

TODD THE FROG

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SKILL LEVEL



To make this pattern you will need to know how to:

begin with a magic ring • chain • slip stitch • single crochet • half double crochet • double crochet • increase • invisible decrease • work FLO • work BLO • work in continuous rounds

GAUGE AND FINISHED SIZE:

Gauge is not essential for this project: you can use any size of hook you want as long as your yarn choice is consistent with it. Just be careful to work tight stitches so as the stuffing doesn't show through.



SUPPLIES:

* Yarn:

Green

Yellow, Black, White, Pink & Blue (small amount)

* Crochet hook 3.00 mm

(or any other size consistent with the yarn you chose to make the main parts)

- * Tapestry needle
- * Stuffing material (fiberfill)
- * Pins
- * Scissors

ABBREVIATIONS:

R: round/row MR: magic ring

ch : chain st(s) : stitch(es)

slst(s) : slip stitch(es) sc : single crochet

hdc: half double crochet

dc : double crochet

inc: increase (= single crochet 2 stitches in same sc)

dec : decrease (= single crochet 2 stitches in front loops together)

FLO : front loops only BLO : back loops only

FO: fasten off

 * ...,... * x... : repeat instructions between * * as many times as indicated

SPECIAL STITCH:

<u>PUFF STITCH</u>: (exemple given for a 3dc puff stitch)

1. Yarn over (yo), insert the hook in the stitch, yarn over, draw the yarn through the stitch, yarn over, and draw the yarn through the 2 loops on the hook.

One half-closed double crochet is complete, and 2 loops remain on the hook.

2. In the same stitch, repeat the preceding step twice.

3. Yarn over and draw the yarn through all 4 loops on the hook. One 3-double-crochet puff stitch is complete.

ARMS:

(make 2 using green yarn)

R1: MR4(4)

R2 : inc around (8) R3 : *inc, sc* x4 (12)

R4: 3dc puff stitch, sc11 (12)

R5: *dec, sc* x4 (8) R6 - 13: sc around (8)

FO, leave long tail for sewing. (Note: make them first since it might be easier to sew arms on R22 of body before you crochet the head.)

LEGS:

(make 2 using green yarn)

R1: MR6 (6)

R2: inc around (12)

R3: inc, sc, inc, [5dc puff stitch, sc] x3, sc, inc, sc (15)

R4: BLO sc around (15) R5: *dec, sc3* x4 (12) R6 - 12: sc around (12)

- ★ <u>First leg</u>: FO and cut yarn. Mark the 4th stitch of the last row. This is where you are going to join second leg.
- ★ Second leag: do not fasten off nor cut yarn, keep going with body instructions.

BODY/HEAD:

(with green yarn)

★ Connecting legs:

R13: Chain 2, join in first leg with 1sc in the marked stitch, crochet around the leg, sc2 in chain, sc around second leg back to stitch marker. (28)

R14: sc around (28)

R15: sc9, inc, sc11, inc, sc6 (30)

Stuff legs

R16 : sc around (30) R17 : *inc, sc4* x6 (36) R18 - 19: sc around (36)

R20: *dec. sc4* x6 (30) R21 - 22 : sc around (30) R23: *dec. sc3* x6 (24) R24 : sc around (24) R25: *dec, sc2* x6 (18) R26 : sc around (18)

R27: *dec. sc 1* x6 (12)R28: sc around (12) \rightarrow Now would be a good time for sewing arms;) R29: FLO *inc, sc* x6 (18) R30: *inc, sc2* x6 (24) R31: sc around (24) R32: *inc, sc3* x6 (30) R33: *inc, sc4* x6 (36) R34: *inc, sc3* x9 (45) R35-43: sc around (45) R44: *dec, sc3* x9 (36) R45: *dec, sc4* x6 (30) R46: *dec, sc3* x6 (24)

R47: *dec. sc2* x6(18) R48: *dec, sc* x6 (12)

R49: close hole with tapestry needle

★ See « closing the top of an amigurumi » video <u>here</u>.



R1: ch4, in 2nd ch from hook: inc, sc, inc, sc.

R2: inc around (12) R3: *inc, sc* x6 (18) R4 - 7 : sc around (18)

(make 2 with black, blue & white yarn)

Start with black yarn

R1: MR6(6)

R2: *2slst in next stitch, slst1*x3 (9)

R3: *inc, sc2* x3 (12)

R4: slst around (18)

R1: ch 15, join in 1st stitch with a slst

R2 - 4 : sc around (15)

R5: *ch3, slst in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in next, sc2* x7, ch3, slst in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in next, sc1.





Now you can kiss your little frog on the nose and do a little happy dance!









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