



Kaya's Baby

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Baby Kangaroo

Materials

A) Lion Brand – Homespun – Nouveau – Approx. 45 yds
B) Lion Brand – Vanna’s Choice – Black – Approx. 2 yds
H/8-5.00MM crochet hook
Polyester Fiberfil
Darning Needle size 13
Stuffing Stick

Abbreviations

TW – Turn Work
sl st – slip stitch
st(s) – stitch(s)
sc – single crochet
rep – repeat
ch(s) – chain(s)

Gauge Swatch

5 sts x 4 Rows = 2” x 2” swatch (Using A)

Finished Project Size

5”H x 2.5”W

Head

Using Color A and stuffing as work progresses,

Rnd 1: Ch 3, sl st last ch to first ch to make a loop

Rnd 2: Ch 1, TW, work 5 sc in center of loop, sl st last sc to first sc – 5 sts

Rnds 3-5: Ch 1, TW, 1 sc in each st to end of rnd, sl st last sc to first sc – 5 sts

Rnd 6: Ch 1, TW, 2 sc in each st to end of rnd, sl st last sc to first sc – 10 sts

Rnd 7: Ch 1, TW, 2 sc in each st to end of rnd, sl st last sc to first sc – 20 sts

Rnds 8-9: Ch 1, TW, 1 sc in each st to end of rnd, sl st last sc to first sc – 20 sts

Rnd 10: Ch 1, TW, * sc next 2 sts tog, rep from * 9 more times to end of rnd, sl st last sc to first sc – 10 sts

Rnd 11: Ch 1, TW, * sc next 2 sts tog, rep from * 4 more times to end of rnd, sl st last sc to first sc – 5 sts

Fasten off, leaving an 8” length to whip stitch remaining hole closed. Tie off and weave in ends.

Ear – Make 2

Using Color A and leaving an 8” length,

Row 1: Ch 3, TW, starting with second ch from hook, 1 sc in each of next 2 chs – 2 sts

Row 2: Ch 1, TW, 1 sc in each st to end of row – 2 sts

Row 3: Ch 1, TW, sc next 2 sts tog – 1 st

Fasten off and weave in end. Use 8” length to whip stitch Row 1 to top of head as seen in project photos. Tie off and weave in ends.

Body – Make 2

Using A and leaving a 20” length on one of the pieces,

Row 1: Ch 5, TW, starting with second ch from hook, 2 sc in next ch, 1 sc in each of next 2 chs, 2 sc in next ch – 6 sts

Row 2: Ch 1, TW, 2 sc in next st, 1 sc in each of next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st – 8 sts

Row 3-6: Ch 1, TW, 1 sc in each st to end of row – 8 sts

Row 7: Ch 1, TW, sc next 2 sts tog, 1 sc in each of next 4 sts, sc next 2 sts tog – 6 sts

Row 8: Ch 1, TW, sc next 2 sts tog, 1 sc in each of next 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog – 4 sts

Fasten off and weave in end. Align both pieces so that their shapes match up and use the 20” length to whip stitch the two pieces together.

Using a 15” length of Color A, sew Row 8 of the Body to the center of the underside of the head as seen in project photos.

Eyes

Embroider eyes as seen in project photos, using 2 - ten inch lengths of Color B.

Nose and Mouth

Embroider on as seen in project photos, using 2- twenty inch lengths of Color B.



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