



**CY1158 Cygnet DK**

**Alien**

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## Materials

1 x 100g Cygnet Yarn DK Bright Lime 6869 (MC)  
1 x 100g Cygnet Yarn DK Bright Yellow 3378 (CC1)  
1 x 100g Cygnet Yarn DK White 208 (CC2)

4mm Crochet Hook

Safety Toy stuffing

Safety Toy Eyes: 7mm

Pipe cleaners (Optional; used to give the arms structure)

Stitch Marker

Tapestry Needle

Small amount of red yarn

## Tension

Tension is not important as long as you maintain the same tension throughout.

## Sizing

Approx. 25 cm tall.

## Abbreviations

This pattern is written in UK Crochet terms

Rnd Round

Ch Chain

St Stitch

Dc Double Crochet

Dc2tog Work 2 dc stitches together; Insert hook in to next st, yo, pull yarn through, then insert hook in to next stitch, yo, pull through, yo, pull through three loops on hook.

Slst Slip Stitch

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

### Body

With 4mm hook and MC.

Rnd 1: ch2, 6 dc in second ch from hook, join to 1st dc using slst to form a ring. (6sts)

Rnd 2: 2dc into each dc around. (12sts)

Rnd 3: \*dc, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Rnd 4: \*dc into next two sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (24sts)

Rnd 5: \*dc into next three sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (30sts)

Rnd 6: \*dc into next four sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (36sts)

Rnd 7: \*dc into next five sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (42sts)

Rnd 8: \*dc into next six sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (48sts)

Rnd 9: \*dc into next seven sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (54sts)

Rnd 10: \*dc into next eight sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (60sts)

Rnd 11: \*dc into next nine sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (66sts)

Rnds 12 & 13: Dc in to each st.

Rnd 14: \*dc into next ten sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (72sts)

Rnds 15-23: Dc in to each st.

Rnd 24: \*dc into next ten sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (66sts)

Rnds 25-28: Dc into each st.

Rnd 29: \*dc into next nine sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (60sts)

Stuff, and continue to stuff as you go.

Rnds 30-33: Dc into each st.

Rnd 34: \*dc into next eight sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (54sts)

Rnds 35-36: Dc into each st.

Rnd 37: \*dc into next seven sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (48sts)

Rnds 38-39: Dc into each st.

Rnd 40: \*dc into next six sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (42sts)

Rnd 41: Dc into each st.

Rnd 42: \*dc into next five sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (36sts)

Rnd 43: \*dc into next four sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (30sts)

Fasten off leaving a long thread.

### Head

With 4mm hook and MC.

Rnd 1: ch2, 6 dc in second ch from hook, join to 1st dc using slst to form a ring. (6sts)

Rnd 2: 2dc into each dc around. (12sts)

Rnd 3: \*dc, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Rnd 4: \*dc into next two sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (24sts)

Rnd 5: \*dc into next three sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (30sts)

Rnd 6: \*dc into next four sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (36sts)

Rnd 7: \*dc into next five sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (42sts)

Rnd 8: Dc into each st.

Rnd 9: \*dc into next six sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (48sts)

Rnd 10: Dc into each st.

Rnd 11: \*dc into next seven sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (54sts)

Rnds 12-14: Dc in to each st.

Rnd 15: \*dc into next seven sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (48sts)

Rnd 16: Dc in to each st.

Rnd 17: \*dc into next six sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (42sts)  
Stuff, and continue to stuff as you go.

Rnd 18: Dc in to each st.

Rnd 19: \*dc into next five sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (36sts)

Rnd 20: \*dc into next four sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (30sts)

Rnd 21: \*dc into next three sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (24sts)

Rnd 22: \*dc into next two sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Rnd 23: \*dc, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (12sts)

Rnd 24: \*dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (6sts)

Thread yarn through remaining stitches and pull tight.

### Antennae

Make 2.

With 4mm hook and MC.

