



Kaleido
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WOBBLE BALL

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MATERIALS

Scheepjes Catona

(100% Mercerised Cotton; 50g/125m)

Yarn A 208 Yellow Gold x 1 ball

Scheepjes Catona

(100% Mercerised Cotton; 25g/62.5m)

Yarn B 115 Hot Red x 1 ball

Yarn C 189 Royal Orange x 1 ball

Yarn D 389 Apple Green x 1 ball

Yarn E 201 Electric Blue x 1 ball

Yarn F 521 Deep Violet x 1 ball

Scheepjes Catona

(100% Mercerised Cotton; 10g/25m)

Yarn G 105 Bridal White x 1 ball

2.5mm crochet hook

Stitch marker

110mm diameter wobble ball

12cm length of elastic

Small amount of polyester stuffing

GAUGE/TENSION

23 sts and 29 rounds to measure 10 x 10cm over dc using a 2.5mm hook

MEASUREMENTS

Height: 17cm (6¾in)

Width: 18cm (7in)

GENERAL ABBREVIATIONS

ch-1 sp(s) chain 1 space(s): number denotes number of chains in chain space

ch(s) chain(s) or chain stitch(es)

fl front loop(s) only: insert hook under front loop(s) only

rep(s) repeat(s)

RS right side

ss slip stitch(es)

st(s) stitch(es)

WS wrong side

yoh yarn over hook

[] number of sts on a given round/row

(.....) x times/to end work instructions between brackets the total number of times stated

PATTERN NOTES

Kaleido is worked using amigurumi method, working sts continuously in a spiral without

closing each round with a ss. Mark first st of each round with a stitch marker, moving it up as you go. First ch-1 in Round 1 does not count as a st throughout.

Lower Half of Body is worked back and forth in rows (turn after each row) and feature scale sts (also known as crocodile st). Body has elastic on inside to fit monster around wobble ball. Body parts are made separately and stitched onto Body at end.

To change colour, work final st in previous colour to last 2 loops on hook, yoh with new colour and draw through all loops of previous colour to complete the st.

CROCHET CONVERSION CHART

Note: this pattern uses UK terminology.

UK TERMINOLOGY	US TERMINOLOGY
dc double crochet	sc single crochet
dc2tog double crochet 2 sts together to decrease by 1 st: (insert hook in next st/space, yoh, pull up loop) twice, yoh, draw through all loops	sc2tog single crochet 2 sts together to decrease by 1 st: (insert hook in next st/space, yoh, pull up loop) twice, yoh, draw through all loops
tr treble crochet	dc double crochet
10tr-scale 10 treble crochet scale; working into 2-tr 'v': work 5tr around post of first tr, turn work 180 degrees, 5tr around post of second tr	10dc-scale 10 double crochet scale; working into 2-dc 'v': work 5dc around post of first dc, turn work 180 degrees, 5dc around post of second dc

INSTRUCTIONS

BODY

Upper Half

Using Yarn A, make magic ring.

Round 1 (RS) Ch1, 6dc into ring. [6 sts]

Round 2 (RS) 2dc in each st around. [12 sts]

Round 3 (1dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [18 sts]

Round 4 (1dc, 2dc in next st, 1dc) 6 times. [24 sts]

Round 5 (3dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [30 sts]

Round 6 (2dc, 2dc in next st, 2dc) 6 times. [36 sts]

Round 7 (5dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [42 sts]

Round 8 (3dc, 2dc in next st, 3dc) 6 times. [48 sts]

Round 9 1dc in each st around.

Round 10 (7dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [54 sts]

Round 11 (4dc, 2dc in next st, 4dc) 6 times. [60 sts]

Round 12 (9dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [66 sts]

Round 13 (5dc, 2dc in next st, 5dc) 6 times. [72 sts]

Round 14 1dc in each st around.

Round 15 (11dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [78 sts]

Rounds 16-21 1dc in each st around.

Round 22 1dc flo in each st around.

