

AMIGURUM

ANIMALS



13 DESIGNS IN AMIGURUMI
STYLE CROCHET

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

ABBREVIATIONS

Ch(s)	chain(s)
Inc	increase
Rnd(s)	round(s)
Sc	single crochet
Dc	double crochet
Sl st	slip stitch
St(s)	stitches

Tension

12 rows & 12 stitches = 2" (5cm)

Correct tension is important to get the correct finished result. Hook size given is merely a guide and should never be used without first making a sample swatch approximately 2" / 5cm square because everyone works to a different tension and double knit yarns vary in thickness so experiment with size of hook until correct tension is obtained, if stitches look too loose then try a smaller hook, if they are too tight try a larger hook etc

Details

Increases (inc) are made by working two stitches of the established stitch in the same stitch, making 2 stitches over one of the previous round

Decreases are made by working the established stitch to within one step of completion, working the next stitch to the same point, then completing the last step of both stitches at the same time, making one stitch over the two of the previous row or round

Rounds do not join at end of rounds unless otherwise instructed, using a 2 inch scrap piece of yarn, place a marker at beginning of rounds, moving after each round is completed

Materials needed

All patterns are designed for double knit yarn.

Crochet hook Size 2.00mm or size needed to achieve correct tension

Stuffing

Yarn needle

Optional: Eyes: beads, buttons, felt, stick on googly eyes, ribbon, felt, beads, wire etc..

Note: If you choose to make these dolls with bead, button, wire, ribbon or other such embellishments they will not be suitable for young children

Horse



Materials

Double knit yarn in main colour, small amount of contrasting yarn for tail and mane, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Height: 4 inches / 10cm

Head

In main colour:

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 8 sc

Rnds 3-4 Sc in each sc around:

Rnd 5 *Sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Rnd 6-8 Sc in each sc around; at end of last rnd, do NOT finish off

Stuff firmly

Rnd 9 * Sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 8 sc

Rnd 10 Decrease 4 times; sl st in next sc, cast off: 4sc

Neck and Body

In main colour:

Neck – Ch 9, join with sl st to form a ring

Rnd 1 Ch 1, sc in each ch around: 9 sc

Rnds 2-3 Sc in each sc around

Body Rnd 4 Sl st in next sc, ch 4, sc in second ch from hook and in next 2 chs sc in sc at base of ch-4 and in each sc around, working in free loops of ch-4, sc in first 2 loops, inc in last loop: 18sc

Rnd 5 Inc, sc in next 15 sc, inc, sc in next sc: 20 sc

Rnds 6-8 Sc in each sc around:

Rnd 9 Decrease 10 times: 10 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 10 Decrease 6 times, sl st in next sc, cast off

Leg

Make 4 in main colour:

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4 sc

Rnd 2 (Inc, sc in next sc) twice: 6 sc

Rnds 3-8 Sc in each sc around; at end of last rnd, sl st in next sc, cast off

Ear

Make 2 In main colour:

Ch 3, sc in second ch from hook, 3 sc in last ch; sc in free loop of beginning ch; cast off

Making up

Sew head to body and then sew legs into position (If tension is correct legs will not need stuffing and horse will stand up on its own) Sew ears into position, attach mane, tail, and eyes

Mane

Cut approximately 25 x 2 inch lengths of contrasting yarn. Fold a 2 inch length of yarn in half, push crochet hook through neck where mane is to be positioned and pull through the loop of the 2inch length, put the ends of the yarn over the crochet hook and pull through loop. Repeat this with the other 2inch lengths around the neck until mane is complete, using a needle carefully split the yarn lengths and brush to fluff, trim if necessary.

