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AMIGURUMI 100% COTTON SNAILS

MATERIALS
AMIGURUMI 100% COTTON S03: 1 bag for the 5 snails
10 craft safety eyes 1/4" (6 mm) in diameter
Filling
Model 1: cols: salmon, lime
Model 2: cols: blue, beige
Model 3: cols: fuchsia, beige, grey
Model 4: cols: water green, burnt orange, grey
Model 5: cols: salmon, green, lime, burnt orange

Crochet hook: C2 (U.S.)/(2.5 mm)

Stitches
Single crochet, slip st, double crochet, triple crochet, double triple crochet, chain st, half double crochet, magic ring: (see basic instructions in our magazines or www.katia.com)
Increase: make 2 sts from the same st
Decrease: 2 sts closed together
Pattern st: (see graph A)

INSTRUCTIONS
HEAD: the *single crochet* is worked in a spiral form. To keep a better check of the row count, place a marker in the first st of each row.
Using the colour following the list for each model, make a *magic ring* and **fill it** with 6 *single crochet* then **join** the 6 sts with a *slip st.*
Cont **increasing** in the following manner on the following rows:
1st row: 1 *increase* in each st = 12 sts
2nd row: * 1 st, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 18 sts
3rd row: * 2 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 24 sts
4th row: * 3 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 30 sts
5th row: * 4 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 36 sts
From the 6th row to the 11ᵗʰ row: work **without** increasing = 36 sts
Cont **decreasing** in the following manner:
12th row: * 10 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 33 sts
Place the eyes between rows 8 and 9, leaving 8 sts between them.
13th row: * 9 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 30 sts
14th row: * 8 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 27 sts
15th row: * 7 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 24 sts
16th row: * 6 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 21 sts
Fill the head.
Cont **decreasing.**
17th row: * 5 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 18 sts
From the 18th row to the 22ⁿᵈ row: work **without** decreasing = 18 sts
23rd row: * 4 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 15 sts
24th row: work **without** increasing = 15 sts
25th row: * 3 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 12 sts
26th row: work **without** increasing = 12 sts
27th row: * 2 sts, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 9 sts
28th row: work **without** decreasing = 9 sts
29th row: * 1 st, 1 *decrease* * rep from * to * = 6 sts
Cut yarn and **fasten off.**

ANTENNAE: the *single crochet* is worked in a spiral form. Using the colour following the list for each model, make a *magic ring* and **fill it** with 5 *single crochet* then **join** the 5 sts with a *slip st.*
Cont working in the following manner:
1st row: 1 *increase* in each st = 10 sts
2nd row: work **without** increasing = 10 sts
3rd row: 1 *decrease* in each st = 5 sts
From the 4ᵗʰ row to the 8ᵗʰ row: work **without** decreasing = 5 sts
Cut yarn and **fasten off.**
Make another antenna the same.

SHELL: the *single crochet* is worked in a spiral form. To keep a better check of the row count, place a marker in the first st of each row.
Using the colour following the list for each model, make a *magic ring* and **fill it** with 6 *single crochet* then **join** the 6 sts with a *slip st.*
Cont **increasing** in the following manner on the following rows:
1st row: 1 *increase* in each st = 12 sts
2nd row: * 1 st, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 18 sts
3rd row: * 2 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 24 sts
4th row: * 3 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 30 sts
5th row: * 4 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 36 sts
6th row: * 5 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 42 sts
7th row: * 6 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 48 sts
8th row: * 7 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 54 sts
9th row: * 8 sts, 1 *increase* * rep from * to * = 60 sts
From the 10ᵗʰ row to the 13ᵗʰ row: work **without** increasing = 60 sts
Cut yarn and **fasten off.**
Make another piece the same.

STRIPES
MODEL 1
Head and antennae in lime, shell in salmon.
MODEL 2
Head and antennae in beige, shell in blue.
MODEL 3
Head in beige, **changing** colour on the following rows:
17th row: grey
18th row: beige
19th row: grey
Antennae in grey, Shell in fuchsia.
MODEL 4
Head in water green, **changing** colour on the following rows:
17th row: grey
18th row: water green
19th row: grey
20th row: water green
21st row: grey
22nd row: water green
Antennae in water green
Shell in water green **changing** colour on the following rows:
2nd row: burnt orange
3rd row: grey

8th row: burnt orange
10th row: water green
12th row: grey

MODEL 5
Head and antennae in salmon.
Shell in burnt orange **changing** colour on the following rows:
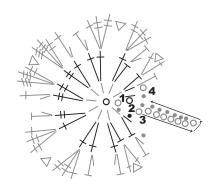**2nd row:** lime
4th row: green
6th row: burnt orange
8th row: lime
10th row: green
12th row: salmon

LEAVES
Using green make a *magic ring* and work in *pattern st* following graph A.

Cut yarn and **fasten off**.
Make 3 more leaves the same and 1 more leaf **only** up to the 3rd row of graph A.

FINISHING (MAKING UP)
Sew the antennae onto the head, at a distance of 3 rows on top of the eyes.
To make the mouth **thread** a wool sewing needle with burnt orange yarn and give it the desired form (see photograph).
Sew the 2 parts of the shell, leaving an opening for filling, **fill** and finish **sewing**.
Sew the head onto the shell.

Graph A

- 1 slip st
○ 1 chain st
| 1 single crochet
+ 1 double crochet

‡ 1 triple crochet

‡ 1 double triple crochet

T 1 half double crochet

▽ 1 point: 3 chain st, 1 slip st inserting the hook into the first chain st