## YARNSMITHS



Steven Seagull and
Daffodil Duck
Materials and
Measurements

| Height (approx) |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 42 | cm |
| 16.5 | ins |
| Yarnsmiths Snug as a Bug |  |
| Daffodil Duck |  |
| Colour A |  |
| 2 | Balls |
| Colour B |  |
| I | Balls |
| Steven Seagull |  |
| Colour A |  |
| 2 | Balls |
| Colour B |  |
| I | Balls |
| Colour C |  |
| 1 | Balls |
| 6.5mm (US K/I0.5) Crochet Hook <br> Stitch Markers <br> I5mm Yarnsmiths Black or Yellow Safety Eyes <br> Toy Filling/Stuffing |  |
| Photographed using Shades: <br> Daffodil Duck - Colour A - 2A050 Snow <br> White <br> Colour B - 2A220 Goldfish <br> Steven Seagull - Colour A - 2A050 Snow <br> White <br> Colour B - 2A040 Soft Grey <br> Colour C - 2A090 Duckling |  |

Please note that the limitations of the printing process mean the actual colour will not always precisely match the colours in the photograph.

## IMPORTANT

Use only the Yarnsmiths yarn specified. We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used. It is essential to work to the tension stated. The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

## TENSION

For this project, as long as you cannot see gaps between your stitches then tension is not important. If you do have gaps then you can drop down to a smaller crochet hook. If your work is too tight then try going up to a bigger size of hook.

## ABBREVIATIONS (UK)

Alt - Alternate; Beg - Beginning;
Ch - Chain(s); Cont - Continue;
Dc - Double Crochet;
Dc2tog - Double Crochet 2
together (In the next 2 sts draw up a loop, yoh and pull through all sts on hook); Dec - Decrease(ing);
Htr - Half Treble Crochet;
PM - Place Marker;
Rem - Remain(ing); Rep - Repeat;
Rnd(s) - Round(s); SI st - Slip
Stitch; St(s) - Stitch(es);
Tog - Together; Tr - Treble
Crochet; Yoh - Yarn over hook.

## SEAGULL AND DUCK <br> Head

Note: Use a stitch marker to mark the start of the round.
Round I -With colour A, IOdc in a magic circle. (10dc)
Round 2-2dc in each st. (20dc)
Round 3 - Idc in each st. (20dc)
Round 4-2dc in first st, Idc in next st, *2dc in next st, Idc in next st. Rep from * to end of round.
(30dc)
Round 5 - Rep Round 3. (30dc)
Round 6-2dc in first st, Idc in next 2 sts, $* 2 d c$ in next st, Idc in next 2 sts. Rep from * to end of round. (40dc)
Rounds 7-12-Rep Round 3. (40dc)
Round 13-*Dc2tog, Idc in next 2 sts. Rep from * to end of round. (30dc)
Round 14 - Rep Round 3. (30dc)
Round I5-(Dec for neck) IDc in next 5sts, (Dc2tog) 10 times. Place stitch marker between 5th and 6th sc2tog's to mark centre front, Idc in last 5 sts. (20dc)
Round 16-21-Rep Round 3. (20dc)
Do not fasten off! Cont onto the
body.

## Body

Round I - Ch28. 2dc in 2nd ch from hook, Idc in each ch st to end of chain. (28dc worked in the ch).
IDc in 20sts of neck.
Work into the foundation loop of the ch28, Idc in each rem ch of next $26 \mathrm{ch}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ in last ch (in the last ch there will be a total of 4 dc ). (76dc)
Round 2 - IDc in 37 sts, 2dc in next 2 sts, Idc in 37 sts. (78dc)
Round 3 - IDc in each st. (78dc)
Round 4 - IDc in 38 sts, 2dc in next st, PM on last dc just worked to mark the front centre, 2 dc in next st, Idc in last 38 sts. (80dc) Rounds 5-6-Rep Round 3. (80dc).