Tail

Cut 3 x 6inch lengths of contrasting yarn and attach as mane, split yarn and brush to fluff, trimming if necessary

Rabbit



Materials

DK yarn, felt scraps, a few seed beads, 18cm / 7inches thin cord, eyes, nose and small amount of stuffing

Height: 4 inches / 10cm

Body

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *Sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 *Sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnd 5 *Sc in next 3 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 30 sc

Rnd 6-11 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 12 *Sc in next 3 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnd 13-15 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 16 *Sc in next 2 sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 17 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 18 *Sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 19 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 20 *Sc in next 2 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 9 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 21 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 22 Decrease 3 times, sl st into next sc, cast off

Leg

Make 2

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 8 sc

Rnds 3-6 Sc in each sc around; at end of last rnd, sl st in next sc, cast off

Arm

Make 2

work as Leg but cast off at end of rnd 5

Ear

Ear base: make 4

Row 1 2 ch, 2 sc in second ch from hook, 1 ch and turn: 2 sc

Row 2-4 2 sc, increase, 1 ch turn

Row 5 1 sc, increase, 1 ch turn: 3 sc

Row 6 3 sc, 1 ch turn: 3 sc

Row 7 1 sc, decrease, 1 ch turn: 2 sc

Row 8 2 sc, 1 ch turn: 2sc

Row 9 Decrease, cast off

Edging Place two ear bases together and starting at the right-hand side of the base, sc into the end of each row, 1 sc into the tip of the ear and then sc into end of each row down the other side of the ear, cast off and repeat with the other two ear bases.

Making up

Sew in any loose ends, stuff and sew arms and legs into position, sew on ears, eyes and nose, make bag (optional)

Bag

Cut a circle of felt fabric approximately 2.5cm/ 1inch in diameter, fold the circle almost in half and sew a seed bead to secure the flap down, customise the bag if you wish with embroidery or beads. Thread the thin cord through the loop so as to make a handle for the bag, decide where you want the bag to sit on the rabbit and tie cord ends together accordingly.

Bear

**Materials needed**

Double knit yarn in brown, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Finished height: 3.75 inches / 8cm

Head and body

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 5-7 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 8 * sc in next 2 sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 9 * sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 10 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 11 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 12 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 13 * sc in next sc, inc, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 14 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnd 15 * sc in next 3 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 30 sc

Rnds 16-18 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 19 * sc in next 3 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 20-21 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 22 * sc in next 2 sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 23 * sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 24 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 25 Decrease twice, sl st into next sc, cast off

Leg

Make 4

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 8 sc

Rnds 3-6 Sc in each sc around, at end of last rnd, sl st in next sc, cast off

Muzzle

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 Sc in each sc around; sl st in next sc, cast off

Ear

Make 2

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 * sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around; sl st in next sc, cast off

Making up

Sew in any loose ends. Stuff and sew legs and muzzle into position. Attach eyes and using black yarn, embroider nose and mouth detail

Pig



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in pink, eyes, 2 seed beads and a small amount of stuffing

Finished height: 3.5 inches / 9cm

Head and body

Work as for bear

Leg

Work as for bear

Snout

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 8 sc

Rnd 3 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 4 (Sc in next 2 sc, decrease) twice; sl st in next sc, cast off

Ear

Make 2

Row 1 Ch 2, 2 sc in second ch from hook, ch 1, turn: 2 sc

Row 2 Sc in first sc, inc, ch 1 turn: 3 sc

Row 3 Sc in first 2 , inc: 4 sc

Edging, do NOT turn; working along edge, sc in end of each row, sc in free loop of beginning of ch, sc in end of each row; cast off

Tail

Ch 9, 3 sc in second ch from hook and in next 5 ch, sl st in last 2 ch, cast off

Making up

Sew in any loose ends. Stuff and sew legs, snout and tail into position. Attach eyes and sew seed beads on snout as picture

Adult Octopus



Materials needed

Double knit yarn, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Height: 2 inches / 5cm

Body

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnd 5 * sc in next 3 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 30 sc

Rnds 6-8 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 9 * sc in next 3 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 10-11 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 12 * in next 2 sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 13 * sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 14 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 15 Decrease, cast off

Tentacle

Make 8

Row 1 Ch 16, 3 dc in second ch from hook and in next 14 ch, cast off

Making up

Sew tentacles evenly to the underside of body, sew or glue eyes into position

Baby Octopus



Materials needed

Double knit yarn, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Height: 1 inch / 3cm

