



### Materials

DK in black (35m), red, orange, yellow, green, mid-blue, royal-blue (12m each) and purple (15m), beads for eyes (optional), toy stuffing, 3.00mm hook.

### Notes

**Turning ch:** the chain at beginning of rows is for turning only and not counted as a stitch unless other wise stated.

**Changing colours:** Work the last loop of the last stitch of the old colour in the new colour. When changing colour at row ends, work joining slip stitch in new colour.

**Feet** Make two for each body section.

**Rnd 1:** 2ch, 6dc in 1<sup>st</sup>ch, ss to 2<sup>nd</sup>ch, turn.

**Rnd 2:** 1ch, 2dc in each dc, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (12sts)

**Rnd 3:** 1ch, dc in each dc, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn.

**Rnd 4:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next 2dc) 4 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, fasten off and sew in ends. (8sts)

### Head

**Rnd 1:** 2ch, 6dc in 1<sup>st</sup> ch, ss to 2<sup>nd</sup> ch, mark as right side, turn. (6sts)

**Rnd 2:** 1ch, 2dc in each dc, ss to 1<sup>st</sup> ch, turn. (12sts)

**Rnd 3:** 1ch, (2dc in next dc, dc in next 2dc) 4 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (16sts)

**Rnd 4:** 1ch, (2dc in next dc, dc in next 3dc) 4 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (20sts)

**Rnd 5:** 1ch, (2dc in next dc, dc in next 4dc) 4 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (24sts)

**Rnd 6:** 1ch, dc in next 10dc, \*6ch, 6dc in 2<sup>nd</sup>ch from hook, dc in next 4ch,\*\* dc in next 4dc, rep from \* to \*\*, dc in next 10dc, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn.

Hold antennae to right side of work for rnd 7.

**Rnds 7-9:** 1ch, dc in each dc to end, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn.

**Rnd 10:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next 4dc) 5 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (20sts)

**Rnd 11:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next 4dc) 4 times, change to red, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (16sts)

Sew on beads or embroider eyes.

### Body

**Rnd 1:** 1ch, dc in each dc, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (16sts)

**Rnd 2:** 1ch, (2dc in next dc, dc in next 3dc) 4 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (20sts)

**Rnd 3:** 1ch, (2dc in next dc, dc in next 3dc) 5 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (25sts)

**Rnd 4:** 1ch, (2dc in next dc, dc in next 4dc) 5 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup> ch, turn. (30sts)

**Rnds 5-6:** 1ch, dc in each dc to end, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn.

**Rnd 7:** 1ch, dc in next dc, \*place foot against right side of body lining up 1<sup>st</sup> 4dc of foot with next 4dc of body and, working through both pieces, dc in next 4dc,\*\* dc in next 20dc of body, rep from \* to \*\* for next foot, dc in next dc on body, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn.

**Rnd 8:** 1ch, dc in next dc, \*line up remaining 4 dc of foot with next 4dc of

body and, working through both pieces, dc in next 4dc\*\*, dc in next 20dc of body, rep from \* to \*\* for next foot, dc in next dc on body only, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn.

**Rnd 9:** 1ch, dc in each dc to end, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn.

**Rnd 10:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next 5dc) 5 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (25sts)

**Rnd 11:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next 4dc) 5 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (20sts)

**Rnd 12:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next 4dc) 4 times, change to orange, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (16sts)

Work each section of the body as above, changing to the next colour on row 12 of each section and stuffing as you go. Do not change colours on row 12 of the 7<sup>th</sup> section. Stuff and continue as follows.

**Rnd 13:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next 3dc) 4 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, turn. (12sts)

**Rnd 14:** 1ch, (miss dc, dc in next dc) 6 times, ss to 1<sup>st</sup>ch, fasten off leaving long end and sew up hole.

