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## ABBREVIATIONS:

<b>st[s]</b>	= stitch[es]	<b>inc</b>	= increase[s]
<b>db</b>	= double crochet	<b>beg</b>	= beginning
<b>sls</b>	= slip stitch	<b>rem</b>	= remain[s]
<b>cs</b>	= chain stitch	<b>rep</b>	= repeat
<b>tr</b>	= treble crochet	<b>tog</b>	= together
<b>htr</b>	= half treble crochet	<b>co</b>	= colour
<b>dec</b>	= decrease[s]		

## HEAD:

Work 2 cs with co 1.

Start at the top of the head and work toward the snout

Work 8 db in the first cs, cont working around in a spiral. Place a marker thread where the round starts and let it follow up through the work.

**Round 2:** 2 db in every db = 16 db

**Round 3-4:** 2 db in every 4th db

**Round 5-6:** 2 db in every 5th db

**Round 7-8:** 2 db in every 6th db

**Round 9:** 49 db

**Round 10:** 2 db in every 7th db = 56 db

**Round 11:** 2 db in every 8th db = 63 db

**Round 12:** 2 db in every 9th db = 70 db

**Round 13:** 70 db

**Round 14:** 2 db in every 10th db = 77 db

Work even for 15 rounds.

Work dec:

\*13 db, crochet 2 db tog\* rep from \* to \* a total of 38 times until you have 39 st on the round, finish the round [a total of 10 rounds].

Work even for 6 rounds.

Work inc:

2 db in every 6th db a total of 44 times until you have 83 st on the round, finish the round [a total of 5 rounds].

Work even for 12 rounds.

Now fill the head with fiber filling as you go.

Work dec:

\*9 db, crochet 2 db tog\* rep from \* to \* a total of 31 times until you have 52 db on the round, finish the round [a total of 5 rounds].

\*7 db, crochet 2 db tog\* rep from \* to \* a total of 23 times until you have 25 db on the round, finish the round [a total of 6 rounds].

\*3 db, crochet 2 db tog\* rep from \* to \* a total of 11 times until you have 14 db on the round, finish the round [a total of 2 rounds].

Crochet 2 db tog until you have 4 db left on the round, cut the yarn, pull the yarn through the last st and pull.

## BODY:

Work 2 cs with co 1.

Work 8 db in the first cs, cont working around in a spiral. Place a marker thread where the round starts and let it follow up through the work.

**Round 2:** 2 db in every db = 16 db

**Round 3:** 1 db in every db = 16 db

**Round 4:** 2 db in every 2nd db = 24 db

**Round 5:** 2 db in every 3rd db = 32 db

**Round 6:** 2 db in every 4th db = 40 db

**Round 7:** 2 db in every 5th db = 48 db

**Round 8:** 2 db in every 6th db = 56 db

**Round 9:** 2 db in every 7th db = 64 db

**Round 10:** 2 db in every 8th db = 72 db

**Round 11:** 2 db in every 9th db = 80 db

**Round 12:** 2 db in every 10th db = 88 db

**Round 13:** 1 db in every db = 88 db

## MEASUREMENTS

Hight approx. 55 cm

## YARN

Colourful Fraya

100 % Cotton

50 g = 170 m

## YARDAGE

Colour 1 sand 150 g

Colour 2 brown 50 g

Colour 3 black 50 g

Colour 4 army 50 g

## CROCHET GAUGE

26 db x 28 rounds = 10 cm

## SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZE

Size UK size 13-12 (2,5 mm)

Please note: It is important to obtain gauge. The work should have a close texture. Try with a smaller or larger needle if necessary.

## NOTIONS

Fibrefilling approx. 200 g, plastic granulate, white yarn left over for eyes, fabric left over

**Round 14:** 2 db in every 11th db = 96 db

**Round 15-16:** 1 db in every db = 96 db

**Round 17:** 2 db in every 12th db = 104 db

Work even for 5 rounds.

**Round 23:** Work 4 dec evenly on the round = 100 db

Work even for 5 rounds.

**Round 29:** Work 4 dec evenly on the round = 96 db

Work even for 4 rounds.

**Round 34:** Work 4 dec evenly on the round = 92 db

Work even for 3 rounds.

**Round 38:** Work 4 dec evenly on the round = 88 db

Work even for 2 rounds.

**Round 41:** Work 4 dec evenly on the round = 84 db, end with 1 sls

The rest of the body is worked in htr and stripes, alternating co 3 and 4, 1 round of each co. All the rounds start with 2 cs and end with 1 sls in the 1st htr.

