

Materials:

❑ 3 or 3.5 mm crochet hook
(3.5mm will make it slightly bigger)

❑ Small

- 1 x 029 fizzy (lime) - A
- 1 x 028 teddy (brown) - C
- 1 x 024 party (pink) - D

❑ Large

- 1 x 029 fizzy (lime) - A
- 1 x 027 picnic (green) - B
- 1 x 028 teddy (brown) - C
- 1 x 024 party (pink) - D

of Sirdar Happy Chenille

- ❑ 9mm safety eyes
- ❑ Black embroidery silk
- ❑ Needle with big eye
- ❑ Small plant pot
- ❑ Small amount of stuffing

Abbreviations:

mr - magic ring/circle dc - double crochet sl. st. - slip stitch
dc2tog - double crochet 2 stitches together (decrease)

Instructions:

In colour A, make magic ring/circle.

Rnd 1: 6dc in mr and pull tail to tighten.

Rnd 2: 2dc in each dc (12)

(for large cactus, change to colour B)

Rnd 3: (2dc in next st., 1 dc) 6 times (18)

Rnd 4: 1 dc, (2dc in next st., 2dc) 6 times, 1 dc (24)

(for large cactus, alternate every 2 rounds with colour A&B)

Next Rnd: 24 dc

Continue 24 dc until round 17 (small) or 19 (large)

Next rnd: 1 dc, (dc2tog, 2 dc) 6 times, 1 dc (18)

Change to colour C for soil

Rnd 1: dc, 2 dc in next st. until end

Rnd 2: 2 dc, 2 dc in next st. until end

Rnd 3: 3 dc, 2 dc in next st. until end

Continue until covers the top of small plant pot

Slip stitch into next st. and fasten off.



For arms (make two):

In colour A, make magic ring/circle.

Rnd 1: 6 dc in mr

Rnd 2: 2 dc in each dc (12)

Rnd 3-5: 12 dc

Rnd 6: turn work, 8 dc in opposite direction to round, sl. st. in next st. and fasten off leaving a tail to sew in.

To make up:

Attach safety eyes between rounds 8-9 around 5 stitches apart.

In colour D, embroider 2 circles beneath the eyes.

In black embroidery silk, sew a 'V' for a smile a couple of rows down, between the eyes.

Sew arms either side of cactus at roughly the 8/10th round