Victorian bed doll with a hoop skirt

US terms



Finished size
About 13¾ in (35 cm) across the points of the skirt and 10½ in (26.5 cm) tall to the top of the bonnet brim; the cushion itself is 11½ in (29 cm) across

Skill
Intermediate
23 pieces worked in rounds and rows and sewn together.

Yarn
Medium (4), 7 colors

Hook
3.5 mm (US E-4)

Gauge
20 stitches and 22 rounds to 4 in (10 cm)
In single crochet, in a spiral.

What you need

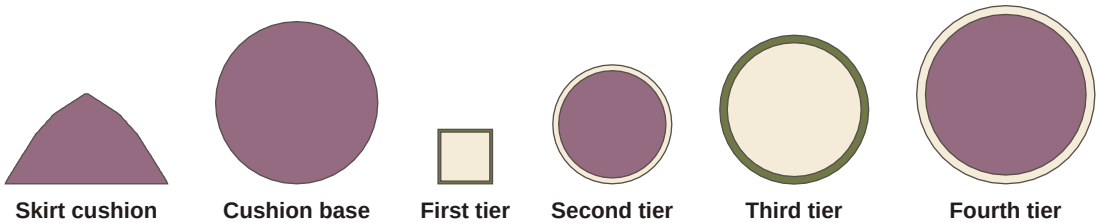
Yarn A: pale peach, head, bodice and arm and the details	**about 55 yd (50 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: dusty mauve, several of the pieces	**about 780 yd (713 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: ivory, several of the pieces	**about 340 yd (311 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: moss, several of the pieces	**about 85 yd (78 m), an estimate**
Yarn E: chestnut, parasol handle, hair cap, curl and the details	**about 65 yd (59 m), an estimate**
Yarn F: dark brown, the details	**about 5 yd (5 m), an estimate**
Yarn G: rose, the details	**about 5 yd (5 m), an estimate**

By weight: about 670 g in all, an estimate, where 100 g is 200 yd (183 m).

Hook: 3.5 mm (US E-4), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: toy stuffing, a yarn needle, a stitch marker, pins, scissors, a chenille stem (pipe cleaner), 12 in (30 cm) long and for the parasol handle.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added.

The pieces



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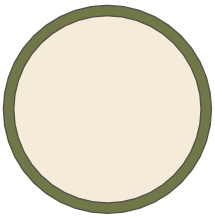

Fifth tier



Head and bodice
to the skirt cushion



Collar



Arm x 2
to the head and bodice



Parasol

Parasol handle



Hair cap



Bonnet



Bonnet brim

Curl x 4

Rose x 3

Gauge

20 stitches and 22 rounds to 4 in (10 cm) in single crochet, in a spiral.

To check it, work a flat circle: 6 sc in a magic ring, then 6 more sc in each round (12, 18, 24, 30, 36). After round 6 it should measure about 2¼ in (5.7 cm) across. The stitches should be tight enough that the stuffing does not show.

Use any hook that gives you this. If you count more stitches than this in 4 in (10 cm), change to a larger hook; if you count fewer, to a smaller one.

Notes

- Every piece that has rounds is worked in a continuous spiral with the right side facing you: do not join and do not turn. Put the marker in the first stitch of each round and move it up. Square brackets hold a repeat; work it as many times as the line says. The number in parentheses is the count at the end of the round.
- Head and bodice: stuff the head firmly at the end of round 19, before the neck.
- This doll is made to sit on a bed. For a small child leave the parasol and its stem out.
- Magic ring: wrap the yarn round two fingers, work round 1 into the loop and pull the tail to close it. Or chain 2 and work round 1 into the first chain.
- Color change: where a line begins "With D," (or another letter), work the last pull-through of the round before it in D. Cut the old yarn and knot the ends on the wrong side.
- Center line: places on a piece are given by round and by stitches from a center line. It is half way round from where the rounds begin. Mark it with a pin or a scrap of yarn as listed here, run it straight from round 1 to the last round by eye, and count out from it along the round, in stitches and half stitches.
- Head and bodice: the center line runs through the middle of stitch 23 of round 8 (45 sts). It faces the front, round 1 at the top.
- Hair cap: the center line runs between stitches 23 and 24 of round 8 (46 sts). It faces the front, round 1 at the top.
- Right and left are as you look at the front of the doll. Rounds are counted from the start of each piece.
- Running stitches go in and out along a line.
- In every step of putting it together: where a piece meets or overlaps another, sew through both. Where no tail is left or a tail is too short, sew with a new length of the yarn of the piece you are putting on.
- To work sc2tog, put the hook under the front loop only of each of the next 2 stitches, yarn over, pull through both loops, yarn over, pull through 2 loops.

