



Sheep „Pommel“

Size: ca 17cm with legs

Materials:

- Tapestry needle
- Grey sheepwool
- Dark grey yarn for eyes, nose and feet
- Fleece or extra yarn scraps for stuffing
- A ribbon to make a bow tie
- 1 set US 1/2mm double-point needles



I-cord:

Cast on stitches using double pointed needles. Knit the first row but don't turn your piece. Slip the stitches back to the beginning of the needle and knit the row again. Continue in this manner until you have a short length of knitting, pull down on the loose tail and the space between the stitches will close.

Pattern notes:

Make sure your knitted fabric is nice and firm because it will be stuffed later.

This is the guide for a relatively small Pommel. With thinner or thicker yarn and needle to matching strength is the larger with the same knitting instructions quickly changed.

Head

Cast on 20 stitches and knit in garter stitch for 12 rows. Divide the stitches between 4 needles and join to begin working in the round.

Round 1: decrease 5 stitches evenly (k2, k2tog, repeat) = 15 stitches.

Round 2: knit

Round 3: knit

Round 4: knit increasing 4 stitches evenly

Round 5: knit

Round 6: knit increasing 2 stitches on each needle

Round 7- 14: knit

K2tog until 7 stitches are left on your needles. Pull the yarn through the remaining 7 stitches. Sew the first seam together and stuff.



Body

Cast on 12 stitches between 4 needles.

Round 1: knit

Round 2: *knit 1, M1* repeat around = 18 stitches

Round 3: knit

Round 4: knit

Round 5: *knit 1, M1* repeat around = 26 stitches

Round 6: knit

Now knit 12 rounds in garter stitch.

Round 19: *knit 1, k2tog* repeat around

Round 20: purl

Round 21: *knit 1, k2tog* repeat around = 17 stitches.

Bind off all stitches. Fill with stuffing and sew seems together.

Legs:

Cast on 5 stitches.

Knit 15 rounds of I-cord.

Change to dark grey yarn for the hooves and knit all stitches onto 4 needles while increasing the stitches so that 2 stitches are now on each needle = 8 stitches total.

Round 1: knit

Round 2: knit increasing 1 stitch per needle (each needle = 3 stitches)

Round 3: knit

Round 4: knit increasing 2 stitches per needle (each needle = 5 stitches)

Round 5: knit

Round 6: *knit 2, k2tog*

Bind off all stitches. Fill with stuffing and sew seems together.

Arms:

Cast on 4 stitches.

Knit 10 rounds of I-cord.

Change to dark grey yarn for the 'hands' and knit all stitches onto 4 needles while increasing the stitches so that 2 stitches are now on each needle.

Round 1: knit

Round 2: knit increasing 1 stitch per needle (each needle = 3 stitches)

Knit 5 rounds.

Bind off all stitches. Fill with stuffing and sew together.

Make a stitch with the same color yarn to 'separate' the paw



Ears:

Cast on 7 stitches. Knit 7 rounds. Decrease 2 stitches at the beginning of the next rounds until 2 stitches remain. Cast off remaining 2 stitches.

Finishing:

Sew the ears on the sides of his head, and using a bit of the dark grey yarn, sew eyes and a nose on your sheep. Make a small amount of hair for his head. Sew on the legs and arms.

Your happy sheep „Pommel“ is done!

When it gets society?

Please send me a picture of your sheep and it gets a place in the>> [Pommelgallery](#)<<!