

Dalek Tea Cosy

This cosy is designed for my two cup tea cosy.

3.75mm needles, 3.00mm crochet hook

Gauge 1" square for me was 5 sts x 8 rows

Cosy – Make 2

Cast on 35 sts in Black.

Rows 1-3: Moss stitch (K, P) across. (Next time I make one, I will probably add a few rows to this)

Change to Red

Rows 4-27: Stocking stitch for 24 rows, starting with a K row and ending on a P row.

Row 28: K2, K2tog, K27, K2tog, K2 (33 sts)

Row 29: P

Row 30: K3, (K2tog, K3) x 6 (27 sts)

Row 31: P

Change to Black

Row 32: K3, (K2tog, K2) x 6 (21 sts)

Rows 33-37: Stocking stitch for 5 rows.

Row 38: K2, (K2tog, K1) x 6, K1 (15 sts)

Rows 39-43: Stocking stitch for 5 rows.

Row 44: K2, (K2tog) x 6, K1 (9 sts)

Row 45: (P2tog) x 2, P, (P2tog) x 2 (5 sts)

Bind & Tie

After you've made two, sew up, making sure to leave holes for the spout and handle.

Add 5 lines, evenly spaced, per side in Black. This gives 6 sections. I used the decrease in row 30 to help guide me here. The K2tog is in the middle of each section. Only make the lines in the red section.

Dots – Make 36

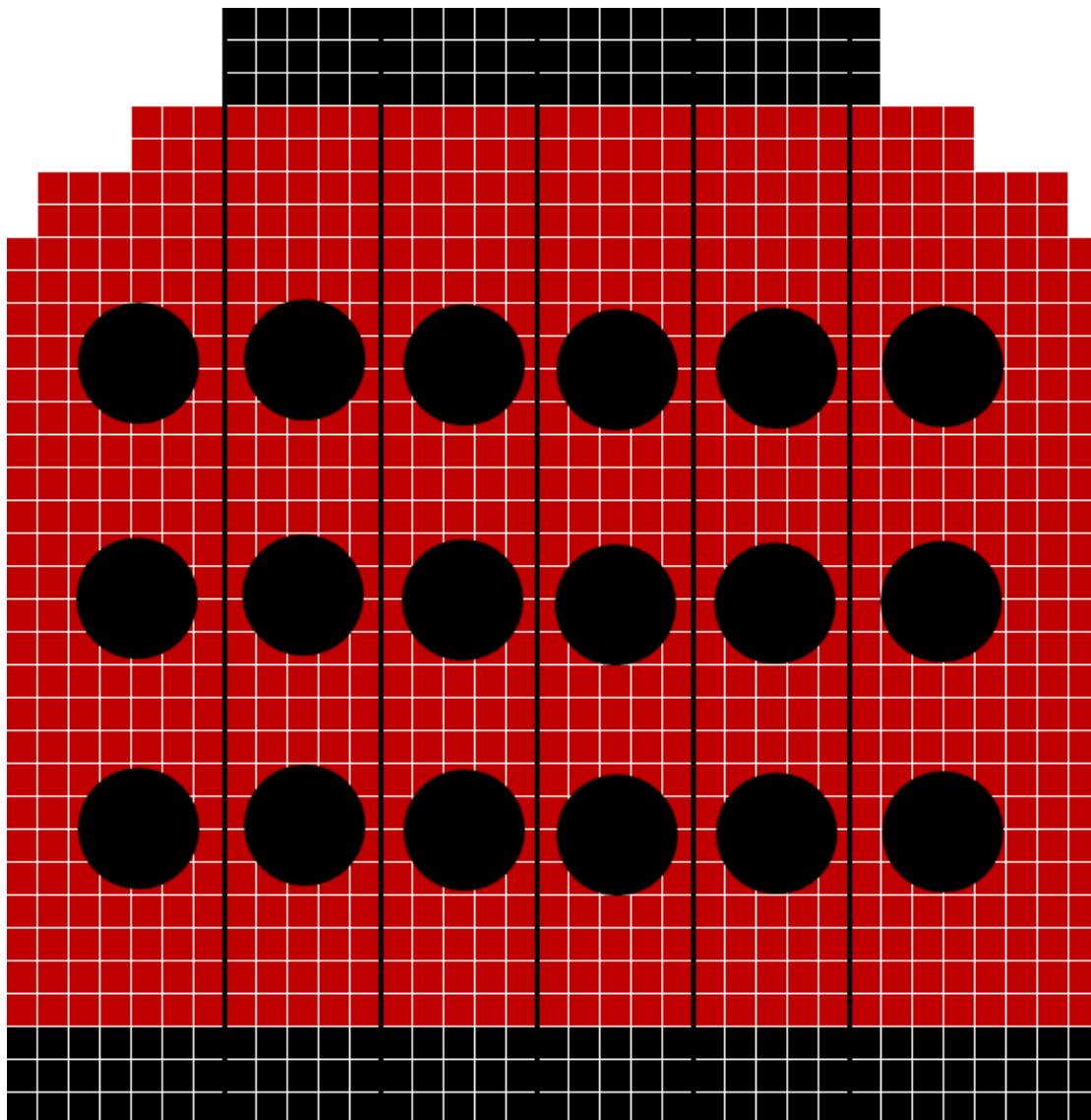
Cast on 12 sts in Black.

Row 1: P

Row 2: (K2tog) x 6 (6 sts)

Bind & Tie

Seem the dots and attach to the sides of the Dalek. The chart below isn't to scale, it just gives an idea on placement. I placed the middle row first, then did the rest.



Dalek Body

Cast on 41 sts in Black.

Rows 1-8: Stocking stitch for 8 rows.

Change to Red

Row 9: K1, (K2tog, K8) x 4 (37 sts)

Rows 10-14: Stocking stitch for 5 rows.

Change to Black

Rows 15-18: Stocking stitch for 4 rows.

Change to Red

Rows 19-20: Stocking stitch for 2 rows.

Row 21: K3, (K2tog, K2) x 8, K2 (29 sts)

Rows 22-24: Stocking stitch for 3 rows.

Row 25: K2, (K2tog, K1) x 9 (20 sts)

Row 26: P

Row 27: K1, (K2tog) x 9, K1 (11 sts)

Row 28: P

Bind & Tie

Dalek Body Parts

The Eye Stalk, Plunger, Gun Stick and two Bulbs are done with icord. For this I tried doing icord with a crochet hook, and it was super simple. There are lots of great tutorials.

The black bulbs are only two rounds long, and the rest are about 7 rounds long. I used three stitches for these icords.

The end of the plunger is crocheted...

In Black, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd chain from hook, then FO. (6 sts)

Then you sew one of the longer icords to the back.

The end of the Eye Stalk is much the same...

In Blue, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd chain from hook, change to Black and sc in each st around, then FO. (6 sts)

Then you sew one of the longer icords to the black section.

Sew all body parts to the body. Stuff the body and sew onto the cosy.

Just a note that this pattern is not for resale or profit, they are just personal notes.