BENNY AND BETTY BEARS PATTERN

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MATERIALS AND TOOLS:

- 1. Sport yarn (50g/160m):
 - Beige (YarnArt Jeans 07 or 87)
 - Blue (YarnArt Jeans 76)
 - Pink (YarnArt Jeans 36)
 - White (YarnArt Jeans 62)
- 2. Black and dark brown thread to embroider the face
- 3. Thin white thread for sewing the muzzle
- 4. Safety eyes 7-8 mm
- 5. Crochet hook 2.00 mm
- 6. Stuffing (Polyester fiber fill)

If you use these materials, the finished toy is around 20-23 cm (8-9") tall.

There are no crochet instructions included in the pattern. It's assumed that you're familiar with the basic crochet stitches. The difficulty level of the pattern is medium. I use US terminology in this pattern.

ABBREVIATIONS:

st – stitch
ch – chain
sl st – slip stitch
sc – single crochet
hdc – half double crochet
inc – increase
dec – decrease
(sc, inc)* n – repeat those in brackets n-times

ARMS:





Start crocheting with the *beige yarn*. Stuff only 2/3 of the arm.

- 1. 6 sc into a magic ring (6)
- 2. 6 inc (12)
- 3. (sc, inc)*6 (18)
- 4. (5 sc, inc)*3 (21)
- 5-7. 21 sc (3 rounds)
- 8. 3 dec, 15 sc (18)
- 9. 18 sc
- 10. (4 sc, dec)*3 (15)
- 11-16. 15 sc (6 rounds)
- 17. (3 sc, dec)*3 (12)
- 18. 12 sc

19. Crochet only 5 or 6 sc (the 3 dec in round 8 should be exactly in the middle of the arm). Fold the arm in half and crochet 6 sc through both sides.

Fasten off and cut the yarn, leaving a tail for sewing.

Sew the arms to the body in round 19.

LEGS:





Crochet with the *beige yarn*. Stuff as you go.

Make chain 7, start in the second ch from the hook:

1. inc, 4 sc, 4 sc into the last chain, work on along the other side, 4 sc, inc (16)

2. 2 inc, 4 sc, 4 inc, 4 sc, 2 inc (24)

3. (sc, inc)*2, 4 sc, (sc, inc)*4, 4 sc, (sc, inc)*2 (32)

4. (3 sc, inc)*8 (40)

5-9. 40 sc (5 rounds)

10. 8 sc, (sc, dec)*8, 8 sc (32)

11. 9 sc, 8 dec, 7 sc (24)

12. 7 sc, 6 dec, 5 sc (18)

13-16. 18 sc (4 rounds)

For the left leg: Make a sl st, fasten off and cut the yarn.

For the right leg: Don't cut the yarn, we will continue with the body.

Stuff the legs firmly so they can hold their shape.

BODY FOR THE BOY:



Continue crocheting with the *beige yarn*. Stuff as you go.

1. Crochet 8 sc more on the right leg, make chain 4 and attach the yarn to the left leg where they look symmetrical. The toes should point slightly inwards.

Crochet 18 sc on the left leg; 4 sc on the chain; 18 sc on the right leg; 4 sc on the chain; put the marker here (44)



2. 18 sc, 4 inc, 22 sc (48)

3. (7 sc, inc)*6 (54)

4-11. 54 sc (8 rounds)

12. (7 sc, dec)*6 (48)

13. 48 sc

14. 3 sc, dec, (6 sc, dec)*5, 3 sc (42)

15. 42 sc

16. (5 sc, dec)*6 (36)

17. 36 sc

18. 2 sc, dec, (4 sc, dec)*5, 2 sc (30)

19. 30 sc

20. (8 sc, dec)*3 (27)

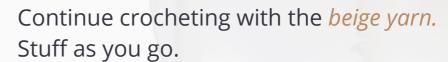
21. 27 sc



Stuff the body firmly, especially in the tummy and the neck. Don't cut the beige yarn, we will continue with the head.

BODY FOR THE GIRL:





1. Crochet 8 sc more on the right leg, make chain 4 and attach the yarn to the left leg where they look symmetrical. The toes should point slightly inwards.

Crochet 18 sc on the left leg; 4 sc on the chain; 18 sc on the right leg; 4 sc on the chain; put the marker here (44)



- 2. 18 sc, 4 inc, 22 sc (48)
- 3. (7 sc, inc)*6 (54)

4-10. 54 sc (7 rounds)

Change the yarn to pink color.

- 11. (7 sc, dec)*6 (48)
- 12. Back loops only: 48 sc



14. 3 sc, dec, (6 sc, dec)*5, 3 sc (42)

15. 42 sc

16. (5 sc, dec)*6 (36)

17. 36 sc

18. 2 sc, dec, (4 sc, dec)*5, 2 sc (30)

19. 30 sc

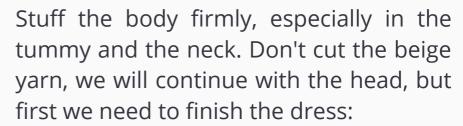
20. (8 sc, dec)*3 (27)

BODY FOR THE GIRL:



Change the yarn to *beige color*. Don't cut the pink yarn, move it to the front of your work.

21. Back loops only: 27 sc





Take the *pink yarn* and crochet 27 sl st in the front loops of round 21. Fasten off and cut the yarn. Hide the thread inside the body.