Head and Body

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 5-7 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 8 *Sc in next 2 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 9 * Sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 10 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 11 Decrease twice, sl st into next chain, cast off

Tentacle

Make 8

Row 1 Ch 9, 3 sc in second ch from hook and in next 5 ch, sl st in last 2 ch: cast off

Making up

Sew tentacles evenly to the underside of body, sew or glue eyes into position

Adult Mouse



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in pink, eyes and a small amount of stuffing, 2 inches of thin wire and 5 glass beads (for tiara, optional)

Height: 6cm / 2.5inch

Body

Rnd 1 Ch2, 6sc in second ch from hook: 6sc

Rnd 2 2sc in each sc around: 12sc

Rnd 3 *Sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18sc

Rnd 4 *Sc in next 2sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24sc

Rnd 5 *Sc in next 3sc, inc; repeat from * around: 30sc

Rnd 6-8 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 9 *Sc in next 3sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 24sc

Rnd 10-12 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 13 *Sc in next 2sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18sc

Rnd 14 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 15 *Sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 16 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 17 *Sc in next 2sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 9sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 18 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 19 Decrease 3 times, sl st into next sc, cast off

Tail

Ch 20, sc in second chain from hook, *increase, sc, repeat from * to end, cast off

Ear

Make 2

Row 1 Ch 2, 2 sc in second ch from hook, ch 1 turn: 2sc

Row 2 Sc in first sc, inc, chain 1 turn: 3sc

Row 3 Sc in first 2 sc, inc,: 4sc

Edging Do NOT turn, working along edge sc in end of each row, sc in free loop of beginning ch, sc in end of each row, cast off

Making up

Sew in any loose ends, sew tail and ears into position, sew on eyes, and nose. Thread beads onto wire and bend ends to prevent beads slipping off, carefully push wire into the mouse and bend wire inwards as you go **PLEASE** remember these animals are not suitable for children due to wire and beads

Baby Mouse



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in pink, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Finished height: 2 inches / 5cm

Head and body

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 5-7 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 8 * sc in next 2 sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 9 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 10 * sc in next sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 12 sc

Rnd 11 Sc in each sc around

Stuff firmly

Rnd 12 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 13 Decrease 4 times, sl st into next sc, cast off

Tail

Ch 10, sc in second chain from hook, *increase, sc, repeat from * to end, cast off

Ear

Make 2

Row 1 Ch 2, 2 sc in second ch from hook, ch 1 turn: 2sc

Row 2 Sc in first sc, inc, chain 1 turn: 3sc

Edging Do NOT turn, working along edge sc in end of each row, sc in free loop of beginning ch, sc in end of each row, cast off

Making up

Sew in any loose ends, sew tail and ears into position, sew on eyes, and nose

Unicorn



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in white, small amount of lilac and silver or similar, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Height: 4.5 inches / 11 cm

Head

Make as Horse

Neck and Body

Make as Horse

Leg

Make as Horse

Ear

Make as Horse

Horn

Using silver or similar, 6 ch, sl st in second ch from hook and in next 4 ch, cast off

Making up

Sew head to body and then sew legs into position (If tension is correct legs will not need stuffing and horse will stand up on its own) Sew horn into position and attach mane, tail, ears and eyes

Mane

Make as Horse

Tail

Make as Horse

Koala



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in main colour, small amount of yarn in contrasting colour for ears and nose, eyes, small amount of stuffing

Height: 4 inches / 10cm

Head and Body

In main colour

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnd 5 * sc in next 3 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 30 sc

Rnds 6-8 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 9 * sc in next 3 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 10-11 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 12 * sc in next 2 sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 13 * sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 14 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 15 Sc in each sc around

Body Rnd 16 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 17 * sc in next sc, inc, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 18 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 19-21 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 22 * sc in next 2 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 23 * sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 24 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 25 Decrease twice sl st into next ch, cast off

Legs

Make 4 in main colour

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4 sc

Rnd 2 (Inc, sc in next sc) twice: 6 sc

Rnd 3 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 4 Sc in each sc around sl st in next sc, cast off.

