

## Coffee and Baby Pink Simple SC Teddy Bear



This cute and plush teddy bear is quick and easy to make. It is a great weekend project for those with busy schedules. Mau Works™ line of toys are perfect as gifts for the kids, young loved ones or even to treat yourself. This particular toy was designed using a combination of increasing and decreasing of the single crochet stitch. Gauge isn't too important here, but if followed, project measures out to be about 25cm (height, from head to bum) and 14cm (width of core). Part of the Mau Works™ Pink Snuggle Set.

**Skill Level:** Intermediate

**Sizing:** All ages

**Supplies:**

- Worsted Weight Yarn: Coffee (color A), Baby Pink (color B), Black (color C)
- Size 4.25 mm crochet hook
- Poly-fil (polyester fiber fill)
- tapestry needle (optional)

**Gauge:** 7 stitches and 4 rows per 2 inch<sup>2</sup> over single crochet (4.25mm)

**Abbreviations:**

*	repeat from *
2sc	2 single crochet in one stitch (increase)
ch	chain
L	left
mm	millimeter
R	right
Rnd	round
sc	single crochet
sc2tog	single crochet two stitches together (decrease)
sl st	slip stitch
st	stitch
YO	yarn over

## Stitches Used:

### Single Crochet-

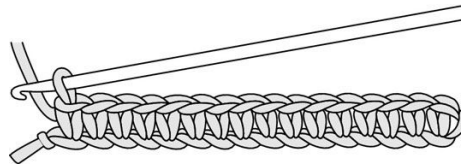
- Insert hook in the next stitch to be worked. YO hook (shown below).



- Pull yarn through stitch and YO hook again (shown below).



- Pull yarn through loops on hook (one single crochet made).



(\*crochet stitch instruction images: <http://www.dummies.com/how-to/crafts-hobbies/Crocheting.html>)

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## Pattern Instructions:

### Core:

With color A, ch 21

**Rows 1-4:** Sc in each st across (20 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Rows 5:** Sc across, 2sc in last st (21 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Row 6:** 2sc in first st, sc across (22 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Rows 7-8:** Repeat Row 5-6 once more, (24 st).

**Row 9:** Sc across, 2sc in last st (25 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Row 10:** Sl 8 st, sc in next 9 st, ch 1, turn (leave remaining 8sts unworked).

**Row 11-13:** Sc across, ch 1 turn (9st).

**Row 14:** Sc 9 st, ch 8 (17 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Row 15:** Sc across, ch 8 (25 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Row 16:** Sc across, ch 1, turn (25 st).

**Row 17:** Sc 24 st, sl st last st, ch 1, turn.

**Row 18:** Skip first st, sc across (24 st).

**Row 19:** Sc 23 st, sl st last st, ch 1, turn.

**Row 20:** Skip first st, sc across (23 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Rows 21-30:** Sc across. Ch 1, turn.

**Row 31:** Sc 22 st, 2sc in last st (24 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Row 32:** 2sc in first st, sc across (25 st). Ch 1, turn.

**Row 33:** Sc across, ch 1, turn.

**Row 34:** Sl st 8 st, sc in next 9 st, ch 1, turn (leave remaining 8 sts unworked).

**Rows 35-37:** Sc across, (8 st).

**Row 38:** Sc 9, ch 8 (17 st), ch 1, turn.

**Row 39:** Sc across, ch 8 (25 st), ch 1, turn.

**Row 40:** Sc across (25 st).  
**Row 41:** Sc 23 st, sc2tog (24 st) ch 1, turn.  
**Row 42:** Sc2tog, sc across. (23 st).  
**Row 43:** Sc 21 st, sc2tog, (22 st) ch 1, turn.  
**Row 44:** Sc2tog, sc across. (21 st).  
**Row 45:** Sc 19 st, sc2tog (20 st).  
**Rows 46-47:** Sc across.

The completed core should look similar to the photo shown below:



Fold the L and R flaps over to the center and sew down (do not sew any of the remaining openings).

