

frederick fox

Designed by
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Skill Level

Intermediate

Finished Size

Height (not including ears): 5½" (14cm)

Materials

- Willow Yarns™ Rustic Light ³
(100% wool; 50g/160yd)
-730033-0013 Clove (1 ball): A
-730033-0004 Night (1 ball): B
-730033-0034 Pure White (1 ball): C
- US size C-2 (2.75mm) crochet hook
- Removable stitch marker
- Yarn needle
- Polyester stuffing

Gauge

Gauge is not critical, work firmly and evenly throughout.

Stitch Guide

Tapestry Crochet: Carry the unused color along the top of previous row, working over it with active color, similar to working over ends.

Pattern Notes

- Frederick is worked in a continuous spiral rather than joined rnds. Use a removable st m to mark the first st of each rnd, moving m up each rnd. When working the body and head, the beg of rnd is occasionally shifted 1 st to the left to compensate for crochet's tendency to bias when worked in the rnd.
- Frederick can be crocheted with any Willow yarn. Use a crochet hook 2-3 sizes smaller than recommended on ball band to create a firm fabric.



Instructions

Body

With A, ch 4, sl st in first ch to join in ring.

Rnd 1: 8 sc in ring.**Rnd 2:** 2 sc in every sc around—16 sc.**Rnd 3:** [2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc] 8 times—24 sc.**Rnd 4:** [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc] 8 times—32 sc.**Rnd 5:** [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 7 sc] 4 times—36 sc.**Rnd 6:** Sc in each of next 4 sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 8 sc] 3 times, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc—40 sc.**Rnds 7-10:** Sc around.

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Rnd 2: With A, sc in each of next 14 sc. With B, sc in each of next 12 sc. With A, sc in each of next 15 sc—beg of rnd shifted.**Rnd 3:** With A, sc in each of next 13 sc. With B, sc in each of next 14 sc. With A, sc in each of next 13 sc.**Rnd 4:** With A, sc in each of next 9 sc, sc2tog, sc in each of next 2 sc. With B, sc in each of next 14 sc. With A, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc2tog, sc in each of next 10 sc—38 sc, beg of rnd shifted.**Rnd 5:** With A, sc in each of next 12 sc. With B, sc in each of next 14 sc. With A, sc in each of next 12 sc.**Rnd 6:** With A, sc in each of next 7 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 2 sc. With B, sc in each of next 12 sc. With A, sc in each of next 2 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 8 sc—34 sc, beg of rnd shifted.**Rnd 7:** With A, sc in each of next 11 sc. With B, sc in each of next 12 sc. With A, sc in each of next 11 sc.**Rnd 8:** With A, sc in each of next 6 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 2 sc. With B, sc in each of next 10 sc.

With A, sc in each of next 2 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 7 sc—30 sc, beg of rnd shifted.

Rnd 9: With A, sc in each of next 10 sc. With B, sc in each of next 10 sc. With A, sc in each of next 10 sc.**Rnd 10:** With A, sc in each of next 5 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 2 sc. With B, sc in each of next 8 sc. With A, sc in each of next 2 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 5 sc—26 sc.**Rnd 11:** With A, sc in each of next 9 sc. With B, sc in each of next 8 sc. With A, sc in each of next 10 sc—beg of rnd shifted.**Rnd 12:** With A, sc in each of next 4 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 2 sc. With B, sc in each of next 6 sc. With A, sc in each of next 2 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 4 sc—22 sc.**Rnd 13:** With A, sc in each of next 3 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in next sc. With B, sc in each of next 6 sc. With A, sc in next sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 3 sc—18 sc.**Rnd 14:** With A, sc in next sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in next sc. With B, sc in next sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in next sc. With A, sc in next sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 2 sc—12 sc, beg of rnd shifted.**Head****Rnd 1:** With A, sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc. With B, sc in next sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in next sc. With A, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc—18 sc.**Rnd 2:** With A, sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 3 sc. With B, 3 sc in each of next 2 sc. With A, sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 3 sc—26 sc.**Rnd 3:** With A, sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 5 sc. With B, sc in next sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in next sc. With A, sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 5 sc—32 sc, beg of rnd shifted.**Rnd 4:** With A, sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc2tog, sc in each of next 4 sc. With B, 3 sc in each of next 2 sc. With A, sc in each of next 4 sc, sc2tog, sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 5 sc—38 sc.**Rnd 5:** With A, sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 3 sc, sc2tog, sc in each of next 3 sc. With B, sc in next sc, [sc2tog]

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twice, sc in next sc. With A, sc in each of next 3 sc, sc2tog, sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 6 sc—38 sc, beg of rnd shifted. Cut B.

Rnd 6: Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 7 sc, [sc3tog] twice, sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 7 sc—38 sc.

Rnd 7: Sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 7 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 8 sc—40 sc.

Rnd 8: Sc in each of next 10 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 7 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 11 sc—beg of rnd shifted.

Rnd 9: Sc in each of next 8 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 16 sc, [sc2tog] twice, sc in each of next 8 sc—36 sc.

Rnd 10: Sc in each of next 6 sc, [sc3tog] twice, sc in each of next 12 sc, [sc3tog] twice, sc in each of next 6 sc—28 sc.

Rnd 11: Sc in each of next 7 sc. Stuff body and head.

Fold head flat, sc across, seaming the top of the head closed. Fasten off.

Back (Front) Leg (make 2 of each)

With C, ch 4, sl st in first ch to join in ring.

Rnd 1: 9 sc in ring.

Rnd 2: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc] 3 times—12 sc.

Rnds 3-4: Sc around. Cut C, join A.

Rnds 5-6: With A, sc around.

Rnd 7: [Sc in next sc, sc2tog over next 2 sts] 4 times—8 sc.

Place a small amount of stuffing into foot.

Sc 1 (8) rnds.

Fasten off.

Ear (make 2)

With C, ch 3, sl st to join in ring.

Rnd 1: 4 sc in ring.

Rnd 2: [2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc] twice—6 sc.

Rnd 3: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc] twice—8 sc. Cut C, join A.

Rnd 4: With A, [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] twice—12 sc.

Rnds 5-8: Sc around.

Rnd 9: [Sc2tog, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc2tog] twice—8 sc. Fasten off.

Tail

With C, ch 4, sl st to join in ring.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in ring.

Rnd 2: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc] twice—8 sc.

Rnd 3: Sc around.

Rnd 4: [2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc] 4 times—12 sc.

Rnd 5: Sc around.

Rnd 6: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc] 4 times—16 sc. Cut C, join A.

Rnds 7-10: With A, sc around.

Rnd 11: [Sc2tog, sc in each of next 2 sc] 4 times—12 sc.

Rnds 12-13: Sc around.

Stuff tail.

Rnd 14: [Sc2tog, sc in next sc] 4 times—8 sc.

Rnds 15-17: Sc around.

Fasten off.

Finishing

Using photo as a guide, sew on front and back legs, tail, and ears. Using a small amount of black, embroider face. Weave in ends.