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Introduction

Amigurumi is a Japanese word for little stuffed animals. They are usually made from crocheted yarn and have an oversized head. The Japanese word "*Ami*" means crocheted, and "*nuigurumi*" means stuffed doll.

The size of the Doll depends on the size of the crochet hook, thickness of yarn and how you stuff them; a bigger hook and thicker yarn makes a bigger doll. A doll stuffed tightly is bigger than one stuffed loosely.

This pattern is written with U.S.A. crochet terms. The Conversion chart for USA / UK crochet abbreviations is below:

USA Crochet Abbreviations	UK Crochet Abbreviations
sc = single crochet	dc = double crochet
hdc = half double crochet	htr = half treble crochet
dc = double crochet	tr = treble crochet

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Materials

For materials you can use:

1. No 2 yarn (Sport, Baby). Catania yarn from Schachenmayr SMC; white, light yellow, yellow, green, light green, black, brown, pink, peach, red and blue (yarn used for one doll ~ 10-15g).
2. 3.25 mm hook (US: D/3.25, UK: 10).
3. 7 pairs of 6 mm safety eyes.
4. 2 black 5 mm beads for owl eyes.
5. Polyester fibrefill = 80 g (10 g/ doll).
6. Tapestry needle.
7. Sewing needle and thread for attaching owl eyes.
8. Pins.

Size

The dolls are 3 inches/ 7.5 cm high (excluding ears).

Abbreviations

(US Crochet Abbreviations)

ch = chain,
sc = single crochet (UK : dc = double crochet),
st = stitch,
sl = slip,
rnd = round,
tog = together.

Remarks

- This project is working in continuous rounds, do not join or turn unless otherwise stated. Mark first stitch of each round.
- All dolls have the same Legs pattern.
- Bee, Butterfly, Ladybird, Caterpillar and Owl have same basic Body and Antenna patterns.

Basic Body Pattern

Rnd 1: Ch 11, sc in second chain from hook, sc in next 8 chs, 3 sc in last ch; working in remaining loops on opposite side of chain, sc in next 8 chs, 2 sc in next ch. (22)

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 X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X O
XO O  O  O O  O  O  O O  O X
 X X   X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X
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X = sc
O = chain

Rnd 2: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 3 sts, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 2 sts. (28)
Rnd 3: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (32)
Rnd 4: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (36)
Rnd 5-9: Sc in each st around. (36)
Rnd 10: (Sc in next 16 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (34)
Rnd 11: (Sc in next 15 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (32)
Rnd 12: Sc in next 7 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 14 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 7 sts. (30)
Rnd 13: (Sc in next 13 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (28)
Rnd 14: Sc in next 6 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 12 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 6 sts. (26)
Rnd 15: (Sc in next 11 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (24)
Rnd 16: (Sc in next 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (18)

Put safety eyes 3-4 sts apart, between rnd 13-14 of body. Stuff.

Rnd 17: (Sc in next st, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (12)

Rnd 18: Sc next 2 sts tog around, join with sl st in first st, fasten off.

Leg

Make 2 for each doll.

Rnd 1: Ch 7, sc in second chain from hook, sc in next 4 chs, 3 sc in last ch; working in remaining loops on opposite side of chain, sc in next 4 chs, 2 sc in next ch. (14)

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 X  X  X  X  X  X O        X = sc
XO  O  O  O  O  O X        O = chain
 X  X   X  X  X  X
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Rnd 2: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next 3 sts, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next 2 sts. (20)

Rnd 3-4: Sc in each st around. (20)

Rnd 5: (Sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 6 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (16)

Rnd 6: (Sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 4 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times, join with sl st in first st. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (12)

Stuff and pin legs on bottom of the body and sew.

Antenna

Make 2.

Rnd 1: Ch 6, 4 sc in second chain from hook, sl st in next 4 chs, leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (8)

Buzzy Bee

Bee Body

Follow the instructions of Basic Body Pattern and change colors as stated below.