#### Legs (make 2):

Using 4.25mm crochet hook, with one strand of color A, ch 22 st, join with 1st ch to form a ring, ch 1 (you will be working in the round).

**Rnd 1-3:** Sc around (22 st).  
**Rnd 4:** Sc 20 st, sc2tog (21 st).  
**Rnd 5:** Sc2tog, sc next 19 st (20 st).  
**Rnd 6:** Sc 18 st, sc2tog (19 st).  
**Rnd 7:** Sc2tog, sc next 15 st, sc2tog (17 st).  
**Rnd 8:** Sc2tog, sc next 13 st, sc2tog (15 st).  
**Rnd 9:** Sc2tog, sc around (14 st).  
**Rnd 10:** \*(2sc, sc) around (21 st).  
**Rnd 11-12:** Sc around (21 st).  
**Rnd 13:** Sc3tog around (7 st).

Seal the leg closed by sl st the 7 st. Fasten off. Legs should resemble photo on right:



Next, sew legs to the core as shown below:



Arms (make 2):

With one strand of color A, ch 18 st, join with 1st ch to form a ring, ch 1 (you will be working in the round).

**Rnds 1-5:** Sc around (18 st).

**Rnds 6-7:** Sc2tog, sc next 7 st, sc2tog, sc next 7 st (14 st after completing Rnd 7).

**Rnds 8-14:** Sc around (14 st).

Seal the arm closed by sl st the 14 st. Fasten off. Arms should resemble photo below:



Next, sew arms to the core while still inside out:



Reverse so all seams and loose ends are in the inside, then add poly-fil:



Head (make 2 for front and back of head):

With one strand of color A, ch 18.

**Row 1:** Sc across, ch 1, turn. (17 st).

**Row 2-3:** 2sc, sc next 15, 2sc in last st, (21 st).

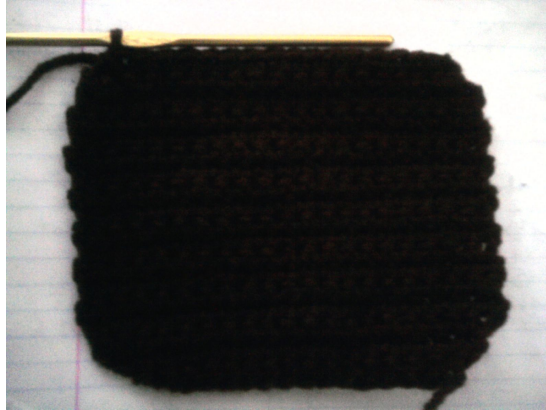
**Row 4-17:** Sc across, ch 1, turn. (21 st).

**Row 18-19:** Sc2tog, sc next 15st, sc2tog (17 st after Row 19).

**Rnd 20:** Working in the round, sc around 3 sides, sl st at the end of Row 19.

After completing Row 19 (add edging to increase head size), should resemble:





Sew 3 sides of front and back of head together. Invert:



#### Mouth

With one strand of color A, ch 2, join with 1st ch to form a ring, ch 1 (you will be working in the round).

**Rnd 1:** 8sc in st (8 st).

**Rnd 2:** 2sc around (16 st).

**Rnd 3-4:** \*(2sc, sc) \*around (32 st after Rnd 4)

Using color C, stitch in nose and mouth. Sew to face as shown.

#### Ears

Make 2: With one strand of color A, ch 3

**Row 1:** 2sc across (4 st).

**Row 2:** 2dc across (8 st).

**Row 3-5:** Sc across (8 st).

**Row 6:** Dc2tog across (4 st)

**Row 7:** Sc2tog across (2 st). Sl st ear into the top corner of head while adding a small amount of poly-fil.

Using color C, stitch in eyes on head:



Add poly-fil to head and sew onto body:



Optional:

- Bow

*Using color B, ch 90 st. Sc across one row. Fasten off and sew around neck of bear (great for covering up seam). Tie bow.*

- Flower

*Using color B, ch 2 st. Working in the round, 8sc in the first st (8st). \*(Ch 4, sl st) \* around. Sew flower a few mm from ear as shown.*

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