Ears

Ear base, make 4 in contrasting colour

Row 1 5 ch, sc in second ch from hook, sc in each ch, 1 ch and turn: 4 sc

Row 2 Sc in second ch from hook, sc in next ch, sl st in last chain, 1 ch and turn

Row 3 Sc in 2nd chain from hook, sl st in last ch, cast off

Edging

Place 2 ear bases together starting at the base of the right-hand side sc at end of each row, 2 sc at top of the ear and sc at end of each row down the other side, cast off

Nose

In contrasting colour

Row 1 Ch 2, 2 sc in second ch from hook, ch 1 turn: 2 sc

Row 2 Sc in first sc, inc, ch 1 return: 3 sc

Row 3 Sc in first 2 sc, inc, cast off

Making up

Stuff legs and sew into position. Sew nose, ears and eyes into position

Elephant



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in grey, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Finished height: 3.5 inches / 9cm

Head and body

Work as for bear

Leg

Make 4 as for bear

Trunk

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4 sc

Rnds 2-4 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 5 Inc, sc in next 3 sc: 5 sc

Rnds 6-7 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 8 Inc, sc in next 4 sc: 6 sc

Rnd 9 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 10 (Sc in next 2 sc, inc) twice; sl st in next sc, cast off

Ear

Make 2

Row 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook, ch 1 turn: 6 sc

Row 2 2 sc in each sc across, ch 1 turn: 12 sc

Row 3 * sc in first sc, inc, repeat from * across; cast off

Making up

Sew in any loose ends. Stuff and sew legs and trunk into position and attach ears and eyes

Panda



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in white and black, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Height: 3.5 inches / 9cm

Head and Body

Starting with white

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnd 5 * sc in next 3 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 30 sc

Rnds 6-8 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 9 * sc in next 3 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 10-11 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 12 * in next 2 sc, decrease, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 13 * sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 14 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 15 Sc in each sc around

Body Rnd 16 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 17 * sc in next sc, inc, repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 18 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnd 19 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 20 Sc in each sc around, sl st in next sc and **change to black yarn**

Rnd 21 Decrease in next sc, sc in each sc around

Rnd 22 * sc in next 2 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 23 * sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 24 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 25 Decrease twice sl st into next ch, cast off

Leg

Make 4 in black

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 4 sc in second ch from hook: 4 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 8 sc

Rnds 3-6 Sc in each sc around, at end of last rnd, sl st in next sc, cast off

Muzzle

In white

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 Sc in each sc around; sl st in next sc, cast off

Ear

Make 2 in black

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 * sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around; sl st in next sc, cast off

Making up

Sew in any loose ends. Stuff and sew legs and muzzle into position. Attach eyes and using black yarn, embroider nose and mouth detail

Duck



Materials needed

Double knit yarn in yellow and orange, eyes and a small amount of stuffing

Height: 3 inches / 7.5cm

Body

Work as for adult mouse body

Head

Rnd 1 Ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook: 6 sc

Rnd 2 2 sc in each sc around: 12 sc

Rnd 3 *sc in next sc, inc; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 4 * sc in next 2 sc, inc; repeat from * around: 24 sc

Rnds 5-7 Sc in each sc around

Rnd 8 *Sc in next 2 sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 18 sc

Rnd 9 * Sc in next sc, decrease; repeat from * around: 12 sc

Stuff firmly

Rnd 10 Decrease 6 times: 6 sc

Rnd 11 Decrease twice, sl st into next chain, cast off

Beak

Using orange Ch 7, sc in second ch from hook and in next 4 ch, 3 sc in last ch; sc in first 4 free loops of beginning ch, 2 sc in last loop, sl st into last free loop, sl st into first sc, cast off

Making up

Sew in any loose ends, sew head onto body, sew beak into position and attach eyes