



CROCHET PATTERN

Sunburst the Sunflower

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MATERIALS

Rainbow Cotton 8/4

1 skein of Lime 018
1 skein of Light Lime 017
1 skein of Dark Green 022
1 skein of Light Brown 006
1 skein of Dark Brown 008
1 skein of Sunny Yellow 055
1 skein of Light Coral 050

Crochet hook 2 mm (US B/1)
2 safety eyes 10 mm (0.39")
Soft Stuffing
Embroidery Needle
Stitch Markers
Scissors
White thread for sewing

YARN QUALITY

 **Rainbow Cotton 8/4**, Hobbii
100% Cotton
50 g (1.75 oz) = 170 metres (186 yds)

ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain
rnd = round
sc = single crochet
dc = double crochet
inc = increase, 2 sts in the same stitch
dec = decrease, 2 sts together
blo/ flo = back/ front loop only
(...) "x" times = repeat by amount "x"
[...] = total stitches

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions regarding this pattern, please feel free to email us at support@hobbii.com
Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

SIZE

One size

MEASUREMENTS

Height: Approx. 22 cm (8,6")

PATTERN INFORMATION

Sunburst the Sunflower is a fun crocheted friend who spreads joy and sunshine.

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Pattern



INFO AND TIPS

The pattern is tightly stitched with a smaller than average hook, this is to keep the rounds neat and prevent the stuffing from being seen.

HEAD

In **Light Brown (006)**



Rnd 1: start with 6 sc in a magic ring [6]

Rnd 2: inc in all 6 sts [12]

Rnd 3: (sc in next st, inc in next st) 6 times [18]

Rnd 4: (sc in next 2 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [24]

Rnd 5: (sc in next 3 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [30]

Rnd 6: (sc in next 4 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [36]

Rnd 7: (sc in next 5 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [42]

Rnds 8 - 13: sc in all 42 sts [42]

Rnd 14: (sc in next 6 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [48]

Rnd 15: sc in next 7 sts, inc in next st, sc in next 15 sts, inc in next st, sc in next 7 sts, inc in next st, sc in next 16 sts [51]

Rnd 16: sc in all 51 sts [51]

Rnd 17: sc in next 8 sts, inc in next st, sc in next 13 sts, inc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, inc in the next st, sc in the next 17 sts [54]

Place st markers after every second inc on rnd 18, this will help with positioning of the eyes and other features.

Rnd 18: sc in next 8 sts, inc in next 3 sts, sc in next 24 sts, inc in next 3 sts, sc in next 16 sts [60]

Rnd 19: sc in next 11 sts, inc in next st, sc in next 28 sts, inc in next st, sc in next 19 sts [62]

Place safety eyes between Rnds 14 - 15, 6/7 visible sts from the markers placed on rnd 18 of the head. Do not place the safety backs on until you are happy they are correctly seated.

Rnd 20: sc in next 29 sts, dec in next st, sc in next 29 sts, dec in next st [60]

Rnd 21: sc in all 60 sts [60]

Rnd 22: (sc in next 8 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [54]

Rnd 23: sc in next 9 sts, dec in next st, sc in next st, dec in next st, sc in next 21 sts, dec in next st, sc in next st, dec in next st, sc in next 14 sts [50]

Rnd 24: (sc in next 3 sts, dec in next st) 10 times [40]

Rnd 25: sc in next 7 sts, (dec in next st) 2 times, sc in next 16 sts, (dec in next st) 2 times, sc in next 9 sts [36]

Rnd 26: (sc in next 4 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [30]

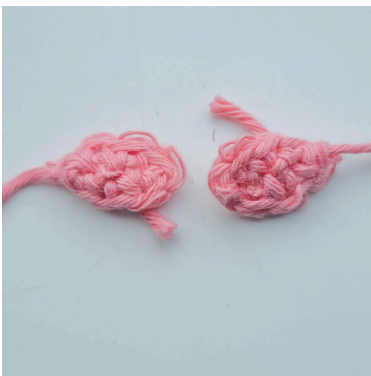
Rnd 27: (sc in next 3 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [24]

Rnd 28: sc in all 24 sts [24], stuff the head firmly.

Fasten off and leave a long thread for sewing the head to the body.

CHEEKS

Make two In **Light Coral (050)**



Rnd 1: ch 4, [in the second ch] sc, sc in next st, inc in last st, [work around the other side of the chain] sc in next 2 sts [6]

Fasten off and leave a long thread for sewing the cheeks to the head.

