# boco the bear











## \*BOCOTHEBEAR boco the bear

## **ABBREVIATIONS:**

mr = magic ring
st(s) = stitch(es)
cs = chain stitch
db = double crochet
htr = half treble crochet
tog = together
rnd(s) = round(s)

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#### HEAD

Start with powder. Rnd 1: Work 6 cs and turn the work. Rnd 2: Begin in 2nd cs from the hook: 3 db, 3 db in next db, 3 db, 3 db in next db = 12 db. **Rnd 3:** 3 db, 2 db in next 3 db, 3 db, 2 db in next 3 db = 18 db. Rnd 4: \*3 db, [1 db, 2 db in next db], repeat from [ to ] a total of 3 times\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 2 times = 24 db.Rnd 5: 24 db. Rnd 6: \*3 db, [2 db in next db, 2 db], repeat from [ to ] a total of 3 times\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 2 times = 30 db.Rnd 7: 30 db. Rnd 8: \*3 db, [3 db, 2 db in next db], repeat from [ to ] a total of 3 times\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 2 times = 36 db.Work 3 db, and mark 3rd st. The next rnd begins here. Change to light brown. Rnd 9: 36 db. **Rnd 10:** 9 db, \*2 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times, 9 db = 42 db. Rnd 11: 42 db. Rnd 12: 9 db, \*2 db in next db, 3 db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times, 9 db = 48 db. Rnd 13: 48 db. Rnd 14: 9 db, \*4 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times, 9 db = 54 db. Rnd 15: 54 db. Rnd 16: 9 db, \*2 db in next db, 5 db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times, 9 db = 60 db. Rnds 17-26: 60 db (10 rnds). Rnd 27: 4 db, 2 db toq, \*8 db, 2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 4 db = 54 db. Rnd 28: \*7 db, 2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 48 db. Rnd 29: 3 db, 2 db toq, \*6 db, 2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 3 db = 42 db. Rnd 30: \*5 db, 2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 36 db. Stuff the head. Rnd 31: 2 db, 2 db tog, \*4 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 2 db = 30 db. Rnd 32: \*3 db, 2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 24 db. **Rnd 33:** 1 db, 2 db tog, \*2 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 1 db = 18 db. Rnd 34: \*1 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 12 db. Rnd 35: \*2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 6 db. Fasten off and close the hole by weaving the tail through the remaining db and tightening. Weave in the ends. BODY Worked in light brown. Rnd 1: 6 db in mr = 6 db. **Rnd 2:** 2 db in every db = 12 db. **Rnd 3:** 2 db in every db = 24 db. Rnd 4: 24 db.

**Rnd 5:** \*1 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 12 times = 36 db. **Rnd 6:** 36 db.

**Rnd 7:** 1 db, 2 db in next db, \*2 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 11 times, 1 db = 48 db.

Rnds 8-15: 48 db (8 rnds).

Rnd 16: 7 db, 2 db tog, \*14 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 2 times, 7 db = 45 db.

MEASUREMENTS Height: approx. 26 cm

## YARN

Colourful Fraya 100% Cotton 50 g = 170 m

#### YARDAGE

Light brown: approx. 50 g Powder: scrap for the snout Black and white: scraps for eyes A colour to your liking for the scarf: approx. 20 g

SUGGESTED HOOK SIZE UK size 12 (2.5 mm) crochet hook

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** Approx. 65 g fibre filling

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 Rnds 17-18: 45 db (2 rnds).

 Rnd 19: \*13 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 3 times = 42 db.

 Rnds 20-21: 42 db (2 rnds).

 Rnd 22: \*5 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 36 db.

 Rnd 23: 36 db.

 Rnd 24: 2 db, 2 db tog, \*4 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 2 db = 30 db.

 Rnd 26: \*3 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 24 db.

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 Rnd 29: 3 db, 2 db tog, \*6 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 2 times, 3 db = 21 db.

 Rnd 30-31: 21 db [2 rnds].

 Rnd 32: \*5 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 3 times = 18 db.

 Rnd 33: 18 db.

 Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff the body.

