



Pine Cone Baby

The magic of autumn: a little woodland crochet creation.

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

HOOK

2.5 mm

FINISHED SIZE

About 14 cm

FORMAT

Written + photos



Before you begin

The magic of autumn : the pine cone

There is a enchanted forest where strange creatures live. For those who dare to venture there, it is not uncommon to see fairies and their friends.

Thank you so much for purchasing my pattern! I hope you enjoy crocheting this creation as much as I did. Happy crocheting!

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Information

Skill level: intermediate

Finished size: about 14cm

Attention, size will change if you use different yarn or hook.

Materials & tools

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| • Hook 2.5mm | • Fiberfill |
| • yarn needle | • Scissors |
| • Coton yarn | • Stitch marker(s) |
| • Yarn for embroidering | |

Abbreviations

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| • inc: increase
(2 sc in one stitch) | • (...) x Y: repeat instructions in
brackets Y times |
| • dec: decrease
(from 2 stitches to 1 only) | • (...): total amount of stitches in the
round/row |
| • ch: chain | • R: round or row |
| • st(s): stitch(es) | • Dc: double crochet |
| • sc: single crochet | • Hdc: half double crochet |
| • BS: bobble stitch | |



Colour chart and useful tips

Color chart

1		mercerized cotton yarn n° 404 <i>1 x 25 grams</i>
2		mercerized cotton yarn n° 507 <i>1 x 50 grams</i>
3		mercerized cotton yarn n° 387 <i>1 x 25 grams</i>



Useful tips

Each part is worked in continuous rounds (do not join rounds with a slip stitch) unless instructed otherwise in the pattern.

Use a stitch marker to mark the beginning of each round. This will help you when counting your stitches to compare it with the pattern.

The color of the round/row will be indicated with a square just before the round/row instructions.



How to make a bobble stitch

- Yarn over, insert the hook into stitch, pull up a loop, yarn over and pull through 2 loops only (like the beginning of one double crochet stitch) : we have 2 loops on the hook;



- Yarn over, insert the hook into the same stitch as before, pull up a loop, yarn over and pull through 2 loops only : we have 3 loops on the hook;

- Yarn over, insert the hook into the same stitch as before, pull up a loop, yarn over and pull through 2 loops only : we have 4 loops on the hook;

- Yarn over, insert the hook into the same stitch as before, pull up a loop, yarn over and pull through 2 loops only : we have 5 loops on the hook;





Bobble stitch, continued

- Yarn over, pull through all 5 loops at once;
- Single crochet in next stitch;
- Repeat the number of times indicated.



It is possible to vary the thickness of the bobble stitch.

For exemple, to obtain more relief, we can repeat the work 5 times instead of 4 to have 6 loops on the hook.





Head, leaf and collar

Head

Work with white yarn:

R1	6sc in a magic ring	(6)
R2	inc x 6	(12)
R3	(1sc, inc) x 6	(18)
R4	(2sc, inc) x 6	(24)
R5	(3sc, inc) x 6	(30)
R6	(4sc, inc) x 6	(36)
R7	(5sc, inc) x 6	(42)
R8	(6sc, inc) x 6	(48)
R9-15	Sc in all st [7 rounds]	(48)
R16	(6sc, dec) x 6	(42)
R17	(5sc, dec) x 6	(36)
R18	(4sc, dec) x 6	(30)
R19	(3sc, dec) x 6	(24)



Fasten off and leaving enough yarn for sewing.
Stuff firmly.

Leaf

Work with green yarn:

R1	4sc in a magic ring	(4)
R2	(1sc, inc) x 2	(6)
R3	(2sc, inc) x 2	(8)
R4	(3sc, inc) x 2	(10)
R5	(4sc, inc) x 2	(12)
R6-8	Sc in all st [3 rounds]	(12)
R9	(2sc, dec) x 3	(9)
R10	(1sc, dec) x 3	(6)



Fasten off and leaving enough yarn for sewing.
Do not stuff.

Collar

Work in rows with green yarn:

Ch27, start in the 2nd ch from the hook.

R1	26sc, ch2, turn	(26)
R2	3Dc in all st, ch1, turn	(78)
R3	1Hdc in all st	(78)

Fasten off and leaving enough yarn for sewing.



Body and stalk

Body

Work with brown yarn:

R1	6sc in a magic ring	(6)
R2	inc x 6	(12)
R3	inc x 12	(24)
R4	(BS, 1sc) x 12	(24)
R5	(1sc, inc) x 12	(36)
R6	(BS, 1sc) x 18	(36)
R7	(2sc, inc) x 12	(48)
R8	(BS, 1sc) x 24	(48)
R9	Sc <u>in the back loop</u> of all st	(48)
R10	(BS, 1sc) x 24	(48)
R11	(2sc, dec) x 12	(36)
R12	(BS, 1sc) x 18	(36)
R13	Sc in all st	(36)
R14	(BS, 1sc) x 18	(36)
R15	(4sc, dec) x 6	(30)
R16	(BS, 1sc) x 15	(30)
R17	(3sc, dec) x 6	(24)
R18	(BS, 1sc) x 12	(24)
R19	Sc in all st	(24)



Fasten off and hide the yarn.
Stuff firmly.

Stalk

Work with brown yarn :

R1	6sc in a magic ring	(6)
R2	inc x 6	(12)
R3	(3sc, inc) x 3	(15)
R4	Sc <u>in the back loop</u> of all st	(15)
R5	Sc in all st	(15)
R6	(3sc, dec) x 3	(12)
R7	Sc in all st	(12)
R8	(2sc, dec) x 3	(9)
R9-11	Sc in all st [3 rounds]	(9)



Fasten off and leaving enough yarn for sewing.
Stuff firmly.



Hat

Hat

Work with brown yarn:

R1	6sc in a magic ring	(6)
R2	inc x 6	(12)
R3	inc x 12	(24)
R4	(BS, 1sc) x 12	(24)
R5	(1sc, inc) x 12	(36)
R6	(BS, 1sc) x 18	(36)
R7	(2sc, inc) x 12	(48)
R8	(BS, 1sc) x 24	(48)
R9	(3sc, inc) x 12	(60)
R10	(BS, 1sc) x 30	(60)
R11	(3sc, dec) x 12	(48)
R12	(6sc, dec) x 6	(42)
R13	(5sc, dec) x 6	(36)
R14	(4sc, dec) x 6	(30)



Fasten off and hide the yarn.



Assembling

With golden thread, embroider the veins of the leaf.

Sew the stalk to the top of the hat.

Sew the leaf between the stalk and the hat.



Sew the head and body together.

Embroider the nose between round 14 and round 15, 3 sts long. Embroider the base of the eyes between round 13 and round 14, 3 sts long. Embroider the lashes one row above.

You can use blush to color the cheeks.

Attach the collar around the neck and put the hat on the head.





Possible variation

Color chart

1		cotton-acrylic yarn n° 804 <i>1 x 50 grams</i>
2		mercerized cotton yarn n° 157 <i>1 x 50 grams</i>
3		mercerized cotton yarn n° 504 <i>1 x 25 grams</i>
4		mercerized cotton yarn n° 507 <i>1 x 50 grams</i>





Your magic pine cone is done

Congratulations, your magic pine cone is done!

Whether as a baby toy or as a room decor, I hope this creation will find its place in your home and in your heart.





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