Place the cheeks at either side of the head, 2 ends beneath the eyes. Use st markers from the head section as a guide.

FACIAL DETAILS

In **Dark brown (008)**

You can choose to leave this section until the very end.

- Create eyebrows. They both sit over 4 sts and 2 rnds just above the safety eyes.
- Create the nose. Work a brown st over 6sts of the head, between the safety eyes. Repeat this process until you have a thick line. (alternatively if you know how to work a bullion st, you can use this method)

With **White** thread

- Create an expression line around the safety eyes.

BODY

In **Light Lime (017)**



Rnd 1: start with 6 sc in a magic ring [6]

Rnd 2: inc in all 6 sts [12]

Rnd 3: (sc in next st, inc in next st) 6 times [18]

Rnd 4: (sc in next 2 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [24]

Rnd 5: (sc in next 3 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [30]

Rnd 6: (sc in next 4 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [36]

Rnd 7: (sc in next 5 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [42]

Rnd 8: (sc in next 6 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [48]

Rnd 9: (sc in next 7 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [54]

Rnds 10 - 15: sc in all 54 sts [54]

Rnd 16: (sc in next 7 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [48]

Rnd 17: (sc in next 6 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [42]

Rnds 18 - 19: sc in all 42 sts [42]

Rnd 20: (sc in next 5 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [36]

Rnds 21 - 24: sc in all 36 sts [36]

Rnd 25: (sc in next 4 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [30]

Rnds 26 - 28: sc in all 30 sts [30]

Rnd 29: (sc in next 3 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [24]

Rnds 30: sc in all 24 sts [24]

Rnds 31: blo sc in all 24 sts [24], stuff firmly.

Fasten off and weave in the yarn end, then take the thread from the head and sew the body and head together.

COLLAR

In **Lime (018)**



You will now create the collar for Sunburst. You will be working in the blo section of rnd 31. Insert the yarn and secure it with a sl st with Rnd 31 of the body facing you and Rnd 1 of the body facing away from you.

Rnd 1: ch 2, [in first st] dc inc, sc in next 2 sts, (dc 3 in next st, sc in next 2 sts) 7 times. Sl st into the remaining st. Fasten off and weave in the yarn end.

ARMS

Make two in **Lime (018)**



Rnd 1: start with 6 sc in a magic ring [6]

Rnd 2: inc in all 6 sts [12]

Rnd 3: (sc in next st, inc in next st) 6 times [18]

Rnd 4: (sc in next 2 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [24]

Rnd 5: (sc in next 3 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [30]

Rnds 6 - 8: sc in all 30 sts [30]

Rnd 9: sc in next 3 sts, (dec in next st, sc in next 2 sts) 6 times, sc in next 3 sts [24]

Rnd 10: (dec in next st, sc in next 2 sts) 6 times [18], stuff gradually.

Rnds 11 - 13: sc in all 18 sts [18]

Rnd 14: dec in next st, sc in next 16 sts [17]

Rnds 15 - 16: sc in all 17 sts [17]

Rnd 17: dec in next st, sc in next 15 sts [16]

Rnd 18: sc in all 16 sts [16]

Rnd 19: dec in next st, sc in next 14 sts [15], stop stuffing.
 Rnds 20 - 25: sc in all 15 sts [15]
 Rnd 26: dec in next st, sc in next 13 sts [14]
 Rnd 27: dec in next st, sc in next 12 sts [13]
 Rnd 28: sc in all 13 sts [13]
 Rnd 29: dec in next st, sc in next 11 sts [12]
 Rnds 30 - 35: sc in all 12 sts [12]
 Rnd 36: fold in half, sc [through both sides] in all 6 sts [6]
 Fasten off and leave a long yarn end to sew the arm to the body.

Using the yarn thread, stitch the arm to the sides of the body. Align the arms with the markers on the head, at rnd 18. The top part of the arm [vertically positioned] sat over three rounds, on Rnd 30 of the body, from the top. They should touch the surface on which it's sat on when placed.