Now attach the *pink yarn* in the front loops of round 12 - to the middle of the back. Crochet with the body turned upside down (*look at the picture*):



1. ch 2, (3 dc in one stitch)*48, sl st (144) 2-4. ch 2, 144 dc, sl st (3 rounds)

Fasten off and cut the yarn. Hide the thread inside.

HEAD:







Continue crocheting with the *beige yarn*. Stuff as you go.

- 1. (2 sc, inc)*9 (36)
- 2. (2 sc, inc)*12 (48)
- 3. (3 sc, inc)*12 (60)
- 4. (9 sc, inc)*6 (66)
- 5. 5 sc, inc, (10 sc, inc)*5, 5 sc (72)
- 6-17. 72 sc (12 rounds)
- 18. 5 sc, dec, (10 sc, dec)*5, 5 sc (66)
- 19. 66 sc

Insert the safety eyes between rounds 10 and 11. There should be 8 st between them (6 st visible).

- 20. (9 sc, dec)*6 (60)
- 21. 60 sc
- 22. 4 sc, dec, (8 sc, dec)*5, 4 sc (54)
- 23. 54 sc
- 24. (7 sc, dec)*6 (48)
- 25. 3 sc, dec, (6 sc, dec)*5, 3 sc (42)
- 26. (5 sc, dec)*6 (36)
- 27. 2 sc, dec, (4 sc, dec)*5, 2 sc (30)
- 28. (3 sc, dec)*6 (24)
- 29. (sc, dec)*8 (16)
- 30. 8 dec (8)

Make sure that the head is stuffed firmly. Close the opening and hide the yarn inside.

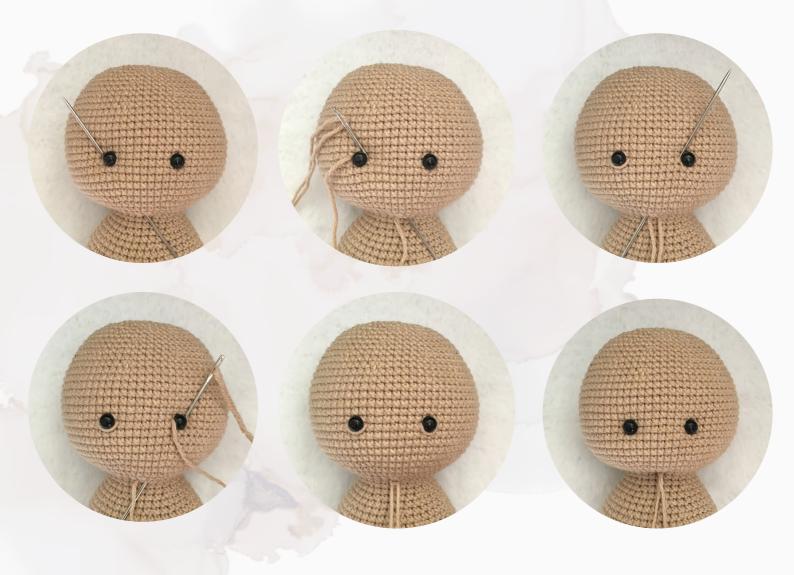
HEAD SCULPTING:



Mark the points 1-6 with pins, as it's shown in the photo.

Insert a long threaded needle through point 1 and pull it out from point 3. Then insert into point 4 and pull out from point 2. Now insert the needle through point 1 and pull it out from point 5. Insert it into point 6 and pull out from point 2.

The thread should be under the eyes.
Pull the thread ends tight and tie a knot.
Hide the thread inside the head.



MUZZLE:





- 1. 6 sc into a magic ring (6)
- 2. 6 inc (12)
- 3. (3 sc, 3 inc)*2 (18)
- 4. (3 sc, (sc, inc)*3)*2 (24)

Make a sl st, fasten off and cut the yarn.

With a black thread embroider the nose and the mouth on the muzzle. (look at the pictures on the next page)

Using a thin white thread, sew the muzzle to the head in rounds 4-10.





EMBROIDERING:

With the dark brown thread embroider the eyebrows in round 15.
Paint the cheeks with a pink blush.



EARS:





Crochet with the beige color. Don't stuff.

- 1. 6 sc into a magic ring (6)
- 2. 6 inc (12)
- 3. (sc, inc)*6 (18)
- 4. (2 sc, inc)*6 (24)
- 5. 24 sc
- 6. (2 sc, dec)*6 (18)
- 7. (sc, dec)*6 (12)

Make a sl st, fasten off and cut the yarn, leaving a tail for sewing.

Sew the ears to the head in rounds 19-24.

TAIL:





Crochet with beige color. Stuff lightly.

- 1. 6 sc into a magic ring (6)
- 2. 6 inc (12)
- 3. (sc, inc)*6 (18)
- 4. (2 sc, inc)*6 (24)
- 5. 24 sc
- 6. (2 sc, dec)*6 (18)

Make a sl st, fasten off and cut the yarn, leaving a tail for sewing.

Sew the tail to the back in rounds 4-9.

RIBBON:





1. Make chain 11 and crochet 10 sc on it, starting in the second chain from the hook

2-5. ch 1, turn, 10 sc (4 rounds)

Fasten off and cut the yarn. Hide the thread inside the ribbon.



Thread a needle through the ribbon. Wrap the yarn around the ribbon a few times. Tie a knot.

Sew it as a bowtie for the boy under the head and as a ribbon for the girl near one of the ears.



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