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## DIY Crochet Kit - Panda Instruction manual

### Materials included:

4 x coloured yarns  
1 x crochet hook  
1 x fibrefill stuffing  
1 x plastic needle  
2 x stitch markers

### Supplies required:

scissors

### Finished size:

Approximately: 10.5cm H x 9cm W x 8.5cm D  
Note: Results may vary due to personal skill and tension used.  
Knowledge of crochet is required.



## Read Before Beginning:

- Do not change the size of the hook included.
- Do not sew very tight, complete the project under normal strength to achieve a firm shape, and avoid stiff stitches.
- Keep tension on the yarn to maintain even and compact stitches.
- Practice stitching in single crochet before beginning this project to get a feel for the yarn and required hook size.
- Pattern Notes: Join with a slip stitch in first single crochet unless otherwise stated. Begin each round in same stitch as joining.

### Abbreviations:

<b>ch</b> - chain stitch	<b>mr</b> - magic ring	<b>inc</b> - increase single crochet	<b>sc</b> - single crochet
<b>dc</b> - double crochet	<b>flo</b> - front loop only	<b>yo</b> - yarn over	<b>sl st</b> - slip stitch
<b>dec</b> - decrease single crochet	<b>hdc</b> - half double crochet	<b>blo</b> - back loop only	<b>tr</b> - treble crochet

[ ] - Repeat the directions in between [ and ] as many times as stated.

() - The number inside will indicate how many stitches you should have at the end of each round.

### How to change colour:

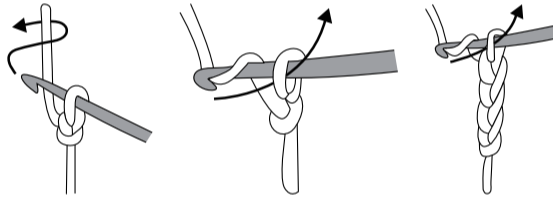
Insert hook into next stitch, yo hook and pull up a loop; with new color, yo and pull through both loops on hook. When changing colour at joining, insert hook into joining stitch, with new color, yo and pull through both loops on hook (sl st made). When changing color in hdc, yo hook and pull up a loop; with new color, yo and pull through all 3 loops on hook.

### When working in rounds:

Ch 1, work around in single crochet, joining each round with a sl st to the beginning sc. Pull tail to tighten beginning round, weave in tail from beginning ring after Rnd 3.  
·Keep track of where you are by placing a stitch marker in the first stitch of the current round.

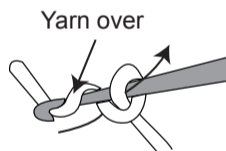
### Chain stitch (ch):

Make a slip knot on hook:  
Yarn over (yo) and pull the yarn through the loop on the hook to form a new loop.  
Be careful not to tighten loop.  
Repeat this step to form the number of chains specified.



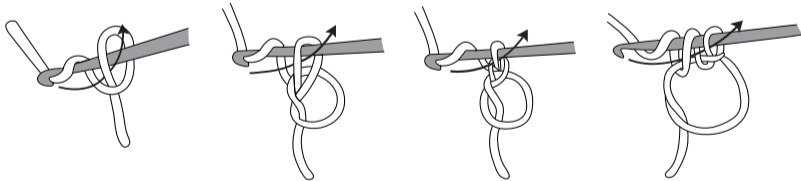
### Yarn over (yo):

Wrap the yarn from back to front over the hook. Draw the yarn through to form a new loop.



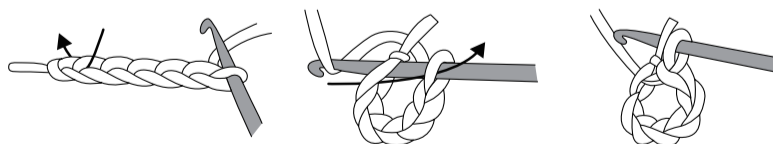
### Magic ring (mr):

Yarn over, but don't pull loop tight. Ch 1 in loop. Do not tighten loop.  
Repeat to form the number of chains specified.  
Pull yarn tail to draw the center of the ring tightly closed.



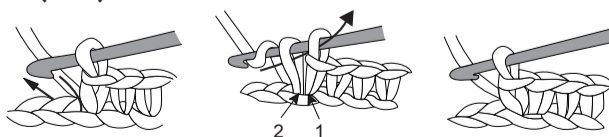
### Slip stitch (sl st):

Yarn over, draw yarn through chain and the loop on your hook in one motion (slip stitch made). To work a slip stitch in a row of stitches (sc stitches shown), insert hook under the top 2 loops of the next stitch, yarn over, draw yarn through stitch and the loop on your hook in one motion (slip stitch made).