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- No plastic eyes are used: every detail is worked in yarn.
- One size, at the gauge above. In a bulky (5, chunky) yarn with a 5 mm (H-8) hook, at 14 sc and 15.4 rounds to 4 in (10 cm), multiply every length by 1.4: the skirt is then about 19¼ in (49 cm) across. It takes about 1.4 times the yarn.

Instructions

US terms.

ch chain, **sl st** slip stitch, **sc** single crochet (UK double crochet), **MR** magic ring, **Rnd** round, **st** stitch.
sc2tog 2 sc made into one, **yo** yarn over the hook, **RS** right side, the one that shows.
2 sc in next st: both in one stitch. **sc in next 2 sts**: one in each.
[ ] 6 times: work what is inside 6 times in all.
(6 sc): the stitches you have when the round is done. **How to read a pattern**.

Special stitches

bobble: [yarn over, insert hook in the stitch, pull up a loop, yarn over, pull through 2 loops] 4 times in the same stitch, yarn over, pull through all 5 loops (United Kingdom: a bobble of 4 trebles). Push it out to the right side.

Skirt cushion

Yarn B, dusty mauve.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	6 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(6 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	2 sc in each st around	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(18 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(36 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(48 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts**] 6 times**	(54 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts**] 6 times**	(60 sc)
☐ **Rnd 11**	**[**sc in next 9 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(66 sc)
☐ **Rnd 12**	**[**sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(72 sc)
☐ **Rnd 13**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 11 sts**] 6 times**	(78 sc)
☐ **Rnd 14**	Sc in each st around	(78 sc)
☐ **Rnd 15**	**[**sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(84 sc)
☐ **Rnd 16**	**[**sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts**] 6 times**	(90 sc)
☐ **Rnd 17**	Sc in each st around	(90 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 18**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 14 sts**] 6 times**	(96 sc)
☐ **Rnd 19**	**[**sc in next 15 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(102 sc)
☐ **Rnd 20**	Sc in each st around	(102 sc)
☐ **Rnd 21**	**[**sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts**] 6 times**	(108 sc)
☐ **Rnd 22**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 17 sts**] 6 times**	(114 sc)
☐ **Rnd 23**	Sc in each st around	(114 sc)
☐ **Rnd 24**	**[**sc in next 18 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(120 sc)
☐ **Rnd 25**	Sc in each st around	(120 sc)
☐ **Rnd 26**	**[**sc in next 9 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts**] 6 times**	(126 sc)
☐ **Rnd 27**	Sc in each st around	(126 sc)
☐ **Rnd 28**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 20 sts**] 6 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 29**	Sc in each st around	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 30**	**[**sc in next 21 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(138 sc)
☐ **Rnd 31**	Sc in each st around	(138 sc)
☐ **Rnd 32**	**[**sc in next 11 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 11 sts**] 6 times**	(144 sc)
☐ **Rnd 33**	Sc in each st around	(144 sc)
☐ **Rnd 34**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 23 sts**] 6 times**	(150 sc)
☐ **Rnd 35**	Sc in each st around	(150 sc)
☐ **Rnd 36**	**[**sc in next 24 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(156 sc)
☐ **Rnd 37**	Sc in each st around	(156 sc)
☐ **Rnd 38**	**[**sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 13 sts**] 6 times**	(162 sc)
☐ **Rnd 39**	Sc in each st around	(162 sc)
☐ **Rnd 40**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 26 sts**] 6 times**	(168 sc)
☐ **Rnd 41**	Sc in each st around	(168 sc)
☐ **Rnd 42**	**[**sc in next 27 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(174 sc)
☐ **Rnd 43**	Sc in each st around	(174 sc)
☐ **Rnd 44**	**[**sc in next 14 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 14 sts**] 6 times**	(180 sc)
☐ **Rnd 45**	Sc in each st around	(180 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 140 in (356 cm) tail for sewing. Round 1 is the middle of the top. Rounds 1 to 13 lie nearly flat; from round 14 on the piece widens more slowly and makes the sloping sides of the hoop skirt.	

