

Backson

3.5mm crochet hook

Body

Starting from the top...

Round 1: In Aqua, ch 12, 2sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 9 ch, 2sc in next ch, turn and work along the bottom now, 2sc in next ch, sc in next 9 ch, 2sc in next ch. (26)

Round 2: 2sc in next st, sc in next 11 sts, 2sc in next 2 sts, sc in next 11 sts, 2sc in next st. (30)

Rounds 3-14: Sc around. (30)

Round 15: Sc in next st, sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 12 sts. (28)

Round 16-17: Sc around. (28)

Round 18: Sc in next st, sc2tog, sc in next 12 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts. (26)

Rounds 19-20: Sc around. (26)

Round 21: Sc in next st, sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 10 sts. (24)

Rounds 22-23: Sc around. (24)

Round 24: sc2tog, sc in next 8 sts, sc2tog, sc2tog, sc in next 8 sts, sc2tog. (20)

FO

Stuff the body then sew up the opening at the bottom.

Arms – Make 2

For the stripy arms you can adapt this to be jogless, but I just made mine up fairly quickly, so I didn't worry about it so much, I just made sure the jog was at the bottom of the arm.

Starting at the hand...

Round 1: In Purple, ch 2, work 6sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Round 2: 2sc in next 6 sts. (12)

Rounds 3-4: Sc around. (12)

Round 5: *2sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts* twice. (14)

Round 6: Sc around. Change to Red in last sc. (14)

Round 7: Sc around. (14)

Round 8: *2sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts* twice. (16)

Rounds 9-10: Change to Purple in the first sc. Sc around. (16)

Round 11: Sc in next st, change to Red in next st, continue to sc around. (16)

Round 12: *2sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts* twice. (18)

Round 13: Sc in next 3 sts, change to Purple in next st, continue to sc around. (18)

Round 14: Sc around. (18)

Round 15: Sc in next 4 sts, change to Red in next st, continue to sc around. (18)

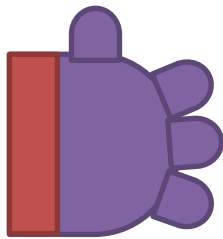
Round 16: Sc around. (18)

Round 17: Sc in next 6 sts, change to Purple in next st, continue to sc around. (18)

Round 18: Sc around. (18)

Round 19 (For right arm): Sl st in next 9 sts, sc in next 9 sts. FO.

Round 19 (For left arm): Sc in next 2 sts, sl st in next 9 sts, sc in next 7 sts. FO.



Fingers – Make 8

Round 1: In Purple, ch 2, work 6sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Rounds 2-3: Sc around. (6)

FO

Sew four fingers to each hand, leaving a little gap between the thumb and the other three fingers.

Legs – Make 2

Starting at the foot...

Round 1: In Purple, ch 2, work 6sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Round 2: 2sc in next 6 sts. (12)

Round 3: *2sc in next st, sc in next st* around. (18)

Round 4: *2sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts* around. (24)

Round 5: *sc2tog, sc in next st* x 6, sc in next 6 sts. (18)

Round 6: sc2tog x 6, sc in next 6 sts. (12)

Rounds 7-10: Sc around. (12)

Round 11: *sc2tog, sc in next 4 sts* twice. (10)

Rounds 12-15: Sc around. (10)

Round 16: *sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts* twice. (8)

FO

Toes – Make 6

Round 1: In Purple, ch 2, work 6sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Round 2: Sc around. (6)

FO

Before sewing the toes on, stuff the foot so you can get a better idea where to sew the toes. I sew the middle toe on first, then sew on the ones either side.

Tail

Round 1: In Purple, ch 2, work 6sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Round 2: 2sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts. (7)

Round 3: 2sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts. (8)

Round 4: 2sc in next 2 sts (in FLO), sc in next st, sc2tog, sc2tog, sc in next st. (8)

Round 5: Sc around. (8)

Round 6: 2sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts. (9)

Round 7: 2sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts. (10)

Round 8: 2sc in next st, sc in next 9 sts. (11)

Round 9: 2sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts. (12)

Round 10: 2sc in next st, sc in next 11 sts. (13)

Round 11: 2sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts. (14)

Round 12: Sc2tog, sc2tog, sc2tog, sc2tog, sc in next st, 2sc in next 4 sts (in FLO), sc in next st. (14)

Round 13: Sc around. (14)

Round 14: 2sc in next st, sc in next 13 sts. (15)

Round 15: 2sc in next st, sc in next 14 sts. (16)

Round 16: 2sc in next st, sc in next 15 sts. (17)

Round 17: 2sc in next st, sc in next 16 sts. (18)

FO

Head

Round 1: In Purple, ch 2, work 6sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6)

Round 2: 2sc in next 6 sts. (12)

Round 3: *2sc in next st, sc in next st* around. (18)

Round 4: *2sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts* around. (24)

Rounds 5-7: Sc around. (24)

FO

Nose

Round 1: In Light Purple, ch 2, work 8sc in 2nd ch from hook. (8)

Round 2: Sc around. (8)

Nose Ring

Round 1: In Yellow, ch 10, sl st in 2nd ch from hook and continue sl st across. (9)

FO

I put both ends of the nose ring into the nose, then tie it off inside.

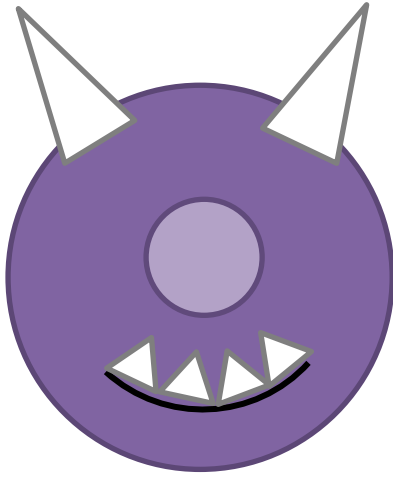
Horns – Make 2

Round 1: In White, ch 2, work 4sc in 2nd ch from hook. (4)

Rounds 2-3: Sc around. (4)

Round 4: *sc in next st, 2sc in next st* twice. (6)

FO



Sew nose slightly above the centre on the head (this is just above round 1). Sew horns on. Embroider some teeth and a mouth beneath the nose. Add some red hair. I got a comb to make the red hair a bit frizzier, and then cut to the length I wanted.

Stuff the head and sew it onto the body so that it doesn't stick over the top too much, you kind of want the head to sit in the body, rather than on top of it.

Stuff the arms and sew to the body.

Stuff the legs and sew to the body.

Stuff the tail and sew to the body.

I hope the pattern makes sense, I've mainly typed it up for personal notes, but I didn't see any Backson patterns on Ravelry so thought I'd share 😊