LEGS

Make two in **Lime (018)**



Rnd 1: start with 6 sc in a magic ring [6]
 Rnd 2: inc in all 6 sts [12]
 Rnd 3: (sc in next st, inc in next st) 6 times [18]
 Rnd 4: (sc in next 2 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [24]
 Rnd 5: (sc in next 3 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [30]
 Rnd 6: (sc in next 4 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [36]
 Rnds 7 - 8: sc in all 36 sts [36]
 Rnd 9: sc in next 6 sts, (dec in next st, sc in next 2 sts) 6 times, sc in next 6 sts [30]
 Rnd 10: sc in all 30 sts [30]
 Rnd 11: (sc in next 3 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [24]
 Rnd 12: (sc in next 2 sts, dec in next st) 6 times [18]
 Rnds 13 - 19: sc in all 18 sts [18], stuff firmly.
 Fasten off and leave a long yarn end to sew the leg to the body.

The legs sit on Rounds 10-14 of the body. Pin the legs ten stitches apart. Once you are happy, check if the arms can sit between the legs. All this will help Sunburst sit comfortably without any issue of falling over.

Sunburst does not have toes on his legs.

DETAILS

In **Dark Green (022)**



Create toes:

Take the thread colour through Rnd 4, over the arm and back into Rnd 7. Do this three times before moving 2 sts and repeating the whole process again. Do this a third time until you have three toe markings on each arm.

LARGE PETALS

Make eight in **Sunny Yellow (055)**



Rnd 1: start with 6 sc in a magic ring [6]

Rnd 2: inc in all 6 sts [12]

Rnd 3: (sc in next st, inc in next st) 6 times [18]

Rnd 4: (sc in next 2 sts, inc in next st) 6 times [24]

Rnd 5: (sc in next 11 sts, inc in next st) 2 times [26]

Rnds 6 - 8: sc in all 26 sts [26] Do not stuff.

Rnd 9: sc in next st, (dec in next st, sc in next 2 sts) 6 times, sc in next st [20]

Rnd 10: (sc in next 8 sts, dec in next st) 2 times [18]

Rnd 11: (sc in next 7 sts, dec in next st) 2 times [16]

Rnd 12: (sc in next 6 sts, dec in next st) 2 times [14]

Rnd 13: (sc in next 5 sts, dec in next st) 2 times [12]

Rnds 14 - 15: sc in all 12 sts [12] Fasten off 7/8 and hide the yarn.

With the 8th LARGE PETAL, continue on to Rnd 16.

Rnd 16: sc in next 6 sts, (connect a petal and work a sc in next 6 sts.) 6 times. [You are now going to work the last Large Petal and work back to finish.] sc in the next 12 sts, (connect back to a petal and work a sc in the next 6 sts.) 7 times. [96]

Rnd 17: sc in all 96 sts [96]

Fasten off and leave a very long yarn end to sew the Large petal headdress to the head.

Grab as many pins as you can. Pin the front and the back separately.



- You will need to align three of the eight petals on either side of the head.
- One petal should cover the stitch marker left from the head section on either side. [Remove the markers before sewing]
- Two petals should sit over the magic ring of the head section.

Once you are happy, stitch over the front side first making sure the connected petal headdress follows the contours of Sunburst's head.

Take your time and look at each petal to make sure you are still in line, only remove the pins when you have sewn past that point.

SMALL PETALS

Make nine in **Sunny Yellow (055)**



Rnd 1: start with 6 sc in a magic ring [6]

Rnd 2: inc in all 6 sts [12]

Rnd 3: (sc in next 2 sts, inc in next st) 4 times [16]

Rnd 4: (sc in next 7 sts, inc in next st) 2 times [18]

Rnds 5 - 7: sc in all 18 sts [18] Do not stuff.

Rnd 8: (sc in next 7 sts, dec in next st) 2 times [16]

Rnd 9: (sc in next 6 sts, dec in next st) 2 times [14]

Rnd 10: (sc in next 5 sts, dec in next st) 2 times [12]

Rnd 11: (sc in next st, dec in next st) 4 times [8]

Fasten off and leave a long yarn end to sew the Small petals to the head.

Grab long pins for this section, if you have them. Pin each small petal separately.



- You will need to align them so they cover the gaps of the petal headdress.
- Two petals should sit more prominently on Sunburst's face, this will cover the gap between the headdress and the arms.
- Keep the other petals pinned while you sew them individually. This will keep them where you want them.

With any remaining yarn, hide any holes formed from sewing the petal headdress onto the head. Make sure to keep the back part of Sunburst's headdress neat.

Enjoy!

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