**Round 42:** \*19 htr, crochet 2 htr tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 80 htr

**Round 43-45:** 1 htr in every st = 80 htr

**Round 46:** \*8 htr, crochet 2 htr tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 72 htr

**Round 47-48:** 1 htr in every st = 72 htr

**Round 49:** \*7 htr, crochet 2 htr tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 64 htr

**Round 50-51:** 1 htr in every st = 64 htr

**Round 52:** \*6 htr, crochet 2 htr tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 56 htr

**Round 53:** 1 htr in every st = 56 htr

**Round 54:** \*5 htr, crochet 2 htr tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 48 htr

**Round 55:** \*4 htr, crochet 2 htr tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 40 htr

**Round 56:** \*3 htr, crochet 2 htr tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 32 htr

Cut the yarn.

#### LEG:

Work 2 cs with co 2.

Work 8 db in the first cs, cont working around in a spiral. Place a marker thread where the round starts and let it follow up through the work.

**Round 1:** 2 db in every db = 16 db

**Round 2:** 2 db in every 2nd db = 24 db

**Round 3:** 2 db in every 3rd db = 32 db

**Round 4:** 1 db in every db = 32 db

**Round 5:** 2 db in every 4th db = 40 db

**Round 6:** 1 db in every db = 40 db

Change to co 1.

**Round 7-10:** 1 db in every db = 40 db

**Round 11:** \*6 db, crochet 2 db tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 35 db

**Round 12:** 1 db in every db = 35 db

**Round 13:** \*5 db, crochet 2 db tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 30 db

**Round 14:** \*4 db, crochet 2 db tog\* rep from \* to \* the rest of the round = 25 db

Work even until the work measures approx. 26 cm.

Crochet another leg in the same way.

#### ARM:

Worked as the leg until the work measures 15 cm.

The rest of the arm is worked in htr and stripes, alternating co 3 and co 4, 1 round of each co. All the rounds start with 2 cs and end with 1 sls in the 1st htr.

Work even until the work measures approx. 26 cm.

Crochet another arm in the same way.

#### ANTLERS:

Worked in co 2.

Work 12 cs, join to make a ring with 1 sls.

Work 8 spiral rounds.

Work 6 rows back and forth to make an opening, turn by working 1 cs.

Work 2,5 spiral rounds (30 db), again work 6 rows back and forth to create an opening on the other side of the antler.

Work 1 spiral round.

Work 1 round where you work 2 db in every db = 24 db.

Work even for 1 round = 24 db

Now divide the antler into 2 branches by working 12 db, continue in spiral rounds across these 12 rounds a total of 6 rounds.

Now close off by crocheting 2 db tog un til 6 db rem, cut the yarn, pull the yarn through the last 6 db, pull and weave in the end.

Work the other branch on the other side in the same way.



Now work branches on the 2 opening by working 12 around the opening, work 6 spiral rounds, close off as on the other branches.  
Work a total of 2 antlers.

#### **EARS:**

Work 13 cs with co 2, turn.

**Row 1:** 7 htr, beg in the 3rd cs from the hook, 3 db, 3 db in the next cs, cont working across the bottom of the cs row, 3 db, 7 htr.

**Row 2:** Cut the yarn and cont with co 1, 2 cs, turn, 7 htr, 4 db, 3 db in the next db, 4 db, 7 htr, 1 cs, turn.

**Row 3:** 11 db, 2 db in each of the next 3 sts, 11 db, cut the yarn.

Work another ear in the same way.

#### **EYES:**

Work 2 cs with black yarn, work 8 db in the 2 cs from the hook, end with 1 sls in the first st.

Change to white and work a round of sls in the back loop of the db from the previous round. Cut the yarn.

Crochet another eye in the same way.

#### **FINISHING:**

Weave in the ends.

Fill the antlers with fiber filling, sew them on the head.

The facial expression of the reindeer is created when sewing on the ears, eyes, nostrils and mouth so it is a good idea to pin the parts on at first to make sure you get the right expression.

Sew the eyes and ears on the head with small, invisible sts.

Work 16 cs with black yarn, sew them tog to form a ring and sew the ring on the head as a nostril, make another nostril in the same way.

Work 32 cs with black yarn, sew them on the head as the mouth.

Fill the body with fiber filling, you can place a bag of plastic pellets at the bottom of the body.

Sew the head on the body.

Fill the arms and legs with fiber filling and sew tog the opening.

Sew the arms and legs on the body.

