiberfill.

Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for gathering the last 9 stitches. Use a needle to gather the last 9 front loops and tighten the yarn gently to close the hole nicely.



#### BODY

In color 016

Rnd 1: 6 sc in a mr Rnd 2: inc 6 times. (12) Rnd 3: (1 sc, inc) 6 times (18) Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc) 6 times (24) Rnd 5: (3 sc, inc) 6 times (30) Rnd 6: (4 sc, inc) 6 times (36) Rnd 7: (5 sc, inc) 6 times (42) Rnd 8: (6 sc, inc) 6 times (48) Rnd 9: (7 sc, inc) 6 times (54) Rnd 10: (8 sc, inc) 6 times (60) Rnd 11: (9 sc, inc) 6 times (66) Rnd 12: (10 sc, inc) 6 times (72) Rnds 13-24: 1 sc in each st (72) Rnd 25: (10 sc, dec) 6 times (66) Rnds 26-28: 1 sc in each st (66) Rnd 29: (9 sc, dec) 6 times (60) Rnds 30-31: 1 sc in each st (60) Rnd 32: (8 sc, dec) 6 times (54) Rnds 33-34: 1 sc in each st (54) Rnd 35: (7 sc, dec) 6 times (48) Rnds 36-37: 1 sc in each st (48) Rnd 38: (6 sc, dec) 6 times (42) Rnd 39: 1 sc in each st (42) Rnd 40: (5 sc, dec) 6 times (36) Rnd 41: 1 sc in each st (36) Rnd 42: (4 sc, dec) 6 times (30) Rnd 43: 1 sc in each st (30) Rnd 44: (3 sc, dec) 6 times (24) Rnd 45: (2 sc, dec) 6 times (18) Stuff the body well with fiberfill. Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for assembling.

#### EAR

In color 016, make 2

Rnd 1: 6 sc in a mr Rnd 2: inc 6 times (12) Rnds 3-4: 1 sc in each st (12) Rnd 5: (1 sc, dec) 4 times , 1 sl st (8) Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for assembling.

#### ARM

In color 016, make 2

Rnd 1: 6 sc in a mr Rnd 2: inc 6 times. (12) Rnd 3: (1 sc, inc) 6 times (18)



Stuff the tip lightly with fiberfill Rnds 4-33: 1 sc in each st (18) Rnd 34: (4 sc, dec) 3 times (15) Rnds 35-36: 1 sc in each st (15) Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for assembling.

# LEG

In color 016, make 2

Rnd 1: 6 sc in a mr Rnd 2: inc 6 times. (12) Rnd 3: (1 sc, inc) 6 times (18) Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc) 6 times (24) Rnd 5: (3 sc, inc) 6 times (30) Rnd 5: (3 sc, dec) 6 times (30) Rnd 10: (3 sc, dec) 6 times (24) Rnd 11: 1 sc in each st (24) Rnd 12: (2 sc, dec) 6 times (18) Rnd 13: 1 sc in each st (18) Rnd 14: (4 sc, dec) 3 times (15) Stuff the foot well and only very lightly in the actual leg Rnds 15-46: 1 sc in each st (15) Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for assembling.

# Tail

In color 016

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Rnd 1: 5 sc in a mr

Rnd 2: inc, 4 sc (6)

Rnd 3: inc, 5 sc (7)

Rnd 4: inc, 6 sc (8)

Rnd 5: inc, 7 sc (9)

Rnd 6: inc, 8 sc (10)

Rnd 7: inc, 9 sc (11)

Rnd 8: inc, 10 sc (12)

Rnd 9: (3 sc, inc) 3 times (15)

Rnds 10-11: 1 sc in each st (15)

Rnd 12: (3 sc, dec) 3 times (12)

Rnd 13: (2 sc, dec) 3 times (9)

Stuff the tip of the tail with fiberfill

Rnds 14-25: 1 sc in each st (9)

Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for assembling.
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# HAT

In beige

Rnd 1: 6 sc in a mr Rnd 2: inc 6 times. (12) Rnd 3: (1 sc, inc) 6 times (18) Rnd 4: 1 sc in each st in the bl (18) Rnds 5-9: 1 sc in each st (18)



Rnd 10: in the fl only (2 sc, inc) 6 times (24) Rnd 11: 1 sc in each st , 1 sl st (24) Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for assembling.

# **PANTS LEGS**

In color 035

Rnd 1: Ch 24 and join into a ring with a sl st. Rnd 2: 1 sc in each st (24) Rnd 3: on this rnd, work 1 sc around each sc **on the previous rnd**. This creates a nice edge at the bottom of the pants leg. Rnds 4-18: 1 sc in each st (24) Fasten off and cut off the yarn.

Make another one identical to this, but don't cut off the yarn. Now, continue with the pantsuit.

# PANTSUIT

Continue on the 2nd pants leg

Rnd 1: Ch 12, attach to the first pants leg

Rnd 2: 1 sc in each st on the first pants leg, 1 sc in each of the chains between the pants legs, 1 sc in each st around the second pants leg, 1 sc in each of the chains on the other side (72)

Rnds 3-27: 1 sc in each st (72)

Rnd 28: 1 crab stitch in each st (72)

Fasten off and leave a tail long enough for assembling.

Now, pull the legs through the pants and fold the pants legs in slightly to make them "puff out" a bit.

Sew the legs onto the body as shown in the picture, approx. on the 7th round from the bottom of the body and with 9 sc in between.















#### **STRAP**

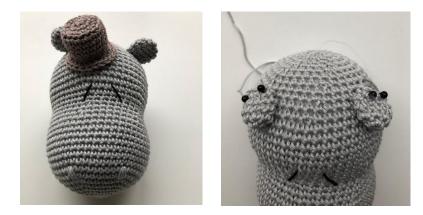
Attach the yarn on the back side of the pants where you finished the last round and ch 48, attach these on the front side with a sl st.

Repeat for the second strap.



# ASSEMBLING

- · Sew the head onto the body
- $\cdot$  Sew the arms on on rnd 7
- $\cdot$  Sew the ears on on rnd 9 counted from the back of the head and with 9 sc in between
- $\cdot$  Sew the hat on right in front of one of the ears
- $\cdot$  Embroider the eyes on rnds 20-23 (counted from the snout) with 3 sc between the upper part of the eyes
- $\cdot$  Embroider nostrils on rnds 7-9 with 8 sc in between
- $\cdot$  Sew the tail on in the middle of the back side
- $\cdot$  On the front side, sew a button on at each strap at the edge of the pants







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