

CROCHET KIT INSTRUCTIONS

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**SKILL LEVEL:
INTERMEDIATE**

Knowledge of crochet is required.

MATERIALS INCLUDED:

- 100% Polyester yarn
- 100% Polyester fiberfill
- Plastic crochet hook (*must use included hook or results may vary.*)
- Plastic Eyes (2)
- Plastic needle

SUPPLIES NEEDED:

- Basic sewing supplies

BEFORE YOU BEGIN

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING PROJECT.

A crochet hook is furnished with this kit. **Do Not** change the size of the hook. Using a larger hook will result in errors in tension and yarn quantities required to complete the project. **Do Not** crochet tightly. Your fabric should be firm, not stiff. A firm fabric will hold its shape better. Keep the tension on the yarn, to maintain even and compact stitches. Let the yarn flow freely through your fingers while stitching. Practice stitching in sc before beginning this project to get a feel for the yarn and required hook size.

Gauge: 24 rows/rnds and 20 sts = 4 in (10.16 cm); 6 rows/rnds and 5 sts = 1 in (2.54 cm).

Note: Results may vary based on the yarn quality, hook used and tension.

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We have made every effort to ensure that the provided instructions are accurate and complete.
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Finished Size: 4 in x 4 ¼ in x 1 ½ in (10.19 cm x 10.8 cm x 3.81 cm)

NOTES & TIPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL CROCHET PROJECT

- **WORKING IN ROUNDS:** When working in rounds, ch 1, work in rounds of single crochet, joining each round with a sl st to the beg sc. Pull tail to tighten beginning round, weave in tail from beginning ring after Rnd 3. **Optional:** You may choose to work in continuous rounds of single crochet without joining. If so, **do not** "join" at the end of each Rnd or "Ch 1" at the beg of each Rnd. Place a marker in the first st of the Rnd and move up with each Rnd stitched.
- **IF COLOR CHANGE IS NEEDED:** Insert hook into next stitch, yo and pull up a loop; with new color, yo and pull through both loops on hook. When changing color at joining, insert hook into joining stitch, with new color, yo and pull through both loops on hook (**sl st made**).
- **CROSS STITCH Single Crochet (X-st):** You may choose this technique to create a firmer amigurumi fabric when working in rounds. Working in rounds of sc, insert your hook through the stitch, yarn under hook and pull through a loop, yarn over and pull through both loops on hook - X-st single crochet made.
- **INVISIBLE DECREASE (Optional):** Insert your hook through the front loop only on the next 2 stitches, yarn over and pull a loop through, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook - **invisible decrease made**.
- **Tip:** When stuffing small pieces, use the rounded end of the plastic crochet hook to assist in pushing the fiberfill into small areas.

ABBREVIATIONS:

C1 = white yarn
C2 = cream yarn
C3 = blue yarn
C4 = brown yarn
st(s) = stitch(es)
rnd(s) = round(s)

yo = yarn over
ch = chain stitch
sc = single crochet
sl st = slip stitch
mr = magic ring
inc = increase

dec = decrease
dc = double crochet
hdc = half double crochet
sc2tog = sc 2 sts together
lp(s) = loop(s)
blp = back loop only

flp = front loop only
sk = skip
RS = right side
[] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

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HEAD:

Rnd 1 (RS): With C2, make a mr, ch 1, 6 sc in ring; join - 6 sts.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each st around; join - 12 sts.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, [sc in next st, 2 sc in next st (**inc made**)] 6 times; join - 18 sts.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, [sc in next 5 sts, inc] 3 times; join - 21 sts.

Rnds 5-7: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 21 sts. Place markers for Eyes on Rnd 6 as follows: ch 1, sc in next 10 sts, place marker, sc in next 4 sts, place marker, sc in next 7 sts; join - 21 sts.

Rnd 8: Ch 1, [sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog (**dec made**)] 3 times; join - 18 sts.

Position Eyes at markers and punch in place.

Rnd 9: Ch 1, [sc in next st, dec] 6 times; join - 12 sts.

Rnd 10: Ch 1, [dec] 6 times; join - 6 sts.

Fasten off, leaving 6 in (15.24 cm) tail for sewing. Stuff and shape with fiberfill. Thread needle with yarn tail. Weave yarn in and out of sts of last round. Pull to tighten. Add fiberfill as needed before sewing the opening closed.

Legs and Body made in one piece.

LEGS (MAKE 2):

Rnd 1 (RS): With C2, make a mr, ch 1, 5 sc in ring; join - 5 sts.

Rnds 2-8: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join, changing to C1 in joining - 5 sts. Fasten off C2.

Rnd 9: With C1, ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 5 sts.

Stuff and shape with fiberfill.

Fasten off first Leg. Weave in ends.

Do not fasten off second Leg. Join Legs and create Body.

Rnd 10: Ch 1, sc in next 4 sts of working Leg, ch 1, sc in next 5 sts of first Leg, sc in back lp of ch 1, sc in next st of working Leg; join - 12 sts (including unworked lp of ch 1).

Rnd 11: Ch 1, sc in next st, inc, sc in next 2 sts, sc in remaining unworked lp of ch 1 of previous round, sc in next 2 sts, inc, sc in next 4 sts; join - 14 sts.

Rnd 12: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 14 sts.

Rnd 13: Ch 1, working in **blp** of previous round, sc in each st around; join - 14 sts.

Rnds 14-15: Working in both lps, ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 14 sts.

Rnd 16: Ch 1, [sc in next 5 sts, dec] 2 times; join - 12 sts.

