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Materials:



Big Twist Value Yarn
- (100% Acrylic; 380 yds/347 m) (10794614)

Ergonomic Aluminum Crochet Hook by Loops & Threads®
- size G/4.5mm (10233541)

Steel Yarn Needles by Loops & Threads™
- size #13 (10154191)

Project Details:

RECOMMENDED SIZES:
- Skeleton Top is one size that fits xs, s, m—Bust sizes 31”-36”.

ABBREVIATIONS:
- CH = Chain
- ST = Stitch
- SK = Skip
- SL ST = Slip Stitch
- DC = Double Crochet
- FDC = Foundation Double Crochet
- TC = Triple Crochet
- FTC = Foundation Triple Crochet

PROJECT NOTE: There is a specific technique used to attach the foundation stitches to existing stitches or rows. The tutorial is needed to successfully complete these stitches.

STEP 1:

Starting the neckline and shoulder section.

CH84. SL ST in the first CH or slip knot loop. Place a ST marker every 14 CHs, don’t count the CH you SL ST into.

ROUND 1: CH2 (Counts as a DC). DC1 in the first 14 CHs. CH1. TC1 back into that last ST. TC1 in the next 14 ST. (15 TC total) CH1, DC back into that last CH (should be marked with a stitch marker) DC1 in the next 11 ST. CH1, SK2, DC3 in the next CH (should be marked with a ST marker), CH1, SK2. DC1 in the next 12 ST. CH1, TC1 back into that last ST (should be marked with a ST marker). TC1 in the next 14 ST. CH1, DC1 back into that last ST. DC1 in the last 14 ST. SL ST in the 2nd CH of the CH2 that started this round. (Total of 92 ST, including the TC, DC, CH’s, and starting CH.)

ROUND 2: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC13, SK11, TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1. FDC13, SK11. TC1 in the ST before the CH1. CH1, DC5 in the middle DC of the DC3, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC13. SK11. TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the next CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1 in the CH1 SP. FDC13. SK11. TC1 in the last 3 ST’s. (Total of 118, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.)

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STEP 1 (continued):

ROUND 3: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC15, SK the FDC from the previous round, TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1. FDC15, SK the FDC from the previous round and TC1 in the last ST before the CH1. CH1, DC5 in the middle DC of the DC5, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC15. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the next CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1 in the CH1 SP. FDC15. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the last 3 ST's. (Total of 138, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.)

ROUND 4: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC17, SK the FDC from the previous round, TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1. FDC17, SK the FDC from the previous round and TC1 in the last ST before the CH1. CH1, DC5 in the middle DC of the DC5, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC17. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the next CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1 in the CH1 SP. FDC17. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the last 3 ST's. (Total of 158, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.)

ROUND 5: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC19, SK the FDC from the previous round, TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1. FDC19, SK the FDC from the previous round and TC1 in the last ST before the CH1. CH1, DC7 in the middle DC of the DC5, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC19. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1, CH1, TC3 in the CH1 SP. TC1 in each TC until the next CH1 SP. TC3, CH1, TC1 in the CH1 SP. FDC19. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the last 3 ST's. (Total of 180, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.)

STEP 2:

Creating the arm space/underarm section.

ROUND 6: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC23, SK the FDC from the previous round, TC1 in the CH1 SP. FTC16. SK the TC's, TC2 in the next CH1 SP. FDC23, SK the FDC from the previous round and TC1 in the last ST before the CH1. CH1, DC7 in the middle DC of the DC7, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC23. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the CH1 SP. FTC16. SK the TC's, TC2 in the next CH1 SP. FDC23. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the last 3 ST's. (Total of 148, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.)

ROUND 7: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC27, SK the FDC from the previous round, TC1 in each of the TC's. FDC27, SK the FDC from the previous round and TC1 in the last ST before the CH1. CH1, DC9 in the middle DC of the DC7, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC27. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in each of the TC's. FDC27. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the last 3 ST's. (Total of 166, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.)

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STEP 2 (continued):

ROUND 8: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC30, SK the FDC from the previous round, TC1 in each of the TC's. FDC30, SK the FDC from the previous round and TC1 in the last ST before the CH1. CH1, DC7 in the middle DC of the DC9, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC30. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in each of the TC's. FDC30. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the last 3 ST's. (Total of 176, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.)

ROUND 9: CH3 (Counts as a TC). TC1 in the first 3 ST. FDC33, SK the FDC from the previous round, TC1 in each of the TC's. FDC33, SK the FDC from the previous round and TC1 in the last ST before the CH1. CH1, DC5 in the middle DC of the DC7, CH1. TC1 in the ST after the CH1. FDC33. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in each of the TC's. FDC33. SK the FDC from the previous round. TC1 in the last 3 ST's. (Total of 186, including TC, CH, FDC, and the starting CH.) Finish off. Weave in your ends.

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