CY1842
Birthday Cake
Jellybaby Chenille

Measurements

27cm wide x 42cm tall (with legs and candle)

Materials

Yarn A – 100g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Vanilla Milkshake (031)
Yarn B – 50g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Powder Blue (006)
Yarn C – 30g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Mint Tea (009)
Yarn D – 30g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Dandelion (007)
Yarn E – 40g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Blush (002)
Yarn F – 50g Cygnet Jellybaby Chenille Teddy (013)
Yarn G – Small amount Cygnet 100% cotton Black (2177)
200g Stuffing
2 x 18mm Safety Eyes
crochet hook: 4mm

Abbreviations

ch	Chain	**dc**	Double Crochet	**inv dec**	Invisible Double Crochet Decrease
mc	Magic circle	**sl st**	Slip Stitch	***..***	Repeat instructions between asterisks
st	Stitch	**inc**	Double Crochet Increase	**BLO**	Back Loop Only
FLO	Front Loop Only	**[...]**	Complete instructions into 1 stitch		

Place a stitch marker at the start of each row so you don't lose your place.

Body

With 4mm hook and Yarn A make a mc.

Round 1: 6dc into magic circle (6 sts)
Round 2: *inc* x 6 (12 sts)
Round 3: *inc, 1dc* x 6 (18 sts)
Round 4: *inc, 2dc* x 6 (24 sts)
Round 5: *inc, 3dc* x 6 (30 sts)
Round 6: *inc, 4dc* x 6 (36 sts)
Round 7: *inc, 5dc* x 6 (42 sts)
Round 8: *inc, 6dc* x 6 (48 sts)
Round 9: *inc, 7dc* x 6 (54 sts)
Round 10: *inc, 8dc* x 6 (60 sts)
Round 11: *inc, 9dc* x 6 (66 sts)
Round 12: *inc, 10dc* x 6 (72 sts)
Round 13: *inc, 11dc* x 6 (78 sts)
Round 14: *inc, 12dc* x 6 (84 sts)
Round 15: *inc, 13dc* x 6 (90 sts)
Round 16: *inc, 14dc* x 6 (96 sts)
Round 17: *inc, 15dc* x 6 (102 sts)
Round 18: Change colour to Yarn B, in BLO for this round 102dc (102 sts)
Rounds 19 – 23: 102dc, on last stitch of Round 23, change colour to Yarn C. (102 sts)
Rounds 24 – 29: 102dc, on last stitch of Round 29, change colour to Yarn D. (102 sts)
Rounds 30 – 35: 102dc, on last stitch of Round 34, change colour to Yarn E. (102 sts) (102sts)
Rounds 36 – 41: 102dc (102 sts)

Fasten off.

Between rows 13 & 14 affix the safety eyes, 9 stitches apart. Embroider a smile using Yarn G, across row 12, approximately 1 stitch tall and 3 stitches wide, between the safety eyes.

(Optional) You can also add 1 stitch of blush to each side of the face in Yarn E.

You can also add detail to the safety eyes by using Yarn A, embroider around the outside edge of the safety eye.

Bottom Edging

Rejoin Yarn A with a sl st on any front loop of Round 18.

Round 1: Working in the FLO, *[hdc, tr, hdc in one stitch], 3dc* x 25, 2dc to finish round (152 sts)

Top Icing

With 4mm hook and Yarn A make a mc.

Round 1: 6dc into magic circle (6 sts)
Round 2: *inc* x 6 (12 sts)
Round 3: *inc, 1dc* x 6 (18 sts)
Round 4: *inc, 2dc* x 6 (24 sts)
Round 5: *inc, 3dc* x 6 (30 sts)
Round 6: *inc, 4dc* x 6 (36 sts)
Round 7: *inc, 5dc* x 6 (42 sts)
Round 8: *inc, 6dc* x 6 (48 sts)
Round 9: *inc, 7dc* x 6 (54 sts)
Round 10: *inc, 8dc* x 6 (60 sts)
Round 11: *inc, 9dc* x 6 (66 sts)
Round 12: *inc, 10dc* x 6 (72 sts)
Round 13: *inc, 11dc* x 6 (78 sts)
Round 14: *inc, 12dc* x 6 (84 sts)
Round 15: *inc, 13dc* x 6 (90 sts)
Round 16: *inc, 14dc* x 6 (96 sts)
Round 17: *inc, 15dc* x 6 (102 sts)

You will now add the top icing to the cake.

Round 18: sl stitch into the BLO of the icing and both loops of the cake to join the parts together. When you have almost closed the cake, add your stuffing to the body. (102 sts)
Round 19: You are now adding the icing edge to the top of the cake into the FLO from the previous round. *[hdc, tr, hdc in one stitch], 3dc* x 25, 2dc to finish round (152 sts)

Fasten off and weave any ends into the body.

Legs x 2

With 4mm hook and Yarn F ch 4.

Round 1: ch 6, dc into second ch from hook, 3dc, [3dc into next stitch], continue on the opposite side of the chain, 3dc, [2dc in last st]. (12 sts)
Round 2: [2dc in first stitch], 3dc, [2dc in next 3 sts], 4dc, [2dc in last st] (17 sts)
Round 3: *2dc, inc* x 5, 2dc (22 sts)
Round 4: BLO 22dc (22 sts)
Round 5: 8dc, 4 inv dec, 6dc (18sts)
Round 6: 7dc, 3 inv dec, 5dc (15 sts)
Round 7: 7dc, 2 inv dec, 4dc (13 sts)
Round 8: 7dc, 2 inv dec, 2dc (11 sts)
Round 9 - 13: 11 dc (11 sts)

Sl st and fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing the leg closed and sewing onto the body.

Candle Flame

With 4mm hook and Yarn D make a mc.

Round 1: 4dc (4sts)
Round 2: 4dc (4 sts)
Round 3: *inc* x 4 (8 sts)
Round 4: 8dc (8 sts)
Round 5: *inc, 1dc* x 4 (12 sts)

Stuff lightly with stuffing.

Round 6: *inv dec* x 6 (6 sts)

Fasten off leaving a tail to sew the flame to the candle.

Candle

With 4mm hook and Yarn B make a mc.

Round 1: 8dc (8sts)
Round 2: *inc* x 8 (16 sts)

Attach the flame to the centre of the candle top.

Round 3: In BLO 16dc (16 sts)
Round 4: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn E (16 sts)
Round 5: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn B (16 sts)
Round 6: 16dc (16 sts)
Round 7: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn E (16 sts)
Round 8: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn B (16 sts)
Round 9: 16dc (16 sts)
Round 10: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn E (16 sts)
Round 11: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn B (16 sts)
Round 12: 16dc (16 sts)

Round 13: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn E (16 sts)
Round 14: 16dc, in last stitch change to Yarn B (16 sts)
Round 15: 16dc (16 sts)
Round 16: 16dc (16 sts)

Add stuffing into the candle.

Fasten off leaving a tail to sew the candle to the top of the cake.

Assembly

Stuff each leg with a little bit of stuffing. Using the tail you left when fastening off, sew closed each leg, do not cut off, you will need to sew the legs to the body.

Sew the legs to the edge of the bottom of the body under the bottom edge of icing, lining them up with the middle of the eyes.

Sew the candle to the centre of the top of the cake.

Finishing Touches

To finish off the look of your cake. Embroider sprinkles on the top icing in the different colours of Yarn.