## ARM x 2

Worked in light brown. **Rnd 1:** 6 db in mr = 6 db. Rnd 2: 2 db in every db = 12 db. Rnd 3: \*1 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 18 db. Rnd 4: 1 db, 2 db in next db, \*2 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 1 db = 24 db. Rnds 5-9: 24 db (4 rnds). Rnd 10: 1 db, 2 db toq, \*2 db, 2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 1 db = 18 db. Rnds 11- 16: 18 db (6 rnds). Rnd 17: 2 db tog, 16 db = 17 db. Rnds 18-21: 17 db (4 rnds). Rnd 22: 2 db toq, 15 db = 16 db. Rnd 23-26: 16 db [4 rnds]. Rnd 27: 2 db toq, 14 db = 15 db. Rnds 28-29: 15 db (2 rnds). Stuff the arm lightly. Rnd 30: 2 db, flatten the opening, and crochet tog with 7 db. Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

## F00T x 2

Worked in light brown. **Rnd 1:** 6 db in mr = 6 db. **Rnd 2:** 2 db in every db = 12 db. Rnd 3: \*1 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 18 db. Rnd 4: 1 db, 2 db in next db, \*2 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 2 db = 24 db. Rnd 5: \*3 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 30 db. Rnds 6-10: 24 db (5 rnds). Rnd 11: \*3 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 24 db. Rnds 12-13: 24 db (2 rnds). Rnd 14: 1 db, 2 db toq, \*2 db, 2 db toq\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 5 times, 1 db = 18 db. Rnds 15-16: 18 db [2 rnds]. **Rnd 17:** \*1 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 12 db. Stuff the foot. Rnd 18: \*2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 6 db. Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Close the hole by weaving the tail through the remaining db and tightening.

## LEG x 2

Worked in light brown.
Rnd 1: Work 6 cs and turn the work.
Rnd 2: Begin in 2nd cs from the hook: 4 db, 3 db in next db, 3 db, 3 db in next db = 12 db.
Rnds 3-7: 12 db (5 rnds).
Rnd 8: \*5 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 2 times = 14 db.
Rnds 9-13: 14 db (5 rnds).
Rnd 14: 3 db, 2 db in next db, 6 db, 2 db in next db, 3 db = 16 db.
Rnds 15-19: 16 db (5 rnds).
Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff the leg when assembling.

## EAR x 2

Worked in light brown. **Rnd 1:** 6 db in mr = 6 db. **Rnd 2:** \*2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 12 db. **Rnd 3:** \*1 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 18 db. **Rnds 4-5:** 18 db (2 rnds). Flatten the opening, and crochet tog with 7 db. Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.



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## TAIL

Worked in light brown.
Rnd 1: 6 db in mr = 6 db.
Rnd 2: \*2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 12 db.
Rnd 3: \*1 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 18 db.
Rnds 4-5: 18 db (2 rnds).
Rnd 6: \*1 db, 2 db tog\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times, 1 db = 12 db.
Stuff the tail lightly. Flatten the opening, and crochet tog with 5-6 db. Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

## EYE x 2

Start with black. **Rnd 1:** 6 db in mr = 6 db. **Rnd 2:** 2 db in every db = 12 db. Change to white. **Rnd 3:** \*1 db, 2 db in next db\*, repeat from \* to \* a total of 6 times = 18 db. Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. With white yarn, embroider a highlight in the eye.

## SCARF

Worked in a colour to your liking. **Row 1:** Work 72 cs and turn the work. **Row 2:** Begin in 3rd cs from the hook: 70 htr, 2 cs, turn. **Row 3:** 70 htr, 2 cs, turn. **Row 4:** 70 htr. Fasten off, and weave in the ends.

## ASSEMBLY

Begin by embroidering the nose over rnds 1.-3. Make sure that the head turns so that the side with the marking after rnd 8 faces downward. Alternately insert the needle to go down 3 db at the bot-tom and up through 8 db at the top. Afterwards, make a small line down to rnd 6.

Sew the eyes onto the head above the snout, over rnds 9-14 with approx. 4 db between them. Sew the ears onto the head, over rnds 21-22 with approx. 8 db between them.

Sew the arms onto the body, over rnd 30 at a slight angle towards rnds 29 and 28. Make sure that the decreases on the arm face backwards.

Now, sew the legs onto the feet, over rnds 12-17. Make sure that the legs turn so that rnd 1 aligns horizontally with the sts of the feet. Stuff the legs lightly before sewing them onto the body. Sew the legs onto the bottom of the body, over rnds 2-5.

Sew the tail onto the back of the body, over rnd 9.

Finally, sew the head onto the body. Make sure that the snout faces forward. The body is sewn onto the head over rnds 14-19. Stuff the neck a bit more before closing the seam.

Wrap the scarf around the neck of the bear – now it is ready for adventures.