Rnd 1-4: yellow color
Rnd 5-6: brown color
Rnd 7-9: yellow color
Rnd 10-11: brown color
Rnd 12-18: yellow color

Wing

Make 2

Rnd 1: With **white**, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook. (6)

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

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

Rnd 4: (Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st) around, join with sl st in first st. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (24)

Finishing

Sew the last round of the 2 wings together for about 3-4 sts.

Sew wings on middle back of body.

Pin antenna on rnd 18 of body and sew.

Betty Butterfly

Butterfly Body

Follow the instructions of Basic Body Pattern and change colors as stated below.

Rnd 1-11: light green color
Rnd 12-18: peach color

Butterfly Wing

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With **light green**, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook. (6)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around, changing to **peach** in last two loops of last st. (12)

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

Rnd 4: (Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st) around, changing to **light yellow** in last two loops of last st. (24)

Rnd 5: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts) around. (30)

Rnd 6: Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, (sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st) 5 times, sc in next 2 sts, join with sl st in first st. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (36)

Finishing

Sew last round of the 2 wings together for about 4-5 sts.

Sew wings on middle back of body.

Sew antenna on rnd 18 of body.

Lylar Ladybird

Ladybird Body

Follow the instructions of Basic Body Pattern.

Rnd 1-18: black color

Ladybird Wing

Make 2

Rnd 1: With **red**, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook. (6)

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

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

Rnd 4: (Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st) around. (24)

Rnd 5: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts) around. (30)

Rnd 6: Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, (sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st) 5 times, sc in next 2 sts. (36)

Fold wing in half, matching sts, working in rnd 6 through both thicknesses, sc in next 17 sts. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off.

With **black**, embroider dots on wings as in picture below.

Finishing

Sew wings together as in picture.

Sew wings on middle back of body.

Sew antenna on rnd 18 of body.

Owlbert Owl

Owl Body

Follow the instructions of Basic Body Pattern and change colors:

Rnd 1-11: blue color
Rnd 12-18: pink color

Ear

Make 2

Rnd 1: With **pink**, ch 2, 4 sc in second chain from hook. (4)

Rnd 2: (2 sc in next st, sc in next st) 2 times. (6)

Rnd 3: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts) 2 times, join with sl st in first st. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (8)

Beak

Rnd 1: With **yellow**, ch 2, 4 sc in second chain from hook. (4)

Rnd 2: (2 sc in next st, sc in next st) 2 times, join with sl st in first st. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (6)

Owl Eye

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With **white**, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook. (6)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around, join with sl st in first st. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (12)

Sew beads on the middle of the eyes.

Finishing

Pin ears on rnds 15-17 and sew.

Pin beak on rnd 12 and sew.

Pin eyes on rnds 12-16 and sew.

Katie Caterpillar

Caterpillar Body

Follow the instructions of Basic Body Pattern and change colors as stated below.

Rnd 1-3: green color
Rnd 4-6: light green color
Rnd 7-9: green color
Rnd 10-12: light green color
Rnd 13-18: green color

