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FROSTY LITTLE ORNAMENTS

MEASUREMENT

Approx. 7.5 cm tall.

MATERIALS:

Snowman with knit scarf

Main Colour (MC): White yarn, 10 m
Contrast A: Red yarn, 7 m
Contrast B: Black yarn, 4 m

Snowman with ribbon scarf:

Main Colour (MC): White yarn, 10 m

Both versions:

4 mm double-pointed knitting needles, or size needed to obtain tension.
Stitch marker, fibre fill or stuffing and yarn needle.



Snowman with Knit Scarf only:

Small amount of black embroidery floss for eyes.
Small amount of orange embroidery thread for nose.
Black pipe cleaner, 10 cm long.

Snowman with Ribbon Scarf only:

Small amount of black embroidery floss for cross stitch and eyes.
Ribbon, 20 cm long.
Green craft wire or pipe cleaner, 5 cm long.
5 red beads, 6 mm.

GAUGE

21 sts and 28 rows = 10 cm in stocking stitch.

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg = Beginning
Cont = Continue
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together
Kfb = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into the front and back of the next stitch.
M1 = Make 1 stitch by picking up the horizontal loop lying before the next stitch and knitting into the back of the loop.
Rem = Remaining
Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WS = Wrong side

SNOWMAN WITH KNIT SCARF

With MC, cast on 6 sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles, 2 sts on each needle. Join in rnd, placing marker on first st.
1st rnd: Knit.
2nd rnd: (Kfb) 6 times. 12 sts.
3rd rnd: Knit.
4th rnd: (Kfb. K1) 6 times. 18 sts.
5th rnd: (Kfb. K2) 6 times. 24 sts.
6th to 12th rnds: Knit.
13th rnd: (K2tog. K4. K2tog) 3 times. 18 sts.
14th rnd: Knit.
15th rnd: (K2tog. K2. K2tog) 3 times. 12 sts.
16th rnd: Knit.
Stuff body firmly as you work.
17th rnd: (K2tog) 6 times. 6 sts.
18th rnd: Knit.
19th rnd: (Kfb) 6 times. 12 sts.
20th rnd: Knit.
21st rnd: (K1. Kfb. K2) 3 times. 15 sts.
22nd and 23rd rnds: Knit.
24th rnd: (K2tog. K1. K2tog) 3 times. 9 sts.
Stuff remaining body firmly.
25th rnd: (K2tog. K1) 3 times. 6 sts.
Break yarn, leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through remaining sts and fasten securely.

SCARF

With A, cast on 3 sts.
Work in garter stitch (knit every row) until scarf measures 4 cm from beginning.
Next row: K2tog. K1. 2 sts.
Continue in garter stitch until scarf measures 14 cm from beginning.
Next row: K1. M1. K1. 3 sts.
Continue in garter stitch until scarf measures 20.5 cm from beginning.
Cast off.

EAR MUFFS

With B and a pair of double-pointed needles, cast on 2 sts.
1st row: K1. Kfb. K1. 3 sts.
2nd row: Knit.
3rd row: K2tog. K1. 2 sts.
4th row (i-cord row): K2. Do not turn work. Slide sts to the other end of the needle.
Repeat last row 8 times more.
Next row: K1. Kfb. K1. 3 sts.
Next row: Knit.
Next row: K2tog. K1. 2 sts.
Cast off.

FINISHING

With black embroidery floss, embroider eyes and buttons. With orange embroidery thread, embroider nose using a French knot.
Cut 2 pieces of black pipe cleaner, each approximately 3 cm long. Insert into each side of the snowman for arms.

SNOWMAN WITH RIBBON SCARF

Cast on 10 sts.
1st row: (RS). Knit.
Turn work upside down. With WS facing and second needle, pick up and knit 10 sts along cast on edge. 20 sts.
Divide sts into 5 sts on the first and second needles and 10 sts on the third needle.
Join in rnd, placing marker on first st.
1st rnd: 1st needle: K1. M1. Knit to end of needle. 2nd needle: Knit to last st. M1. K1. 3rd needle: K1. M1. Knit to last st. M1. K1. 24 sts.
2nd and 3rd rnds: Knit.
4th rnd: As 1st rnd. 28 sts.
5th to 10th rnds: Knit.
11th rnd: 1st needle: Ssk. Knit to end of needle. 2nd needle: Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog. 3rd needle: Ssk. Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog. 24 sts.
12th rnd: As 11th rnd. 20 sts.
13th rnd: Knit.
14th and 15th rnds: As 11th rnd. 12 sts at end of 15th rnd.
Stuff snowman body.
16th to 20th rnds: Knit.

FINISHING

With black embroidery floss, embroider 3 X's evenly spaced down the front of the body for button detail. Embroider eyes using French knots. Thread beads onto craft wire or pipe cleaner, bend into a circle to make a halo and twist ends to secure. Sew in position at the top of the head. Tie ribbon around the neck and tack ends down.

A pair of little Frosty friends, ready to bring a bit of handmade Christmas magic to your tree! 🧡💜