shark hat

advanced crochet pattern by Juliet Bernard

Yarn: Blue and white DK

Crochet hook: 3.5mm

Jaws (make 2)

With blue ch2

Row 1: work 3 dcs in second chain, turn

Row 2: 1dc, 2dcs in next st, 1dc, turn (4sts)

Row 3: 1 dc in each st

Row 4: 2dc in next st, 1 dc in next 2 sts, 2dc in next st, turn (6sts)

Row 5: 1 dc in each st

Row 6: 2dc in next st, 1 dc in next 4 sts, 2dc in next st, turn (8sts)

Row 7: 2dc in next st, 1 dc in next 6 sts, 2dc in next st, turn (10sts)

Row 8: 2dc in next st, 1 dc in next 8 sts, 2dc in next st, turn (12sts)

Row 9: 2dc in next st, 1 dc in next 10 sts, 2dc in next st, turn (14sts)

Fasten off.

To create teeth use white and work 9 dcs evenly down one side of the jaw, 3dcs in the tip and 9dcs up the other side of the jaw, fasten off

Body

Round 1: With blue work 28 dcs evenly around the top of the jaws.

Rounds 2-5: work 1 dc in each sts (28sts)

Round 6: *1 dc in next 5 sts, dc2tog, repeat to the end of the round (24sts)

Round 7: 1 dc in each sts

Round 8: * 1 dc in next 4 sts, dc2tog, repeat to the end of the round (20sts)

Round 9-11: 1 dc in each st

Round 12: * 1dc in next 2 sts, dc2tog, repeat to the end of the round (15sts)



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Round 13-15: 1 dc in each st

Round 16: * 1dc in next st, dc2tog, repeat to the end of the round (10sts)

Round 17: 1 dc in each st.

Round 18: dc2tog in each sts (5sts) Fasten off and sew tail together

Fin

Chain 8

Row 1: starting at the second ch from the hook work 1 dc in each st, turn (7sts)

Row 2: ch1, dc2tog, 1 dc in next 3 sts, dc2tog, turn (5sts)

Row 3: ch1, 1dc in next 5 sts, turn

Row 4: ch1, dc2tog, 1 dc in next st, dc2tog, turn (3sts)

Row 5: ch1, 1dc in next 3 sts, turn

Row 6: ch1, dc3tog.

Fasten off.

Tail

Using blue ch 13. Starting in the 2nd ch from hook work 1dc, 1dc, 1htr, 1 tr, 1 tr, 1dtr, 1dtr, 1tr, 1tr, 1htr, 1dc, 1dc down chain. (12 sts)

Fasten off.

Flippers (make 2)

Chain 8

Starting in the 2nd ch from hook work 1dc, 1dc, 1htr, 1 htr, 1 tr, 1tr, 1tr down chain. (7sts).

Fasten off.

Sew in all ends and sew the fin, tail and flippers on to the body. Finish off by sticking on some eyes

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