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Christmas Crochet Along

"LUCKY CHRISTMAS ELF"
designed by



## MEASUREMENTS

Approx. 13 cm

## TOOLS AND MATERIALS

Ricorumi dk
Shade 001 (white) 25 g
Shade 029 (wine red) 25 g
Shade 050 (fir green) 25 g
Shade 054 (ecru) 25 g
Shade 056 (nougat) 25 g
Ricorumi Lamé
Shade 002 (gold) 10 g
Ricorumi eye buttons 5 mm
Ricorumi crochet hook 2.5 mm
Rico embroidery needle
Rico stitch marker
Rico synthetic stuffing

## TENSION

24 sts and 26 rows $=10 \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$

## BODY

In wine red working into a magic ring, 8 dc . Cont working in a spiral.
Fill with stuffing as you go along.
Rnd 1: [2 dc into next st] 8 times. 16 sts.
Rnd 2: [ $1 \mathrm{dc}, 2$ dc into next st] 8 times. 24 sts. Rnd 3: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 8 times. 32 sts. Rnd 4: [ $3 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ into next st] 8 times. 40 sts. Rnd 5: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 8 times. 48 sts. Rnds 6 - 14: 48 dc .
Rnd 15: [4 dc, dc2tog] 8 times. 40 sts.
Rnd 16: [ $3 \mathrm{dc}, \mathrm{dc} 2 \mathrm{tog}$ ] 8 times. 32 sts.
Rnd 17: [2 dc, dc2tog] 8 times. 24 sts.
Cont with Collar.

## COLLAR

In white.
Rnd 18: FLO, 24 dc .
Rnd 19: 1 tr , [1 ch, miss 2 st , ( $1 \mathrm{tr}, 2 \mathrm{ch}, 1 \mathrm{tr}$ ) all into next st] 6 times, 1 ch , miss 2 sts, close rnd with 1 tr into first tr.
Rnd 20: [5 tr into next 1-ch-sp, 1 sl st into next 2-ch-sp] 7 times, 1 sl st into last 1-ch-sp.
Fasten off and break yarn.

## HEAD

In ecru working into a magic ring, 6 dc. Cont working in a spiral.
Rnd 1: [2 dc into next st] 6 times. 12 sts.
Rid 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts. Rnd 3: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 24 sts. Rnd 4: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 30 sts. Rnd 5: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 36 sts. Rnd 6: [5 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 42 sts. Rnds 7 - 16: 42 dc .
Insert safety eyes between rnds 13 and 14, 8 sts apart.
Rnd 17: [ $5 \mathrm{dc}, \mathrm{dc} 2 \mathrm{tog}] 6$ times. 36 sts.
Rnd 18: [ $4 \mathrm{dc}, \mathrm{dc} 2 \mathrm{tog}] 6$ times. 30 sts.
Fill Head with stuffing.
Rnd 19: [ $3 \mathrm{dc}, \mathrm{dc} 2 \operatorname{tog}$ ] 6 times. 24 sts.
Finish stuffing Head.
1 sl st into next st.
Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

## NOSE

In ecru working into a magic ring, 6 dc . Cont working in a spiral.
Rnd 1: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 9 sts. Rnd 2: [1 dc, dc2tog] 3 times. 6 sts.
1 sl st into next st.
Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

## EARS (MAKE 2)

In ecru working into a magic ring, 6 dc , turn. Cont working in rows.
Row 1: $1 \mathrm{ch}, 3$ htr into next st, $1 \mathrm{dc}, 4$ sl st. 1 sl st into next st.
Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

## HAT

In white, working into a magic ring, 6 dc . Cont working in a spiral.
Rnd 1: [2 dc into next st] 6 times. 12 sts.
Rnd 2: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts. Rads 3-5: 18 dc .
Rnd 6: [1 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 12 sts.
Fill with stuffing.
Rnd 7: [2 dc, dc2tog] 3 times. 9 sts.
Change to fir green.
Rnd 8: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 12 sts. Rnd 9: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 15 sts. Rnd 10: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 18 sts. Rnd 11: [ $5 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ into next st] 3 times. 21 sts. Rnd 12: [ $6 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ into next st] 3 times. 24 sts. Rnd 13: [7 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 27 sts. Rnd 14: [8 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 30 sts. Rnd 15: 30 dc .
Rnd 16: [ $9 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ into next st] 3 times. 33 sts.
Rnd 17: [ $10 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ into next st] 3 times. 36 sts. Rnd 18: 36 dc .
Rnd 19: [11 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 39 sts. Rnds 20 - 21: 39 dc .
Rnd 22: [12 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 42 sts. Rnds 23-24: 42 dc
Rnd 25: [ $13 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ into next st] 3 times. 45 sts. Ronds 26 - 27: 45 dc
Rnd 28: [14 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 48 sts. Rnd 29: 48 dc .
Change to white.
Rnd 30: FLO, 48 htr .
Rnd 31: 48 dc .
1 sl st into next st.
Fasten off and weave in end. Turn over last 2 rnds to outside.

## HAIR

In nougat, rs facing, join yarn to 18 th st on rnd 30 , work into back loops of next 12 sts as follows.
Rnd 1: [1 dc, 5 ch, turn, starting with 2nd ch from hook, 4 sl st, 1 sl st into first dc] 12 times.
Fasten off and weave in end.

## BELT

In fir green, join yarn to rnd 10 on the back of the Body. Work 48 sl st into rnd 10.
Using gold, embroider buckle as illustrated in the centre of the belt on the front.

## TO MAKE UP

Use the long tails to sew pieces together.
Sew Head on rnd 17 of Body, BLO.
Sew Nose to centre of face between rnds 14 and 16.

Sew Ears to each side of Head between rnds 14 and 16.
Pull the Hat over the Head and attach with small sts. You can also sew the tip of the Hat to the Head of the Elf with a small stitch.
Weave in all ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS (BRITISH TERMINOLOGY)

approx - approximately
BLO - back loop only
ch - chain
cont - continue
dc - double crochet
dc2tog - double crochet 2 sts together (decrease)
htr - half treble crochet
rnd - round
sl st - slip stitch
st(s) - stitch(es)
t-ch - turning chain
tr - treble crochet
ws - wrong side
[ ] - work stitches in brackets for the specified number of times

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