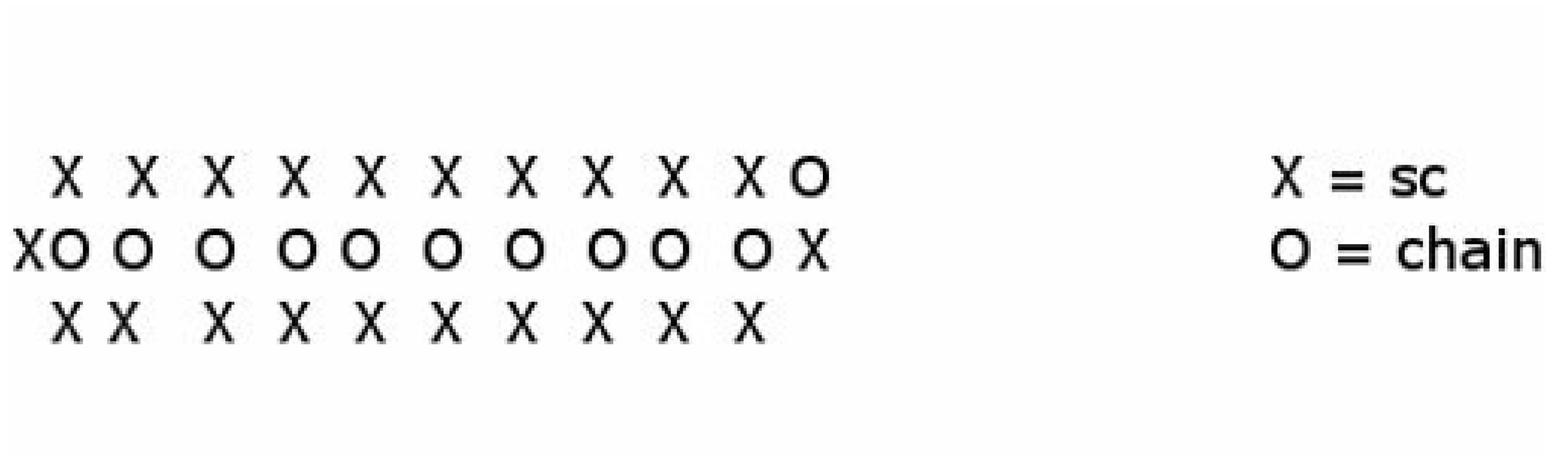
Finishing

Sew antenna on rnd 18 of body.

Daffy Daffodil

Daffodil Body

Rnd 1: With **yellow**, Ch 11, sc in second chain from hook, sc in next 8 chs, 3 sc in last ch; working in remaining loops on opposite side of chain, sc in next 8 chs, 2 sc in next ch. (22)



Rnd 2: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 3 sts, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 2 sts. (28)

Rnd 3: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (32)

Rnd 4: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (36)

Rnd 5: Working in back loops only. Sc in each st around. (36)

Rnd 6-7: Sc in each st around. (36)

Rnd 8: Sc in each st around, changing to **light yellow** in last two loops of last st. (36)

Rnd 9: Sc in each st around. (36)

Rnd 10: Working in back loops only. (Sc in next 16 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (34)

Rnd 11: (Sc in next 15 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (32)

Rnd 12: Sc in next 7 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 14 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 7 sts. (30)

Rnd 13: (Sc in next 13 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (28)

Rnd 14: Sc in next 6 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 12 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 6 sts. (26)

Rnd 15: (Sc in next 11 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (24)

Rnd 16: (Sc in next 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (18)

Put safety eyes 3-4 sts apart, between rnd 13-14 of body. Stuff.

Rnd 17: (Sc in next st, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (12)

Rnd 18: Sc next 2 sts tog around, join with sl st in first st, fasten off.

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Edge of Cup

Working in free loops of rnd 4, with **yellow**, join with sl st, sc in same st, (Ch 3, sc in next st) around, fasten off.

Daffodil Petals

Working in rows.

First Petal

Row 1: Working in free loops of rnd 9, with **light yellow**, join with sl st, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 5 sts, turn. (6)

Row 2-3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. (6)
Row 4: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog, sc in next 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, turn. (4)
Row 5: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog, sc next 2 sts tog, turn. (2)
Row 6: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog, turn. (1)
Row 7: Ch 1; working in ends of rows, sl st in next 6 rows (end of rows 6-1), sl st in next free loop of rnd 9.

Second – Sixth Petals

Row 1: Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 5 sts, turn. (6)

Row 2-3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. (6)
Row 4: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog, sc in next 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, turn. (4)
Row 5: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog, sc next 2 sts tog, turn. (2)
Row 6: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog, turn. (1)
Row 7: Ch 1; working in ends of rows, sl st in next 6 rows (end of rows 6-1), sl st in next free loop of rnd 9.

