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12 days of Christmas



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SIZE

4.5 inches / 12 cm

TOOLS AND MATERIALS

Ricorumi dk
 Shade 067 (lotus) 25 g
 Shade 074 (aqua) 25 g
 Shade 058 (silver grey) 25 g
 Shade 029 (wine red) 25 g
 Shade 001 (white) 25 g
 Shade 041 (mint) 25 g
 Ricorumi Lamé
 Shade 002 (gold) 10 g
 3 mm Rico hook
 Rico Pompon maker
 Rico embroidery needle
 2 Rico eye buttons 8.5 mm
 Rico synthetic stuffing

HEAD AND BODY

Rnd 1: In mint, working into magic ring, 6 dc.
 Rnd 2: 2 dc into next st. 12 sts.
 Rnd 3: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 4: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 5: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Rnd 6: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 36 sts.
 Rnd 7: [5 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 42 sts.
 Rnd 8 – 17: 42 dc. Change yarn.
 Rnd 18 – 25: In lotus 42 dc.
 Rnd 26: [5 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 36 sts.
 Rnd 27: [4 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Fill with stuffing, continue as you go. Add eye buttons between rnds 14 – 15 approx. 10 sts apart.
 Rnd 28: [3 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 29: [2 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 30: [1 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 31: [dc2tog] 6 times. 6 sts.
 Finish off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.
 Weave through last 6 sts and pull tight to close.
 Use leftover tail to make 3 sts over the top of each eye for eye lids.

BEAK

Rnd 1: In silver grey, working into magic ring, 5 dc.
 Rnd 2: 5 dc.
 Rnd 3: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 2 times, 1 dc into last st.
 Rnd 4: 7 dc.
 Sl st into next st. Finish off and break yarn.
 Sew beak onto face.
 Embroider some spots using gold, onto the birds chest.

WINGS (MAKE 2)

Rnd 1: In aqua, working into magic ring, 6 dc.
 Rnd 2: 6 dc.
 Rnd 3: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 9 sts.
 Rnd 4: 9 dc.
 Rnd 5: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 12 sts.
 Rnd 6: 12 dc.
 Rnd 7: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 15 sts.
 Rnd 8: 15 dc.

Rnd 9: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 10: 18 dc.
 Rnd 11: [5 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 21 sts.
 Rnd 12: 21 dc.
 Rnd 13: [6 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 14: 24 dc.
 Rnd 15: [7 dc, 2 dc into next st] 3 times. 27 sts.
 Rnd 16: 27 dc.

Flatten the wing, dc through both sets of sts to close. Fasten off and break yarn, leaving a long tail.
 Decorate the wing with gold and sew in place.

TAIL FEATHERS LARGE FEATHER

Rnd 1: In aqua, working into magic ring, 8 dc.
 Ch 2, turn.
 Row 2: 2 tr into next 3 sts, [1 tr, ch 1, 1 dtr, ch 1, 1 tr] into next st, 2 tr into next 4 sts, ch 2 sl st into last st to finish off.

SMALL FEATHER

Rnd 1: In lotus, working into magic ring, 6 dc.
 Ch 2, turn. 10 sts.
 Row 2: 2 tr into next 2 sts, [1 tr, ch 1, 1 dtr, ch 1, 1 tr] into next st, 2 tr into next 3 sts, ch 2 sl st into last st to finish off.
 Place small feather on top of large one and sew together at the base.
 Sew the feathers to the back of the bird.

HAT

Rnd 1: In wine red, working into magic ring, 6 dc.
 Rnd 2: 2 dc in each st. 12 sts.
 Rnd 3: [1 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts.
 Rnd 4: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 24 sts.
 Rnd 5: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 30 sts.
 Rnd 6: [4 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 36 sts.
 Rnd 7: [5 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 42 sts.
 Rnd 8: [6 dc, 2 dc into next st] 6 times. 48 sts.
 Rnd 9 – 13: 48 dc.
 Sl st into next 2 sts. Finish off and break yarn.
 Make a small pompon in white and sew to top of hat.

ABBREVIATIONS

ch	chain
dc	double crochet (British terminology)
dtr	double treble (British terminology)
dc2tog	double crochet 2 sts together (British terminology)
rnd	round
sl st	slip stitch
st(s)	stitch(es)
tr	treble (British terminology)