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Cushion base

Yarn B, dusty mauve.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	6 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(6 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	2 sc in each st around	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(18 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(36 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(48 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts**] 6 times**	(54 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts**] 6 times**	(60 sc)
☐ **Rnd 11**	**[**sc in next 9 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(66 sc)
☐ **Rnd 12**	**[**sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(72 sc)
☐ **Rnd 13**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 11 sts**] 6 times**	(78 sc)
☐ **Rnd 14**	**[**sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(84 sc)
☐ **Rnd 15**	**[**sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts**] 6 times**	(90 sc)
☐ **Rnd 16**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 14 sts**] 6 times**	(96 sc)
☐ **Rnd 17**	**[**sc in next 15 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(102 sc)
☐ **Rnd 18**	**[**sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts**] 6 times**	(108 sc)
☐ **Rnd 19**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 17 sts**] 6 times**	(114 sc)
☐ **Rnd 20**	**[**sc in next 18 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(120 sc)
☐ **Rnd 21**	**[**sc in next 9 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts**] 6 times**	(126 sc)
☐ **Rnd 22**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 20 sts**] 6 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 23**	**[**sc in next 21 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(138 sc)
☐ **Rnd 24**	**[**sc in next 11 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 11 sts**] 6 times**	(144 sc)
☐ **Rnd 25**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 23 sts**] 6 times**	(150 sc)
☐ **Rnd 26**	**[**sc in next 24 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(156 sc)
☐ **Rnd 27**	**[**sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 13 sts**] 6 times**	(162 sc)
☐ **Rnd 28**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 26 sts**] 6 times**	(168 sc)
☐ **Rnd 29**	**[**sc in next 27 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(174 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 30**	**[**sc in next 14 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 14 sts**] 6 times**	(180 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off and weave in the end. Press it flat.	

First tier

Yarns in order of use: C, ivory; D, moss.

☐ **Foundation**	With C, ch 42; being careful not to twist the chain, sl st in the first ch to form a ring. Round 1 begins in that same ch.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Sc in each ch around	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Sc in each st around	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in each of next 5 sts**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	With D, **[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 7 times**	(77 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Every round from round 4 on is the same: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In each round after round 4 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below.	

Second tier

Yarns in order of use: B, dusty mauve; C, ivory.

☐ **Foundation**	With B, ch 84; being careful not to twist the chain, sl st in the first ch to form a ring. Round 1 begins in that same ch.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Sc in each ch around	(84 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Sc in each st around	(84 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts**] 12 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 12 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 12 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 12 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 12 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 12 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 12 times**	(132 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 10**	With C, **[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 12 times**	(132 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Every round from round 4 on is the same: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In each round after round 4 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below.	

Third tier

Yarns in order of use: C, ivory; D, moss.

☐ **Foundation**	With C, ch 120; being careful not to twist the chain, sl st in the first ch to form a ring. Round 1 begins in that same ch.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Sc in each ch around	(120 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Sc in each st around	(120 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	With D, **[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 15 times**	(165 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Every round from round 4 on is the same: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In each round after round 4 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below.	

Fourth tier

Yarns in order of use: B, dusty mauve; C, ivory.

☐ **Foundation**	With B, ch 144; being careful not to twist the chain, sl st in the first ch to form a ring. Round 1 begins in that same ch.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Sc in each ch around	(144 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Sc in each st around	(144 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 18 times**	(198 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 18 times**	(198 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 18 times**	(198 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 18 times**	(198 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 18 times**	(198 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 18 times**	(198 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 18 times**	(198 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	With C, **[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 18 times**	(198 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Every round from round 4 on is the same: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In each round after round 4 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below.	

Fifth tier

Yarns in order of use: C, ivory; D, moss.

☐ **Foundation**	With C, ch 168; being careful not to twist the chain, sl st in the first ch to form a ring. Round 1 begins in that same ch.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Sc in each ch around	(168 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Sc in each st around	(168 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	With D, **[**sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog**] 21 times**	(231 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Every round from round 4 on is the same: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In each round after round 4 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below.	