Daffodil Stem

Rnd 1: With **green**, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook. (6)

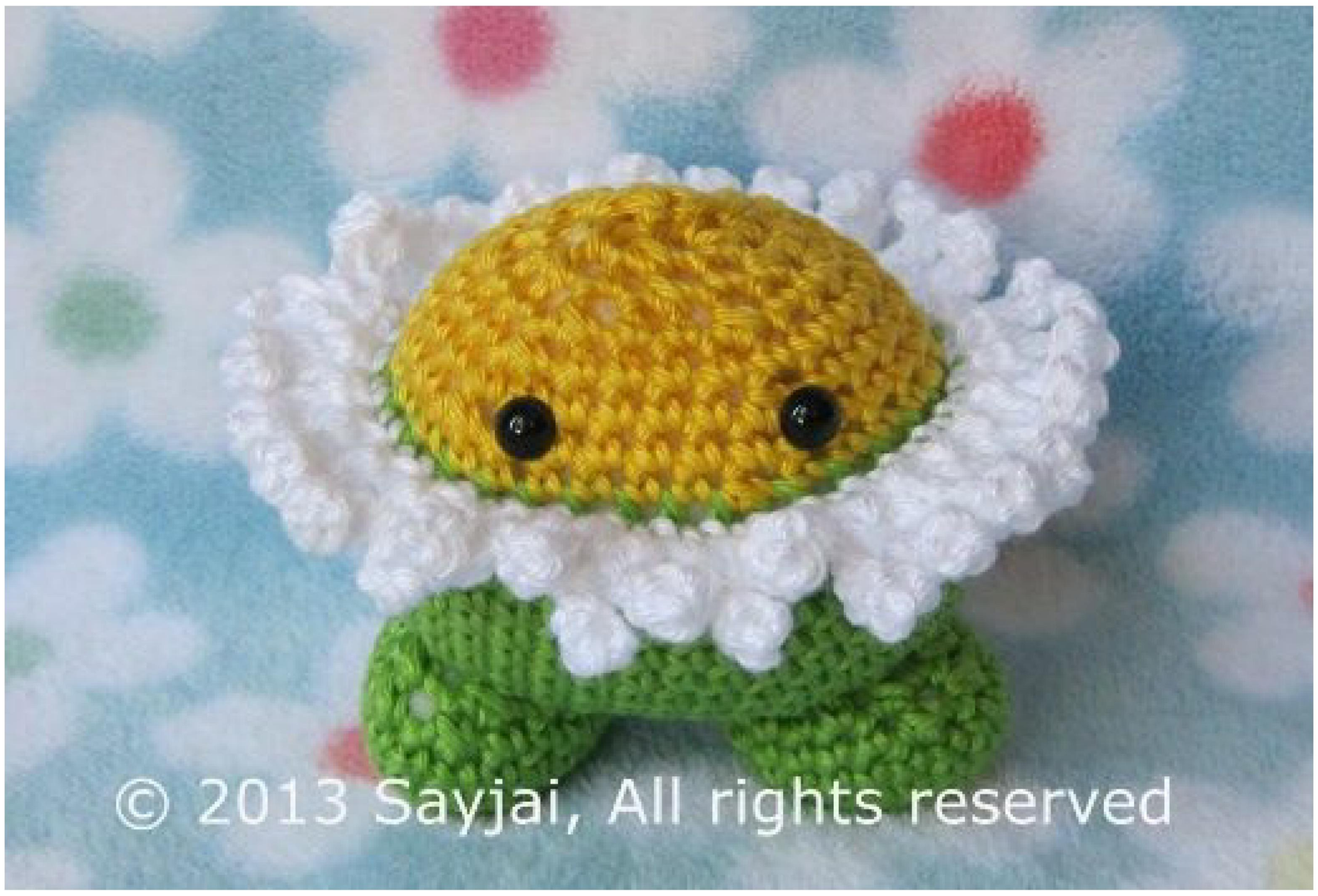
Rnd 2-5: Sc in each st around. (6)

Rnd 6: 2 sc in each st around, join with sl st in first st. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off. (12)