Rnd 1: ch2, 6 dc in second ch from hook, join to 1st dc using slst to form a ring. (6sts)

Rnd 2: 2dc into each dc around. (12sts)

Rnd 3: \*dc, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Rnd 4: \*dc into next two sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (24sts)

Rnds 5-8: Dc into each st.

Stuff, and continue to stuff as you go.

Rnd 9: \*dc into next two sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Rnd 10: \*dc, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (12sts)

Rnd 11: \*dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (6sts)

Rnds 12-13: Dc into each st.

Fasten off.

### Eyes

Make 2.

With 4mm hook and CC2.

Rnd 1: ch2, 6 dc in second ch from hook, join to 1st dc using slst to form a ring. (6sts)

Rnd 2: 2dc into each dc around. (12sts)

Rnd 3: \*dc, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Fasten off.

### Arms

Make 2.

With 4mm hook and MC.

Rnd 1: ch2, 6 dc in second ch from hook, join to 1st dc using slst to form a ring. (6sts)

Rnd 2: 2dc into each dc around. (12sts)

Rnd 3: \*dc, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Rnd 4: \*dc into next two sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (24sts)

Rnd 5: \*dc into next three sts, 2dc into next st; rep from \* to end of rnd. (30sts)

Rnds 6-10: Dc into each st.

Rnd 11: \*dc into next three sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (24sts)

Rnd 12: \*dc into next two sts, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (18sts)

Rnd 13: \*dc, dc2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. (12sts)

Stuff hand and insert pipe cleaner (optional).

Continue to stuff as you go keeping the pipe cleaner central.

Rnd 14: Dc into each st.

Change to CC1.

Rnds 15-32: Dc into each st.

Rnd 33: Dc into next eight, turn.

Rnd 34: ch1, dc2tog, dc into next four, dc2tog, turn.

Rnds 35-36: Ch1, dc into next six, turn.

Rnd 37: Ch1, dc2tog, dc into next two sts, dc2tog, turn. (4sts)

Rnds 38-39: Ch1, dc into next 4 sts, turn.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

### Feet

Make 2.

With 4mm hook and MC.

Ch11.

Rnd 1: Dc into second ch from hook, dc into next eight sts, 4dc into the last ch, now working on the opposite side of the foundation ch, dc into next nine sts, slst into first dc to join. (22sts)

Rnd 2: Ch2, htc into the next nine sts, 3htc into the next two sts, htc into the next nine sts, 3htc into the

nest two sts, slst into first dc to join. (30sts)

Rnd 3: Ch1, dc into the next five sts, htc into the next four sts, tc, 3tc, tc into the next two sts, 3tc, tc, htc into the next four sts, dc into the next six sts, 3dc, dc into the next two sts, 3dc, dc, slst into first dc to join. (38)

Change to yellow.

Rnd 4: Working into the back of this stitch only; Ch1, Dc into each st.

Rnd 5: Ch1, dc2tog, dc into the next twenty, dc2tog, turn.

Rnd 6: Ch1, dc2tog, dc into the next eighteen, dc2tog, turn.

Rnd 7: Ch1, dc2tog, dc into the next six, dc2tog, dc into the next six, dc2tog, turn.

Rnd 8: Ch1, dc into the next five sts, dc2tog, dc into the next three sts, dc2tog, dc into the next five sts, turn.

Rnd 9: Ch1, dc into the next five sts, dc2tog, dc, dc2tog, dc into the next five sts, turn.

Rn 10: Ch1, dc into the next three sts, dc2tog, dc3tog, dc2tog, dc into the next three sts, turn.

Rnd 11: \*Dc3tog; rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

### Large Spots

Make 6.

Follow the steps for the eyes using CC1.

### Small Spots

Make 6.

With 4mm hook and CC1.

Rnd 1: ch2, 6 dc in second ch from hook, join to 1st dc using slst to form a ring. (6sts)

Fasten off.

### Making up

Attach the head to the castoff edge to the body.

Attach safety eyes to the centres of the eyes and sew these on to the antennas. Attach the antennas to the head and using red sew on a smile.

Attach the arms, and feet.

Sew on the spots randomly across the body.



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