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Row 8: Ch 1, sc in next 4 sts, dec, sc in next 10 sts, dec, sc in next 4 sts; turn - 20 sts.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in next 5 sts, dec, sc in next 6 sts, dec, sc in next 5 sts; turn - 18 sts.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in next 6 sts, dec, sc in next 2 sts, dec, sc in next 6 sts; turn - 16 sts.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in next 2 sts, dec, sc in next 8 sts, dec, sc in next 2 sts; turn - 14 sts.

Rows 12-13: Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn - 14 sts.

Row 14: Ch 1, sc in next st, ch 5, **sk** next 3 sts, sc in next 6 sts, ch 5, sk next 3 sts, sc in next st; turn - 18 sts (including ch).

Do not fasten off.

ROBE BORDER:

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 1, sc in next st, working in **blp**, sc in next 5 ch, working in **both lps**, sc in next 6 sts, working in **blp**, sc in next 5 ch, working in **both lps**, sc in next st, inc in next row end, sc in next 12 row ends down to foundation ch, 3 sc in first remaining lp of foundation chain, working in **remaining lps** from foundation chain, sc in next 20 lps, 3 sc in next lp, sc in next 12 row ends, inc in last row end; join - 72 sts.

Fasten off. Weave in ends.

ROBE SLEEVES:

Join in C3 in 2nd skipped st of Row 14 of Robe.

Rnd 1 (RS): With C3, ch 1, working in flp, sc in next 2 sts, working in remaining lps of ch 5 of Row 14 of Robe, **hdc** in next ch lp, **dc** in next ch lp, 2 dc in next ch lp, dc in next ch lp, hdc in next ch lp, working in flp, sc in remaining skipped st of Row 14 of Robe; join - 9 sts.

Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Repeat Rnd 1 on other side in remaining skipped sts of Row 14 of Robe.

ASSEMBLY AND FINISHING:

- Beard:** Thread plastic needle with a long length of C4. Using straight sts, stitch lines over Rnds 8-10 of Head, 11 sts wide centered with Eyes, with 2-3 lines per st.
- Hair:** Thread plastic needle with a long length of C4. Using multiple straight sts, stitch lines over Rnd 3 of Head in front to Rnd 9 of Head in back. Use different lengths of straight

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Rnd 15: Ch 1, [sc in next 3 sts, dec 1 time] 3 times; join - 12 sts.

Rnd 17: Ch 1, [dec] 6 times; join - 6 sts.

Fasten off, leaving a 8 in (20.32 cm) length for sewing.
Stuff and shape with fiberfill.

SKIRT:

Holding Body upside down and Legs upright, join **C1** in remaining **flp** of joining Rnd 12.

Rnd 1 (RS): With **C1**, ch 1, [sc in next 3 lps, inc, sc in next 2 lps, inc] 2 times; join - 18 sts.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 18 sts.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, [sc in next 5 sts, inc] 3 times; join - 21 sts.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 21 sts.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, [sc in next 3 sts, inc, sc in next 3 sts] 3 times; join - 24 sts.

Rnds 6-12: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 24 sts.

Fasten off. Weave in ends.

ARMS (MAKE 2):

Rnd 1 (RS): With **C2**, make a mr, ch 1, 6 sc in ring; join - 6 sts.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, [sc in next st, inc] 3 times; join - 9 sts.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join, changing to **C1** in joining - 9 sts. Fasten off **C2**.

Rnd 4: With **C1**, ch 1, sc in next 4 sts, dec, sc in next 3 sts; join - 8 sts.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 8 sts.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in next 2 sts, dec, sc in next 4 sts; join - 7 sts.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 7 sts.

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in next 2 sts, dec, sc in next 3 sts; join - 6 sts.

Rnd 9: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join - 6 sts.

Fasten off, leaving a 6 in (15.24 cm) tail for sewing.
Stuff and shape with fiberfill.

ROBE:

Worked in **rows** instead of rounds.

Row 1 (RS): With **C3**, ch 23, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 21 ch; turn - 22 sts.

Rows 2-7: Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn - 22 sts.

FINISHED CARE INSTRUCTIONS:
Dust or spot clean with damp cloth.



WARNING: CHOKING HAZARD - SMALL PARTS.
This product contains a functional sharp object.



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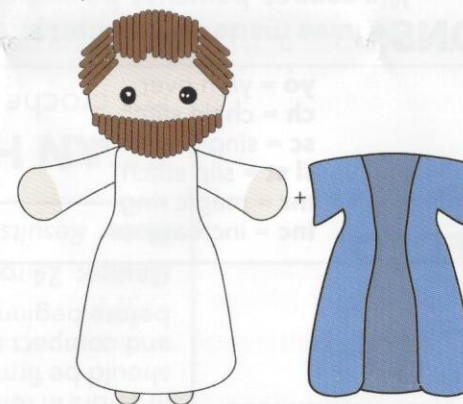


Head in front to Rnd 7 of Head in back. Use different lengths of straight sts over and around Head. Leave 7-8 sts uncovered at front center of Head at Rnd 4, 9-10 sts uncovered at Rnd 5, 10-11 sts uncovered at Rnd 6, and 12-13 sts uncovered at Rnd 7.

- **Body/Head:** Thread plastic needle with yarn tail from Body. Position and sew Rnd 10 of Head at Rnd 17 of Body with plastic Eyes facing forward.
- **Arms:** Thread plastic needle with yarn tail from Arms. Position and sew Rnd 9 of Arms at Rnd 17 of Body, one on each side.



- Weave in all ends.
- Place Robe on Joseph.



- **Belt:** Cut a length of **C3**. Wrap around waist of Joseph to create Belt. Secure at back with a Bow.