Head and bodice

Yarns in order of use: A, pale peach; B, dusty mauve; D, moss.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	6 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(6 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	2 sc in each st around	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(18 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(24 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(36 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc in next 13 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 3 times**	(45 sc)
☐ **Rnds 9 to 14**	Sc in each st around	(45 sc)
9 10 11 12 13 14		
☐ **Rnd 15**	**[**sc in next 6 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts**] 3 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 16**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(36 sc)
☐ **Rnd 17**	**[**sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog**] 6 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnd 18**	**[**sc in next st, sc2tog, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 19**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(18 sc)
☐ **Rnd 20**	**[**sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog**] 2 times**	(16 sc)
☐ **Rnd 21**	Sc in each st around	(16 sc)
☐ **Rnd 22**	With B, **[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 8 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 23**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts**] 3 times**	(27 sc)
☐ **Rnd 24**	**[**sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 3 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnds 25 to 26**	Sc in each st around	(30 sc)
25 26		
☐ **Rnd 27**	**[**sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 4 sts**] 3 times**	(27 sc)
☐ **Rnd 28**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts**] 3 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 29**	With D, **[**sc in next 6 sts, sc2tog**] 3 times**	(21 sc)
☐ **Rnd 30**	Sc in each st around	(21 sc)
☐ **Rnd 31**	With B, **[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 3 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 32**	Sc in each st around	(24 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 22 in (56 cm) tail for sewing. Leave the bodice empty until the collar is on; then stuff it firmly up to the open edge.	

Collar

Yarns in order of use: C, ivory; D, moss.

☐ **Foundation**	With C, ch 24; being careful not to twist the chain, sl st in the first ch to form a ring. Round 1 begins in that same ch.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Sc in each ch around	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Sc in each st around	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in each of next 3 sts**] 6 times**	(42 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	With D, **[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Every round from round 4 on is the same: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In each round after round 4 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below.	

Arm: make 2

Yarns in order of use: A, pale peach; C, ivory; B, dusty mauve.

Stuff lightly every few rounds as you go, so that the tube still bends.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	6 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(6 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 2 times**	(10 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	Sc in each st around	(10 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	Sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 4 sts	(9 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	With C, **[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 3 times**	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	With B, **[**sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog**] 2 times**	(10 sc)
☐ **Rnds 7 to 13**	Sc in each st around	(10 sc)
	7 8 9 10 11 12 13	
☐ **Rnd 14**	Sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts	(11 sc)
☐ **Rnd 15**	2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 16**	**[**sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog**] 2 times**	(10 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 12 in (30 cm) tail for sewing.	

Parasol

Yarns in order of use: B, dusty mauve; C, ivory; D, moss.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	6 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(6 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	2 sc in each st around	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(18 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(36 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(42 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(48 sc)
☐ **Rnd 9**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 8 times**	(56 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	With C, **[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 8 times**	(56 sc)
☐ **Rnd 11**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 8 times**	(56 sc)
☐ **Rnd 12**	With D, **[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 8 times**	(56 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Rounds 10, 11 and 12 are the points: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In rounds 11 and 12 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below. Turn the parasol inside out, so that its right side is inside the hollow.	

Parasol handle

Yarn E, chestnut.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	5 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(5 sc)
☐ **Rnds 2 to 25**	Sc in each st around	(5 sc)

2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 10 in (25 cm) tail for sewing. Do not stuff. Fold the chenille stem in half and twist the two halves together. Cut it 4½ in (11.5 cm) from the fold, then turn the last ½ in (13 mm) of both cut ends back, so that it is about 4 in (10 cm) long and has no sharp end. Push it into the handle, fold first. Leave the handle open.	

Hair cap

Yarn E, chestnut.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	6 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(6 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	2 sc in each st around	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(18 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(36 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc in next 9 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 2 times**	(46 sc)

Mark the center line now: a pin or a scrap of yarn between stitches 23 and 24 of round 8. It faces the front, round 1 at the top.

☐ **Rnd 9**	Sc in each st around	(46 sc)
☐ **Rnd 10**	**[**sc in next st, bobble in next st**] 23 times**	(46 sts)

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☐ **Rnd 11**	Sc in each st around	(46 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 34 in (86 cm) tail for sewing. Do not stuff.	

Bonnet

Yarn D, moss.

☐ **Foundation**	Make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	6 sc in MR. Pull the tail to close the ring.	(6 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	2 sc in each st around	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next st, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(18 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	**[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(30 sc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	**[**sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts**] 6 times**	(36 sc)
☐ **Rnd 7**	**[**2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts**] 6 times**	(42 sc)
☐ **Rnd 8**	**[**sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times**	(48 sc)
☐ **Rnds 9 to 11** 9 10 11	Sc in each st around	(48 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 36 in (91 cm) tail for sewing. Do not stuff.	

Bonnet brim

Yarns in order of use: C, ivory; B, dusty mauve.