## Start the Tail Shaping.

Round I - Dc2tog, Idc in each st to last 2 sts, dc2tog. (78dc)
Round 2 - Idc in each st. (78dc)
Round 3-4-Rep Round I.
(74dc)
Round 5 - Rep Round 2. (74dc)

## Start the Belly Shaping.

Round I - Dc2tog, Idc in 33 sts, (dc2tog) twice, Idc in 33 sts, dc2tog. (70dc)
Round 2 - Idc in each st. (70dc)
Round 3 - Dc2tog, Idc in 31 sts, (dc2tog) twice, Idc in each st to last 2 sts, dc2tog. (66dc)
Round 4 - Rep Round 2. (66dc)
Round 5 - Dc2tog, Idc in 29 sts, (dc2tog) twice, Idc in each st to last 2 sts, dc2tog. (62dc)
Round 6 - Rep Round 2. (62dc)
Round 7 - Dc2tog, Idc in 27 sts, (dc2tog) twice, Idc in each st to last 2 sts, dc2tog. (58dc)
Round 8 - Rep Round 2. (58dc)
Round 9 - Dc2tog, Idc in 25 sts, (dc2tog) twice, Idc in each st to last 2 sts, dc2tog. (54dc)
Round 10 - Dc2tog, Idc in 23 sts, (dc2tog) twice, Idc in each st to last 2 sts, dc2tog. (50dc)
Round II - Rep Round 2. (50dc) Fasten off leaving a long tail to close bottom.

Leg (Make 2)
(24dc)
Round 14 - I2dc, dc2tog, IOdc. (23dc)
Round I5-IIdc, dc2tog, IOdc. (22dc)
Round 16 - IOdc, dc2tog, IOdc. (2Idc)
Do not stuff!
Fold in half and sew across top.

## Duck Beak

Round I -With Colour B Ch 6, 2dc in 2nd ch from hook, 3dc, 4dc in last ch st.
Now work along the other side of the foundation ch.
$3 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ in last st. (14dc)
Round 2 - 2dc in first st, 2dc, 2dc in next st, 2dc, 2dc in next 2 sts, $2 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ in next st, 2dc, 2dc in last st. (20sts)
Rounds 3-5-IDc in each st. (20sts)
Round 6 - Dc2tog, 6dc, (dc2tog) twice, 6dc, dc2tog in last 2 sts. Fasten off leaving a length of yarn to sew beak onto head when required.
Do not stuff!

## Seagull Beak

Round I - With Colour C, Ch 8 and sl st into first ch st.
Round 2 - IDc in each st. (8sts)
Round 3 - Dc2tog, 6dc (7sts)
Round 4 - Dc2tog, 2dc, 2dc in next st, 2dc. (7sts)
Round 5 - Dc2tog, 5dc. (6sts)
Round 6 - Dc2tog, 2dc, dc2tog.
(4sts)
Round 7 - Dc2tog twice. (2sts)
Round 8 - Dc2tog. (Ist)
Fasten off and stuff.

## MAKING UP

Lightly stuff the head to give it a bit of shape so it makes placing your safety eyes and beak easier. Attach your safety eyes and finish stuffing the head, neck and body. Attach the beak. Finish stuffing the body. Sew up the underneath. Attach the wings to the side of the body and

## Wing (Make 2)

Daffodil - Colour A
Steven - Colour B
Round I-6dc in a magic circle.
(6dc)
Round 2 - (Dc, 2dc in next st) Rep to end of round. (9dc)
Round 3 - IDc in each st. (9dc)
Round 4 - (2Dc, 2dc in next st) Rep to end of round. (12dc)
Round 5 - Rep Round 3. (12dc)
Round 6 - (3Dc, 2dc in next st) Rep to end of round. (15dc)
Round 7 - (4Dc, 2dc in next st) Rep to end of round. (18dc)
Round 8 - (5Dc, 2dc in next st) Rep to end of round. ( 21 dc )
Rounds 9-10-Rep Round 3.
(2|dc)
Round II - (6Dc, 2dc in next st)
Rep to end of round. (24dc)
Rounds 12-13-Rep Round 3.