Finishing

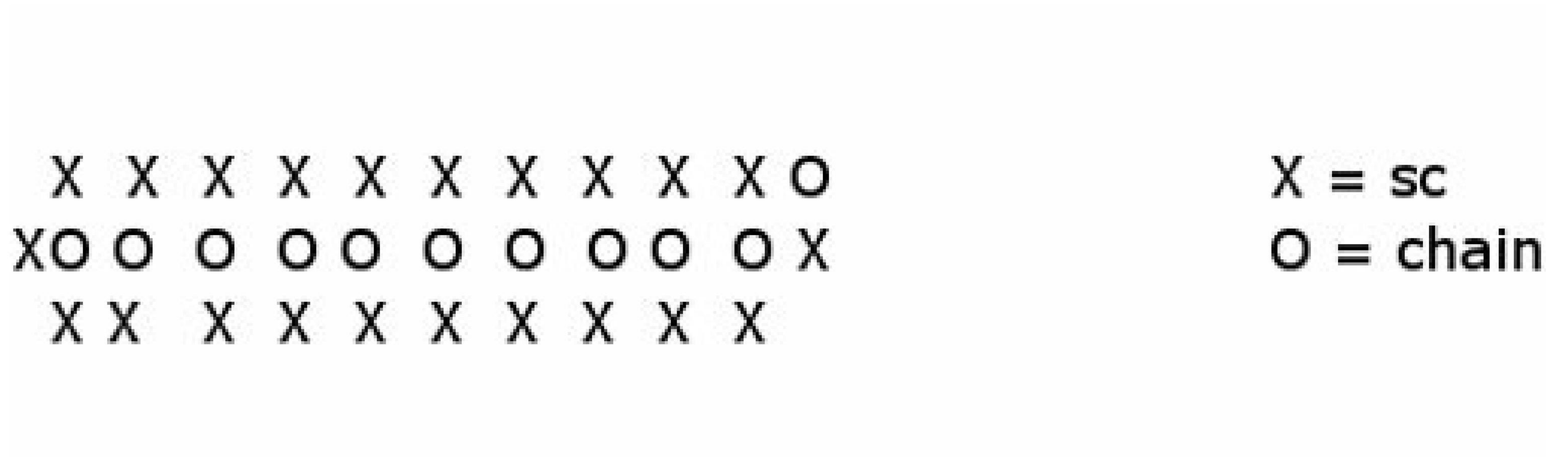
Sew stem on middle top.

Dancy Daisy



Daisy Body

Rnd 1: With **green**, Ch 11, sc in second chain from hook, sc in next 8 chs, 3 sc in last ch; working in remaining loops on opposite side of chain, sc in next 8 chs, 2 sc in next ch. (22)



Rnd 2: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 3 sts, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 2 sts. (28)
Rnd 3: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (32)
Rnd 4: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (36)
Rnd 5: Sc in each st around. (36)
Rnd 6-9: Sc in each st around. (36)
Rnd 10: (Sc in next 16 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (34)
Rnd 11: (Sc in next 15 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times, changing to **yellow** in last two loops of last st. (32)
Rnd 12: Working in back loops only. Sc in next 7 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 14 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 7 sts. (30)
Rnd 13: (Sc in next 13 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (28)
Rnd 14: Sc in next 6 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 12 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 6 sts. (26)
Rnd 15: (Sc in next 11 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (24)
Rnd 16: (Sc in next 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (18)

Put safety eyes 3-4 sts apart, between rnd 13-14 of body. Stuff.

Rnd 17: (Sc in next st, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (12)
Rnd 18: Sc next 2 sts tog around, join with sl st in first st, fasten off.

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Petals

Rnd 1: Working in free loops of rnd 11, with **white**, join with sl st, ch 1, sc in each st around. (32)

Rnd 2: Sl st in next st, (ch 5, sc in second chain from hook, sc in next 3 chs, sl st in next st on rnd 1) around.