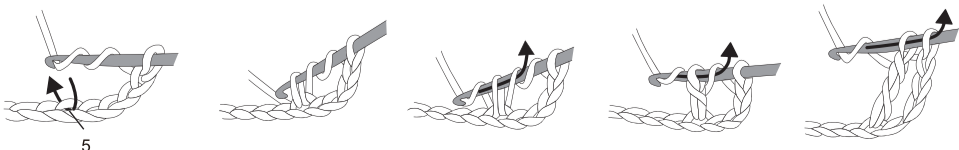
### Increase single crochet (inc):

Two sc in each stitch.



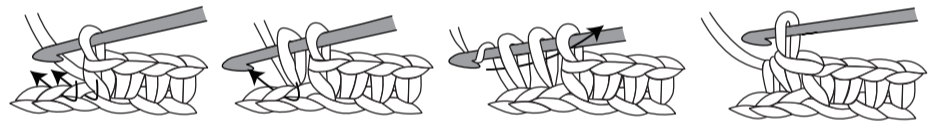
### Treble Crochet (Tr):

Also "triple crochet". Yarn over 2 times, insert the hook into the suggested space, chain or stitch. Yarn over and draw a loop through - 4 loops on your hook, (Yarn over and draw through 2 loops) 3 times - treble crochet made.



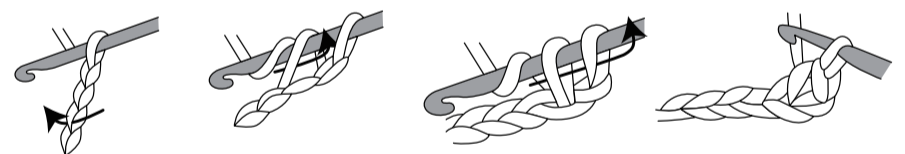
### Decrease single crochet (dec):

Also known as sc2tog. [Draw up a loop in next stitch] 2 times - 3 loops on hook - yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.



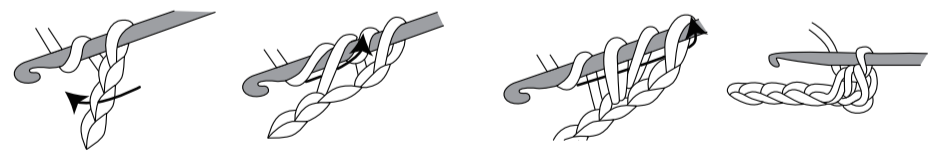
### Single crochet (sc):

Insert hook into the work (second chain from hook on starting chain) as shown. Yarn over hook and pull a loop through - 2 loops on hook. Yarn over hook again and draw through both loops on hook - single crochet made.



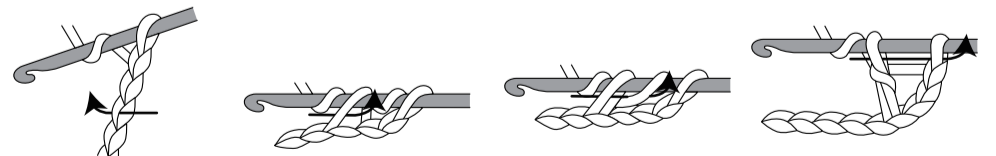
### Half double crochet (hdc):

Yarn over hook, insert hook into next stitch, yarn over hook and pull through, 3 loops on hook, yarn over hook and pull through all loops on hook - half double crochet made.



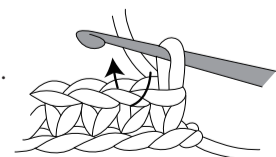
### Double crochet (dc):

Yarn over and insert the hook into the suggested space, chain or stitch. Yarn over and draw yarn through pulling up a loop. Yarn over and pull yarn through 2 loops on the hook. Yarn over and pull yarn through next 2 loops on hook - double crochet made.



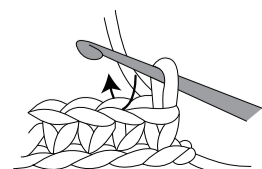
### Front loop only (Flo):

Yarn over (yo), pull through loop on hook.



### Back loop only (Blo):

Yarn over (yo), pull through loop on hook.



