



BEARS

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 9 ins [23 cm] high.

MATERIALS

Bernat Cottontots

(Solids 100 g / 3.5 oz)

Main Color (MC)

(90421 Strawberry) or
(90420 Pretty in Pink)

1 ball

Contrast A

(90005 Wonder White)

1 ball

Size 4 mm (U.S. G or 6) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stuffing. 2 yds [180 cm] of smooth black yarn for embroidery.

ABBREVIATIONS

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GAUGE

16 sc and 17 rows = 4 ins [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

Head and Body

With MC, ch 3. Sl st in first ch to form a ring.

1st rnd: 6 sc in ring. **Do not** join with sl st. Place a marker on last st to mark end of rnd. Cont moving this marker at end of each subsequent rnd.

2nd rnd: 2 sc in each sc around. 12 sc.

3rd rnd: *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. 18 sc.

4th rnd: *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc. Rep from * around. 24 sc.

5th rnd: *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. Rep from * around. 30 sc.

6th to 10th rnds: 1 sc in each sc around.

11th rnd: *Draw up a loop in each of next 2 sc. Yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook – sc2tog made. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. Rep from * around. 24 sc.

12th rnd: *Sc2tog. Rep from * around. 12 sc.

13th rnd: 2 sc in each sc around. 24 sc.

14th rnd: *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. 30 sc.

15th rnd: *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 sc. 36 sc.

16th to 26th rnds: 1 sc in each sc around. **Do not** fasten off.

Stuff head and body firmly up to 1 in [2.5 cm] below last rnd. Stuff rem portion lightly.

Join lower edge: Ch 1. Fold 26th rnd in half, having ch 1 at fold. Working through both thicknesses, work 1 sc in each sc across. Turn. 18 sc. **Do not** fasten off.

Left Leg: 1st rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in front loop only of each of next 9 sc. **Turn.** Leave rem 9 sc unworked. Working in free loops, work 1 sc in other side of each of first 9 sc. 18 sc. **Do not** join with sl st. Place a marker on last st to mark end of rnd. Cont moving this marker at end of each subsequent rnd.

2nd to 9th rnds: 1 sc in each sc around.

10th rnd: 1 sc in each sc around. Sl st in next sc. Fasten off.

11th rnd: Join A with sl st in back loop only of same sc as last sl st. Working in back loop only of each st around, sc2tog over this st and next st. 1 sc in next st. *Sc2tog over next 2 sts. 1 sc in next st. Rep from * around. 12 sc. Stuff leg firmly.

12th rnd: *Sc2tog. Rep from * around. 6 sc.

13th rnd: *Miss next sc. Sl st in next sc. Rep from * around. Fasten off.

Right Leg: 1st rnd: With Left Leg at right-hand side and working in front loop only of each st, join MC with sl st to next unworked st. 1 sc in each of rem 9 sc. Turn. Working in free loops, work 1 sc in other side of each of first 9 sc. 18 sc. **Do not** join with sl st. Place a marker on last st to mark end of rnd. Cont moving this marker at end of each subsequent rnd.

Work rem of Right Leg as given for Left Leg.

Tummy Pad

With A, ch 5.

1st rnd: 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each of next 2 ch. 3 sc in last ch. Working in rem loop of each sc on opposite side of ch, 1 sc in each of next 2 ch. 2 sc in last ch. Join with sl st to first sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in same sc as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc. 2 sc in each of next 3 sc. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc. 2 sc in each of last 2 sc. Join with sl st to first sc.

3rd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sc as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. 2 sc in each of next 2 sc. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc. 2 sc in each of last 2 sc. Join with sl st to first sc.

4th rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sc as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. 2 sc in each of next 4 sc. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc. 2 sc in each of last 4 sc. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off, leaving a 10 ins [25 cm] long end for sewing.

Arms (make 2)

With A, ch 3. Sl st in first ch to form a ring.

1st rnd: 6 sc in ring. **Do not** join with sl st. Place a marker on last st to mark end of rnd. Cont moving this marker at end of each subsequent rnd.

2nd rnd: 2 sc in each sc around. 12 sc. Sl st in next sc. Fasten off.

3rd rnd: Join MC with sl st in same sc as last sl st. 2 sc in same sc. *1 sc in next sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from * around to last sc. 1 sc in last sc. Sl st in next sc. 18 sc.

4th rnd: Working in back loop only of each st, ch 1 and work 1 sc in same sc as last sl st and 1 sc in each sc around.

5th rnd: (Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 7 sc) twice. 16 sc.

6th rnd: 1 sc in each sc around.

7th rnd: (Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc) twice. 14 sc.

8th to 11th rnds: 1 sc in each sc around.

Stuff arm firmly.

Join top edge: Ch 1. Fold 11th rnd in half, having ch 1 at fold.

Working through both thicknesses, work 1 sc in each sc across. 7 sc. Fasten off leaving a 6 ins [15 cm] long end for sewing.

Inner Ear (make 2)

With A, ch 2.

1st row: (WS). 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 1. 2 sc in each sc. 6 sc. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 sc. 2 sc in last sc. 8 sc. Fasten off.

Outer Ear (make 2)

With MC, work as for Inner Ear. **Do not** fasten off.

Join Ears: Place WS of Inner Ear against WS of Outer Ear. Ch 1. With RS of Inner Ear facing, using MC attached to Outer Ear and working through both thicknesses, ch 1, work 1 sc in each of 8 sc across. Work 7 sc across bottom edge through both thicknesses. Sl st in first sc. Fasten off leaving a 6 ins [15 cm] long end for sewing.

Muzzle

With A, ch 3. Sl st in first ch to form a ring.

1st rnd: 6 sc in ring. **Do not** join with sl st. Place a marker on last st to mark end of rnd. Cont moving this marker at end of each subsequent rnd.

2nd rnd: 2 sc in each sc around. 12 sc.

3rd rnd: *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. 15 sc.

4th rnd: *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 sc. Rep from * around. 18 sc. Sl st in first sc. Fasten off leaving a 6 ins [15 cm] long end for sewing.

Tail

With MC, ch 3. Sl st in first ch to form a ring.

1st rnd: 6 sc in ring. **Do not** join with sl st. Place a marker on last st to mark end of rnd. Cont moving this marker at end of each subsequent rnd.

2nd rnd: 2 sc in each sc around. 12 sc.

3rd rnd: 1 sc in each sc around. Stuff tail firmly.

4th rnd: (Sc2tog over next 2 sts) 6 times. Sl st in next sc. Fasten off leaving a 6 ins [15 cm] long end for sewing.

FINISHING

Sew Tail to back of Body. Sew Tummy Pad to front of Body. Sew Muzzle to face, stuffing lightly. Sew Arms and Ears in position. With black yarn, embroider nose and eyes as shown in picture.