Round 23 (3dc, ch1, skip 1 dc, 1dc, ch1, skip 1 dc) 13 times, ss to first dc to join.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Lower Half

Work Lower Half of 10tr-scale sts around posts of tr of row before.

Using Yarn F, ch79.

Row 1 (WS) 1tr in fourth ch from hook (counts as 2 tr), (ch2, skip 2 chs, 2tr in next ch) 25 times, turn. [52 tr, 25 ch-2 sps]

Row 2 (RS) Skip 2 tr and 2 chs, (10tr-scale around next 2 tr, skip 2 chs, 1ss between next 2 tr, skip 2 chs) 12 times, work final scale as follows: 5tr around post of next tr, 4tr around post of next tr, ch3 (counts as last tr of final

scale), ss between first 2 tr of previous row (final scale is worked around posts of these 2 tr), turn. [13 10-tr scales, 13 ss]

Change to Yarn E, fasten off Yarn F.

Row 3 Ch3 (counts as 1 tr throughout), 1tr between first 2 tr (in same place as ss), (ch2, 2tr between next 2 tr) 25 times. [52 tr, 25 ch-2 sps]

Row 4 Skip 2 tr and 2 chs, (10tr-scale around next 2 tr, skip 2 chs, 1ss between next 2 tr, skip 2 chs) 12 times, ss between the first 2 tr of the previous row, fasten off. [13 10tr-scales, 14 ss]

Change to Yarn D, fasten off Yarn E.

Row 5 Ch3, 1tr, (skip 2 chs, ch2, 2tr in next ch) 25 times. [52 tr, 25 ch-2 sps]

Row 6 Skip 2 tr and 2 chs, (10tr-scale, skip 2 chs and 1 tr, ss between next 2 tr, skip 1 tr and 2 chs) 12 times, 5tr around first tr, 4tr around second tr, ch3, ss between first 2 tr of previous row. [13 10tr-scales, 13 ss]

Change to Yarn A, fasten off Yarn D.

Rows 7-8 Rep Rows 3-4.

Change to Yarn C, fasten off Yarn A.

Rows 9-10 Rep Rows 5-6.

Change to Yarn B, fasten off Yarn C.

Rows 11-12 Rep Rows 3-4.

Row 13 1dc in each st to end.

Fasten off and join back seam, matching scales as you go.

EYE (MAKE 3)

Using Yarn A, make magic ring.

Round 1 (RS) Ch1, 6dc into ring. [6 sts]

Round 2 (RS) 2dc in each st around. [12 sts]

Round 3 (1dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [18 sts]

Round 4 (1dc, 2dc in next st, 1dc) 6 times. [24 sts]

Rounds 5-13 1dc in each st around.

Fasten off, leaving 20cm tail for assembly.

EYE WHITE (MAKE 3)

Using Yarn G, make magic ring.

Round 1 (RS) Ch1, 6dc into ring. [6 sts]

Round 2 (RS) 2dc in each st around. [12 sts]

Round 3 (1dc, 2dc in next st) 6 times. [18 sts]

Fasten off, leaving 20cm tail for assembly.

PAW (MAKE 2)

Using Yarn A, make magic ring.

Round 1 (RS) 6dc into ring. [6 sts]

Round 2 (RS) 2dc in each st around. [12 sts]

Rounds 3-4 1dc in each st around.

Round 5 (3dc, 2dc in next st) 3 times. [15 sts]

Rounds 6-11 1dc in each st around.

Fasten off, leaving 20cm tail for assembly.

Stuff Paw.

ASSEMBLY

Using photo as guide, stitch Eyes to top of Body, Eye Whites to Eyes and Paws to Round 23 of Upper Half of Body. Stitch Lower Half to back loops of Round 22 of Upper Half of Body.

Using black yarn, embroider mouth and pupils.

Using black and white yarn, embroider nails on Paws.

Weave 12cm length of elastic through spaces on inside of Body from scales made in Yarn F, tie ends together with knot to secure.

TO FINISH

Weave in remaining ends. Place monster onto wobble ball.



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