

# Joe Penguin

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## DIFFICULTY:

Advanced Beginner

## FINISHED SIZE:

Approx 5"

**GAUGE:** 8 sts x 9 rows

= 2" in sc

## Abbreviations

ch = chain  
dc = double crochet  
dec = decrease (pull up a loop in each of the next 2 sts and work as 1)  
hdc = half-double crochet

inc = increase (work 2 sts in one st)  
sc = single crochet  
sl st = slip stitch  
rnd = round

## Materials

- ❖ Red Heart Super Saver - Black (60 yds), White (15 yds), Pumpkin (small amount)
- ❖ F/5 (3.75mm) hook
- ❖ 2 10mm black shank buttons
- ❖ Yarn needle
- ❖ Stuffing
- ❖ Stitch marker to keep track of rounds (optional)

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## Directions

### Body:

Rnd 1: With black, ch 2; make 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.  
Rnd 2: [Sc inc] around. (12 sc)  
Rnd 3: [Sc in next st, sc inc in next st] around. (18 sc)  
Rnd 4: [Sc in next 2 sts, sc inc in next st] around. (24 sc)  
Rnd 5: [Sc in next 3 sts, sc inc in next st] around. (30 sc)  
Rnd 6: [Sc in next 4 sts, sc inc in next st] around. (36 sc)  
Rnds 7-22: Sc in each st around.  
To finish, sl st in next st; finish off.

### Base:

With black, work rnds 1-6 of body. Sl st in next st, finish off.

### Wings: (make 2)

Rnd 1: With black, ch 14. Join to first ch with sl st to form a ring. Ch 1, sc in each ch around. (14 sc) Join rnd.  
Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join rnd. (14 sc)  
Rnd 3: Ch 1, [sc dec, sc in next 5 sts] 2 times; join rnd. (12 sc)  
Rnd 4: Ch 1, [sc dec, sc in next 4 sts] 2 times; join rnd. (10 sc)  
Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join rnd.  
Rnd 6: Ch 2; dc dec around; join rnd.  
Finish off leaving a tail of yarn; weave yarn through last 5 sts, pull tight to close.

### Front:

Row 1: With white, ch 13; sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across. (12 sc) Turn.  
Rows 2-8: Ch 1; sc in each st across. (12 sc) Turn.

Row 9: Ch 1; sc dec, sc in next 8 sts, sc dec. (10 sc) Turn.

Rows 10-12: Ch 1; sc in each st across. (10 sc) Turn.

Row 13: Ch 1; sc dec, sc in next st, hdc inc in next st, hdc in next 2 sts, hdc inc in next st, sc in next st, sc dec. (10 sts) Turn.

Row 14: Ch 1; sc dec, sc in next st, hdc in next 4 sts, sc in next st, sc dec. (8 sts) Finish off.

### Beak:

Rnd 1: With orange, ch 2. Make 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Rnds 2-3: Sc in each st around.  
To finish, sl st in next st; finish off.

### Feet: (make 2)

Rnd 1: With orange, ch 2. Make 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Rnd 2: Sc inc in each st around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3-4: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 4: Flatten foot so that you can work through front stitches and back stitches of your round at once (to close top). This gives you 6 doubled-up stitches to work with. Sc in first pair, hdc in next pair, dc in next 2 pairs, hdc in next pair, sc in last pair. Finish off.

### Finishing:

1. Sew front to body.
2. Sew buttons to front for eyes.
3. Sew beak to front.
4. Sew wings to body, aligning tip of wing with the bottom of the body.
5. Sew feet to body.
6. Stuff body; sew base to body opening to close.
7. Weave in all ends; enjoy!