



Crocheted Snakes (Liz and Laz) by Lynda Davies

DK Yarn, F Hook (1) 3-oz skein
Worsted Yarn, G Hook (1) 4-oz skein
Chunky Yarn, H Hook, (2) 4-oz skeins
Double Chunky Yarn, I Hook, (4) 4-oz skeins

BODY:

Chain 110

Row 1: SC in 12th chain, 2 SC in same stitch, *3 SC in next stitch, repeat from * 13 times

*3 HDC in next stitch, repeat from * 14 times

*3 DC in next stitch, repeat from * 14 times

*4 HTR in next stitch, repeat from * 14 times

*4 TR in next stitch repeat from * to end, chain 2, turn

Row 2: *3 HDC in each stitch, repeat to beginning SC, pull yarn through, cut, and fasten

HEAD:

Chain 3, join (or make magic circle)

Round 1: 7 SC into center of circle (do not slip stitch to 1st SC)

Round 2: 2 SC in each stitch (14 SC)

Round 3: SC in each stitch (3 INC this round, evenly spaced) (17 SC)

Round 4 - 6: INC every 6th stitch, never in previous INC (26 SC)

Round 7: SC in each stitch (through round 16) (stuff with polyester)

SC in each stitch to large end of body, yarn through and cut, use end of yarn to sew gap closed under head

HAT Laz:

Chain 3, join (or make magic circle)

Round 1: 8 SC into center of circle, join

Round 2: 2 SC in each stitch (16 SC)

Round 3: *SC in next stitch, 2 SC in next stitch, repeat from * around (24 SC)

Round 4: SC in back of each stitch

Round 5 - 7: SC in each stitch

Round 8: 2 SC in each stitch (48 SC)

Round 9: SC in each stitch, slip stitch last stitch and cut.

Decorate hat with contrasting color running stitch and sew to head

HAT Liz:

Same as Laz for 1st 4 rounds, slip stitch to next back loop, chain 2 turn (24 SC)

Round 5: 2 HDC in turning stitch, 3 HDC in each stitch to chain 2, slip stitch to 2nd chain, end

Run a gathering stitch (contrasting yarn) in last SC round, pull, tie ends and sew to head

Sew on eyes, nose, and mouth