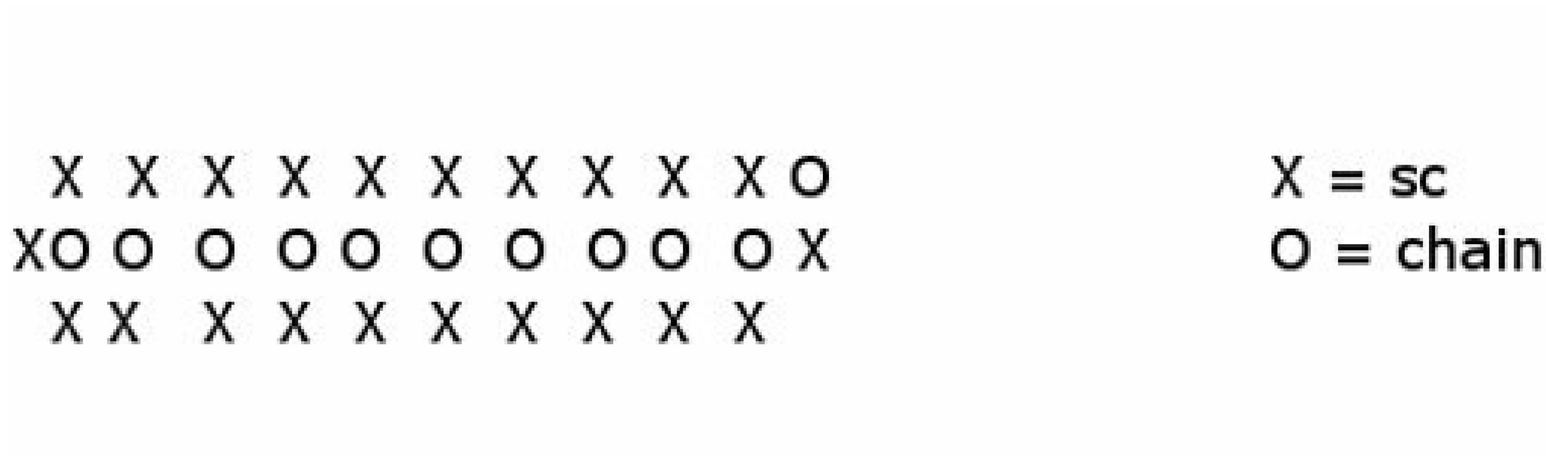
Leg

Make 2 in green color.

Tulipa Tulip

Tulip Body

Rnd 1: With **pink**, Ch 11, sc in second chain from hook, sc in next 8 chs, 3 sc in last ch; working in remaining loops on opposite side of chain, sc in next 8 chs, 2 sc in next ch. (22)



Rnd 2: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 3 sts, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next 2 sts. (28)
Rnd 3: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (32)
Rnd 4: 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts. (36)
Rnd 5: Sc in each st around. (36)
Rnd 6: Sc in each st around. (36)
Rnd 7: Working in back loops only. Sc in each st around. (36)
Rnd 8-9: Sc in each st around. (36)
Rnd 10: (Sc in next 16 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (34)
Rnd 11: (Sc in next 15 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (32)
Rnd 12: Sc in next 7 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 14 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 7 sts. (30)
Rnd 13: (Sc in next 13 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (28)
Rnd 14: Sc in next 6 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 12 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, sc in next 6 sts. (26)
Rnd 15: (Sc in next 11 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times. (24)
Rnd 16: (Sc in next 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (18)

Put safety eyes 3-4 sts apart, between rnd 13-14 of body. Stuff.

Rnd 17: (Sc in next st, sc next 2 sts tog) around. (12)
Rnd 18: Sc next 2 sts tog around, join with sl st in first st, fasten off.

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Petals

Working in rows.

First Petal

Row 1: Working in free loops of rnd 6, with **pink**, join with sl st, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 5 sts, turn. (6)

Row 2-3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. (6)
Row 4: Ch 1, sc first 3 sts tog, sc in next 3 sts tog, turn. (2)
Row 5: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog; working in ends of rows, sl st in next 4 rows (end of rows 5-1), sl st in next free loop of rnd 6.

Second – Sixth Petals

Row 1: Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 5 sts, turn. (6)
Row 2-3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. (6)
Row 4: Ch 1, sc first 3 sts tog, sc in next 3 sts tog, turn. (2)
Row 5: Ch 1, sc first 2 sts tog; working in ends of rows, sl st in next 4 rows (end of rows 5-1),

sl st in next free loop of rnd 6.

Stem

Rnd 1: With **green**, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook. (6)

Rnd 2-5: Sc in each st around. (6)

Rnd 6: 2 sc in each st around. (12)

Rnd 7: (Sl st in next st, ch 3, sl st in next st) around. Leave long end for sewing, fasten off.

Finishing

Sew stem on middle top.

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