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### Step 1 - Body

**Rnd 1.** With white yarn, form a magic ring, work 6 sc in ring, pull tail to close, join. (6 sts)

**Rnd 2.** Ch 1, (sc inc in next st) 6 times, join. (12 sts)

**Rnd 3.** Ch 1, (sc in next st, sc inc in next st) 6 times, join. (18 sts)

**Rnd 4.** Ch 1, (sc in next st, sc inc in next st, sc in next st) 6 times, join. (24 sts)

**Rnd 5.** Ch 1, (sc in next 3 sts, sc inc in next st) 6 times, join. (30 sts)

**Rnd 6.** Ch 1, (sc in next 5 sts, sc inc in next st) 5 times, join. (35 sts)

**Rnd 7.** Ch 1, (sc in next 3 sts, sc inc in next st, sc in next 3 sts) 5 times, join. (40 sts)

**Rnd 8.** Ch 1, sc in next 40 sts, join. (40 sts)

**Rnd 9.** Ch 1, (sc in next 7 sts, sc inc in next st) 5 times, join. (45 sts)

**Rnd 10.** Ch 1, sc in next 45 sts, join. (45 sts)

**Rnd 11.** Ch 1, (sc in next 7 sts, sc inc in next st, sc in next 7 sts) 3 times, join. (48 sts)

**Rnd 12.** Ch 1, sc in next 48 sts, join. (48 sts)

**Change to black yarn.**

**Rnd 13.** Ch 1, sc in next 48 sts, join. (48 sts)

**Rnd 14.** Ch 1, (sc in next 15 sts, sc inc in next st) 3 times, join. (51 sts)

**Change to white yarn.**

**Rnd 15.** Ch 1, sc in next 51 sts, join. (51 sts)

**Rnd 16.** Ch 1, (sc in next 8 sts, sc inc in next st, sc in next 8 sts) 3 times, join. (54 sts)

**Rnd 17.** Ch 1, sc in next 54 sts, join. (54 sts)

**Rnd 18.** Ch 1, (sc in next 17 sts, sc inc in next st) 3 times, join. (57 sts)

**Rnd 19.** Ch 1, sc in next 57 sts, join. (57 sts)

**Rnd 20.** Ch 1, (sc in next 9 sts, sc inc in next st, sc in next 9 sts) 3 times, join. (60 sts)

**Rnds 21-22.** Ch 1, sc in next 60 sts, join. (60 sts)

**Rnd 23.** Ch 1, (sc in next 19 sts, sc inc in next st) 3 times, join. (63 sts)

**Rnd 24.** Ch 1, sc in next 63 sts, join. (63 sts)

**Rnd 25.** Ch 1, (sc in next 10 sts, sc inc in next st, sc in next 10 sts) 3 times, join. (66 sts)

**Rnd 26.** Ch 1, sc in next 66 sts, join. (66 sts)

**Rnd 27.** Ch 1, (sc in next 9 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts) 6 times, join. (60 sts)

**Rnd 28.** Ch 1, (sc in next 4 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in next 4 sts) 6 times, join. (54 sts)

**Rnd 29.** Ch 1, (sc in next 7 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts) 6 times, join. (48 sts)

**Rnd 30.** Ch 1, (sc in next 3 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in next 3 sts) 6 times, join. (42 sts)

**Rnd 31.** Ch 1, (sc in next 5 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts) 6 times, join. (36 sts)

**Rnd 32.** Ch 1, (sc in next 2 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in next 2 sts) 6 times, join. (30 sts)

**Rnd 33.** Ch 1, (sc in next 3 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts) 6 times, join. (24 sts)

**Rnd 34.** Ch 1, (sc in next st, sc dec in next 2 sts) 8 times, join. (16 sts)

Start filling with polyester stuffing.

**Rnd 35.** Ch 1, (sc dec in next 2 sts) 8 times, join. (8 sts)

Use black yarn to sew the eyes and nose of the panda.

The eyes of the panda are between 6-9 rounds, with a distance of 5 stitches.

The nose is between 7-9 rounds in the middle position below the eyes.

Use pink yarn to sew blush under the eyes, with a width of 3 stitches.

### Step 2 - Ears (x2 pieces)

**Rnd 1.** With black yarn, form a magic ring, work 6 sc in ring, pull tail to close, join. (6 sts)

**Rnd 2.** Ch 1, (sc in next st, sc inc in next st) 3 times, join. (9 sts)

Cut the yarn, leave a 20cm yarn end, and sew it in suitable positions on both sides between 3-8 rounds.

### Step 3 - Paws (x2 pieces)

With black yarn.

Ch 5, form the second chain on the hook, hdc in next st, dc in next 2 sts, hdc in next st. (4sts)

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

### Step 4 - Feet (x2 pieces)

With black yarn.

Ch 7, form the second chain on the hook, sc in next st, hdc in next st, dc in next st, tr in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next st. (6 sts)

Cut the yarn, leave a 20cm yarn end, and sew it between 24-28 rounds of the body, according to your preferred position.

### Step 5 - bow

**Rnd 1.** With red yarn, form a magic ring, work 4 ch, 2 tr, 4ch, 1sl st, 4 ch, 2tr, 4ch, 1sl st in ring, pull tail to close.

Cut the yarn, leave a 20cm yarn end.

Wrap the yarn end around the middle of the bow 2-3 times to secure it.

The bow is sewn between 13-15 rounds under the mouth.

### Assembly and finishing

Using photo as a guide for the placement of pieces, sew together by using the plastic needle.



**WARNING: LONG CORD. STRANGULATION HAZARD. NOT SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS.**

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### Finished care instructions

Dust or spot clean with damp cloth. Do not wash.

These instructions have been checked and every effort has been made to ensure correct information has been provided to finish the project. However, as there is variation in individual craftsmanship and the possibility of errors made, we cannot be entirely responsible for the outcome of the craft.