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# Mini Monkey Keychain

*A little monkey, made one stitch at a time.*

PROJECT
Amigurumi

TERMS
US crochet

FORMAT
Written PDF

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# Before you begin

Make your monkey with the written instructions and original construction pictures in this pattern.

Read through the materials, stitch terms and finishing steps before you begin. Keep the yarn colours and hook size together so you can follow each section in order.

Small parts need care. For an item intended for a young child, use securely embroidered features and leave off detachable accessories.


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# Materials

• 2.0mm hook or appropriate size for the thread used.

• Tapestry needle

• 2 safety eyes of 4 mm

• Fiberfill for padding

• Same size yarn (I used 4-ply cotton blend yarn) for the following colors: MC (main color, you can choose the color you like), light beige, red, black.

Dimension Using the same materials as me, the finished doll is approximately 2.25” tall (without legs).




*Original pattern reference*

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# Pattern instructions

## Abbreviations

MR - magic ring st(s) - stitch(es)

sc - single crochet

inc- increase

dec- decrease

hdc - half double crochet hdc inc - half double crochet or half double crochet increase in single crochet

tr - treble crochet

ch - chain

slst - Slip Stitch Fl- Front loop

FLO - Front loop only (__) -stitch count at end of row/round

Let's start crocheting the Amigurumi monkey pattern. Let's crochet the face of the amigurumi monkey pattern.

## Face

First, you will make an oval by crocheting around the base ch. Start with light beige.

Rnd 1. Make a foundation ch: 9ch. Then from the second ch from the hook, 7sc, 3sc in the last st. continue to work on the other side of the foundation ch: 6sc, inc (18)

Rnd 2. 18 sc (18)

Rnd 3. 3 slst, 3 tr in the next st, hdc inc, 3 tr in the next st, 3 slst. Fasten off, leave a long tail for sewing.

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We crochet together the body and head of the amigurumi pattern.

## Head and Body

Start with colored yarn to make the head.

Rnd 1. 6 sc in MR (6)

Rnd 2. 6 inc (12)

Rnd 3. (sc, inc) x 6 (18)

Rnd 4. (sc, inc, sc) x 6 (24)

Rnd 5. (3 sc, inc) x 6 (30)

Rnd 6-9. (4 rnds): 30 sc (30)

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Rnd 10. (14 sc, inc) x 2 (32)

Rnd 11. 32 sc (32)

Rnd 12. (2 sc, dec) x 8 (24)

Rnd 13. (sc, dec) x 8 (16) After working R13, sew the face between R7-12 and place the safety eyes between R2-3 of the face, on the street that has 3 tr. Start stuffing the head with fiberfill.

Rnd 14. 8 dec (8) Continue making the body.

Rnd 15. FLO (sc, inc) x 4 (12)

Rnd 16. (sc, inc) x 6 (18)

Rnd 17. 18 sc (18)

Rnd 18. (2 sc, inc) x 6 (24)

Rnd 19-20. (2 rnds): 24 sc (24)

Rnd 21. (sc, dec) x 8 (16) Start stuffing the body with fiberfill.

Rnd 22. 8 dec (8) Fasten off and leave a long tail to complete. With a tapestry needle, draw the tail through the entire FL of the last round, and pull. Tie a knot and hide the thread inside the body.




We crochet the arms and legs of the cute monkey amigurumi pattern.

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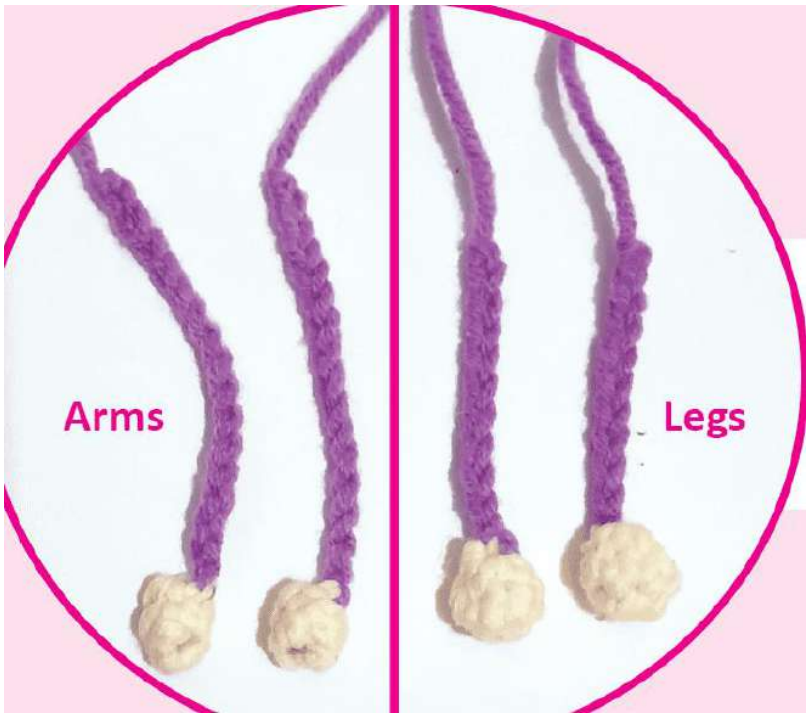
## Arms (make 2)

First, you will make the hand by working in rounds (light beige) and then you will continue to make the arm by working a little ch. Start with light beige yarn.

Rnd 1. 5 sc in MR (5)

Rnd 2. 5 sc (5) Change to colored yarn. Leave a long tail of light beige yarn (about 10 cm) to complete the hand later. Now continue to make the arm, ch 15. Cut the thread, leave a long colored tail for sewing. Now, we complete the hand. With a tapestry needle, thread the tail through all the FL of the R2, and pull. Tie a knot and hide the tail inside your hand. Sew the arms between R15-16 of the body.




## Legs (make 2)

First, you will make the foot by working in rounds (light beige yarn) and then you will continue to make the leg by working a little ch. Start with light beige yarn.

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Rnd 1. 6 sc in MR (6)

Rnd 2. 6 sc (6) Change to colored yarn. Leave a long tail of light beige yarn (about 10 cm) to complete the foot later. Now, continue doing the leg, making 10 ch. Fasten off. Leave a long colored tail for sewing. Now, we complete the feet. With a tapestry needle, thread the tail through all the FL of the R2, and pull. Tie a knot and hide the tail inside the feet. Sew the legs between R20-21 of the body.

Let's crochet the ears of the amigurumi pattern.

## Ears (make 2)

Start with light beige yarn. Work in rows.

Rnd 1. 6 hdc in MR (6), do not join the MR, change to and make 1 turning ch

Rnd 2. turn, 6 sc (6) Fasten off. Leave a long tail for sewing. Place the ears between R6-10 of the head.



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We are going to crochet the tail part of the Amigurumi monkey pattern.

## Tail

Start with colored yarn to make the tail that sits on the back of the body. Between R20-21, make a loop (see image), then ch 10 (you can make more chains if you want a longer one). Cut the thread (you can secure the end of the thread with fabric glue).



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We crochet the mouth and tongue of the Amigurumi toy monkey.

## Mouth and Tongue

First, make the tongue by attaching the red yarn to the face (see picture). Make 3ch, then start from the second ch from the hook, make 2 slst. Fasten off and secure the ends inside the head. Then, embroider the mouth using black yarn (I split the 4 ply yarn into 2 ply).



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