☐ **Foundation**	With C, ch 48; being careful not to twist the chain, sl st in the first ch to form a ring. Round 1 begins in that same ch.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Sc in each ch around	(48 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Sc in each st around	(48 sc)
☐ **Rnd 3**	**[**sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 8 times**	(56 sc)
☐ **Rnd 4**	**[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 8 times**	(56 sc)
☐ **Rnd 5**	With B, **[**sc2tog, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, sc2tog**] 8 times**	(56 sc)
☐ **End**	Sl st in the next st to level the edge. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Do not stuff. Every round from round 4 on is the same: the 3 sc in one stitch make the points and the two sc2tog side by side make the valleys between them. In each round after round 4 the 3 sc go into the middle one of the 3 sc below.	

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Curl: make 4

Yarn E, chestnut.

Worked flat, to and fro in rows, 14 stitches wide at the start. The ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch.

☐ **Foundation**	With E, ch 15.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across	(14 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn, 3 sc in each of next 14 sts	(42 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 12 in (30 cm) tail for sewing. Row 2 makes the strip turn round itself like a corkscrew. Twist it with your fingers, always the same way, until it is an even curl about 1¾ in (4.5 cm) long. The end with the long tail is the upper end.	

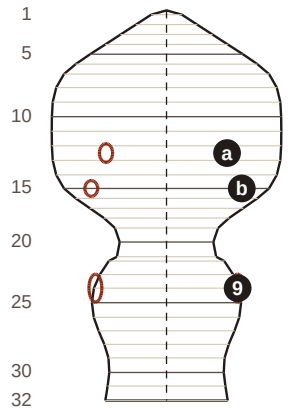
Rose: make 3

Yarn B, dusty mauve.

Worked flat, to and fro in rows, 10 stitches wide at the start. The ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch.

☐ **Foundation**	With B, ch 11.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across	(10 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn, 2 sc in each of next 10 sts	(20 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 12 in (30 cm) tail. Roll the strip up from the end with the short beginning tail, its right side out and its foundation chain level at the bottom: the upper edge opens out like petals. With the long tail, sew to and fro through all the layers of the foundation chain, so that it cannot unroll.	

Assembly



Head and bodice: 9 arms, a eyes, b cheeks

A number is the step below that puts it on; a letter is put on under Finishing. Each line is a round, counted as the rounds are worked. The upright broken line is the center line. A place with a broken edge is on the far side.

1. Lay the skirt cushion with its closed end up. Take the fifth tier, right side out, its last round first, down over the closed end until its chain edge lies on round 40 of the skirt cushion (168 sts) and its points look toward the open edge. With a new length of C (ivory), sew the 168 chains to the 168 stitches of that round, chain to stitch.

2. Put on the fourth tier in the same way, its chain edge on round 32 of the skirt cushion (144 sts). With a new length of B (dusty mauve), sew the 144 chains to the 144 stitches of that round, chain to stitch.

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3. Put on the third tier in the same way, its chain edge on round 24 of the skirt cushion (120 sts). With a new length of C (ivory), sew the 120 chains to the 120 stitches of that round, chain to stitch.

4. Put on the second tier in the same way, its chain edge on round 15 of the skirt cushion (84 sts). With a new length of B (dusty mauve), sew the 84 chains to the 84 stitches of that round, chain to stitch.

5. Put on the first tier in the same way, its chain edge on round 7 of the skirt cushion (42 sts). With a new length of C (ivory), sew the 42 chains to the 42 stitches of that round, chain to stitch. The points of every tier hang free over the chain edge of the tier below; the points of the fifth tier stand out a little past the edge of the skirt cushion.

6. Put the collar on before you stuff the bodice. Slip it, right side out, its chain edge first, up over the open edge of the head and bodice until its chain edge lies on round 22 of the head and bodice (24 sts), just below the neck; its points hang down toward the open edge. Turn it until one point lies on the center line. Then, with a new length of C (ivory), sew the 24 chains to the 24 stitches of that round, chain to stitch. Now stuff the bodice firmly.

7. Set the open edge of the head and bodice (24 sts) on the middle of the skirt cushion: the edge lies on round 4 of the skirt cushion (24 sts). Sew all the way round with the tail, stitch to stitch, adding stuffing before the last stitches so that she sits straight.

8. Lay the cushion base under the skirt cushion, wrong sides facing in, the edges level (180 sts each). Sew the two edges together, stitch to stitch, with the tail of the skirt cushion. Before you close the last 5 in (13 cm), stuff the cushion through the gap until it is firm and bell- shaped, with a flat base and about 5 in (13 cm) tall.

9. Pin the two arms to the head and bodice: the middle of each open edge lies on round 24, one to each side, 6½ stitches from the center line (13 stitches apart). The edge (10 sts) covers about rounds 23 to 25 of the head and bodice, just under the collar: lift its points out of the way. The left arm points out to the side, forward and down, and lies with its hand on the first tier. The right arm points out to the side, forward and a little down as far as round 9, then bends forward and a little up, so that its fist (rounds 1 to 4) is held over the edge of the first tier, about 1½ in (4 cm) above it. Hold each bend with a few running stitches along its inner side, drawn up a little. Sew all the way round with the tail.

10. Before the hair cap goes on the head, sew the four curls to the edge of the hair cap (round 11, 46 sts), two to each side of its center line, 7 and 10 stitches from it: lay the upper end of each against the wrong side of round 11, the curl hanging down past the edge, and sew it there with its tail.

11. Pull the hair cap down over the head, center lines in line, its round 1 just behind round 1 of the head and bodice: its edge (round 11) lies on round 8 of the head and bodice in front, on round 9 at the two sides and on round 11 at the back. Sew all 46 stitches of the edge down. The curls hang straight down in front of the shoulders and are sewn nowhere else.

12. Pull the bonnet over the back of the head, over the hair cap: the middle of its round 1 lies at the back, on round 7 of the head and bodice, on the line opposite the center line. Its edge (round 11, 48 sts) lies on round 4 of the hair cap in front, on the center line, on about round 10 of the hair cap at the two sides (13 stitches from the center line) and on round 16 of the head and bodice at the back, so that the bobbles of the hair show in front of it. Pin it and sew the edge down all the way round, through the hair cap where it lies over it.

13. Turn the bonnet brim inside out, so that its right side is inside the ring. Set its chain edge on the edge of the bonnet, the points forward: the right side of the brim looks to the face, and the brim stands out round it. Sew its 48 chains to the 48 stitches of round 11 of the bonnet, chain to stitch, with a new length of C (ivory).

14. Sew two of the three roses inside the brim by their foundation chains, one to each side: the middle of each on round 10 of the hair cap, 9 stitches from its center line, above the curls, so that each looks out to the side and forward.

15. Sew the last rose to the front of the collar by its foundation chain, its middle on the center line on round 24 of the head and bodice, so that it looks forward.

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16. Parasol: push the open end of the parasol handle (5 sts) into the hollow of the parasol and sew it to the middle, over round 1, with its tail, going round twice. Lay the other end of the handle across the inner side of the right fist (the side toward the middle of the doll), so that round 1 of the handle just shows below the fist, and sew round 3 of the handle to rounds 1 to 3 of the arm with a few stitches of A (pale peach), right through the handle. Lean the parasol back over the shoulder, about as far back as up and a little to the right, until its edge comes to the back of the bonnet brim, the hollow looking forward. Sew the point of the parasol that is nearest to the brim to the edge of the brim with three or four stitches of D (moss), so that it stays there.

Finishing

- Embroider with one strand of yarn and the yarn needle when the pieces round the place are sewn on; begin and end each strand on the wrong side of a flat piece, inside a stuffed one. Satin stitch is straight stitches side by side until the shape is filled.
- Eyes: with F (dark brown), in satin stitch, an oval about 3/16 in (5 mm) wide and ¼ in (6 mm) tall, its middle on the head and bodice between rounds 12 and 13, one to each side, 4 stitches from the center line (8 stitches apart).
- Cheeks: with G (rose), in satin stitch, an oval about ¼ in (6 mm) wide and 3/16 in (5 mm) tall, its middle on the head and bodice on round 15, one to each side, 5½ stitches from the center line (11 stitches apart).
- Lips: with G (rose), in satin stitch, a heart about 3/16 in (5 mm) wide and 3/16 in (5 mm) tall, its middle on the head and bodice on round 15, on the center line.
- Eyelashes: with F (dark brown), long straight stitches on the head and bodice: one on each side, from round 12, 4½ stitches from the center line, to round 11, 5½ stitches from the center line; one on each side, from round 12, 4½ stitches from the center line, to round 12, 6 stitches from the center line.
- Eyebrows: with E (chestnut), long straight stitches on the head and bodice: one on each side, from round 10, 3 stitches from the center line, to round 10, 5 stitches from the center line.
- Weave every tail through the toy and trim it. For a toy that will be played with, go round each seam a second time with a new length of yarn. Check the seams and small parts from time to time.

In all: 23 pieces; 18,492 stitches.

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