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Amigurio Panda and Koala

Materials

* Himalaya Dolphin Baby yarn:

    * Panda: Black (Color 311), White (Color 301)

    * Koala: Light Grey (Color 351), Grey (Color 320)

* White fine yarn (for embroidering eyes)

* Detskaya Novinka or equivalent YarnArt Jeans yarn (Black, for eyebrows and muzzle embroidery)

* Matching color thread for sewing parts

* 12mm safety eyes

* 20mm joints (optional, for attaching legs)

* 14x11mm nose

* Crochet hook sizes #4 and #3

* Stitch marker

* Fiberfill stuffing

* Scissors

Abbreviations

* MR: Magic Ring

* SC: Single Crochet

* INC: Increase

* DEC: Decrease

* SL ST: Slip Stitch

* (...)x6: Repeat action in brackets 6 times

* HDC: Half Double Crochet

Instructions

Arms (Panda: Black, Koala: Grey)

Use stitch marker to ensure straight stitches. Use offset stitches if necessary.

1. 6 sc in MR.

2. 6 INC (12).

3. 12 sc.

4. 5 sc, 2 INC, 5 sc (14).

5. DEC, 12 sc (13).

6. DEC, 11 sc (12).

7. 10 sc, DEC (11).

8. 5 sc, DEC, 4 sc (10).

9. 10 sc.

10. 10 sc.

11. Fold in half and crochet through both sides: 5 sc.

Stuff arms loosely in the first few rows.

Legs (Panda: Black, Koala: Grey)

Use stitch marker to ensure straight stitches. Use offset stitches if necessary.

1. 6 sc in MR.

2. 6 INC (12).

3. (1 sc, INC) x 6 (18).

4. 18 sc.

5. 7 sc, INC, 2 sc, INC, 7 sc (20).

6. 2 DEC, 16 sc (18).

7. 18 sc.

8. DEC, 16 sc (17).

9. DEC, 15 sc (16).

10. 6 sc, 2 DEC, 6 sc (14).

11. 5 sc, DEC, 5 sc, DEC (12).

12. 12 sc.

13. 12 sc.

14. (1 sc, DEC) x 4 (8).

15. 3 DEC.

Cut yarn and close.

Stuff the leg, forming a semi-circle shape. If using joints, insert the joint between rows 13 and 12 before stuffing. Stuff densely at the beginning and with medium density from the middle.

Head (Panda: White, Koala: Grey)

1. 7 sc in MR.

2. 7 INC (14).

3. (1 sc, INC) x 7 (21).

4. (1 sc, INC) x 10, INC (32).

5. 32 sc.

6. 32 sc.

7. 32 sc.

8. 9 sc, 4 INC, 6 sc, 4 INC, 9 sc (40).

9. 11 sc, INC, 2 sc, INC, 10 sc, [Increases to 44 stitches total].

10. 44 sc.

11. 44 sc.

12. (6 sc, DEC) x 5, 4 sc (39).

13. (4 sc, DEC) x 6, 3 sc (33).

14. (3 sc, DEC) x 6, 3 sc (27).

15. (2 sc, DEC) x 6, 3 sc (21).

For Koala: Insert eyes between rows 8 and 9, 5 sc apart.

Stuff the head evenly, shaping the cheeks.

Panda Eyes (Black)

1. 6 sc in MR.

2. (INC, INC, 1 sc) x 2, SL ST (10).

Insert eyes into the crocheted circles, then insert into the head between rows 8 and 9, 5 sc apart.

Body (Koala: Change to Light Grey at Row 16, Panda: Change to Black at Row 18)

16. 21 sc.

17. (1 sc, INC) x 10, 1 sc (31).

18. 31 sc.

19. 31 sc.

20. 31 sc.

(Panda: Change to White at Row 21)

21. 31 sc.

22. (6 sc, INC) x 4, 3 sc (35).

23. 35 sc.

24. 35 sc.

25. 2 sc, DEC, 6 sc, DEC, 15 sc, DEC, 6 sc (32).

26. 32 sc.

If using joints, insert leg joints between rows 26 and 27.

27. (6 sc, DEC) x 4 (28).

28. (5 sc, DEC) x 4 (24).

29. (4 sc, DEC) x 4 (20).

30. (3 sc, DEC) x 4 (16).

Stuff the body as you go.

Koala Ears (Grey and Light Grey)

1. Crochet in grey: 6 sc in MR.

2. 6 INC (12).

3. (1 sc, INC) x 6 (18).

4. (1 sc, INC) x 9 (27).

5. Fold ear in half. Change to light grey and crochet through both walls: (1 HDC, 1 HDC increase) x 6, 1 HDC (19).

Koala Nose

See Assembly section.

Panda Muzzle (White)

1. 4 ch. From the 2nd chain from hook: 2 sc, 3 sc in the last stitch, 1 sc, INC (8).

2. INC, 1 sc, 3 INC, 1 sc, 2 INC (14).

3. 2 INC, 4 sc, 2 INC, SL ST. Crochet partially.

Panda Ears (Black)

1. 6 sc in MR.

2. 6 INC (12).

3. (1 sc, INC) x 6 (18).

4. 9 sc.

5. Fold in half and crochet through both sides: 9 sc.

Panda Tail (Black)

1. 6 sc in MR.

2. 6 INC (12).

3. 5 DEC. SL ST (crochet partially).

Heart

1. 6 sc in MR.

2. 6 INC (12).

3. 12 sc, SL ST. Cut yarn. Repeat steps 1-3 for second piece, but do not cut the yarn.

4. Connect both pieces, crocheting 3 sc together through both walls. Place stitch marker.

5. 10 sc on the first piece, 10 sc on the second piece (20 sc total).

6. 20 sc.

7. 20 sc.

8. 4 sc, DEC, 7 sc, DEC, 5 sc (18).

9. 3 sc, 2 DEC, 4 sc, 2 DEC, 3 sc (14).

10. 14 sc.

11. 7 DEC (7).

Close and secure the thread.

Assembly, Embroidery and Muzzle Decoration

Eye Indentations (Both Panda and Koala): Count 13 rows from the beginning of the head. Insert a needle between rows 13 and 14. Bring it out at the outer corner of one eye, then in at the inner corner. Bring the needle out through the next row at the bottom of the head. Repeat for the other eye. Pull tightly and tie a knot. Hide the thread inside.

Panda:

* **Muzzle:** Attach the plastic nose between rows 1 and 2. Position muzzle between rows 9-13, centered over the eyes. Sew on the muzzle. Embroider a septum under the nose.

* **Mouth:** Sew the mouth below the nose, with the top point of the mouth inside the eye indentation. Sew the sides of the mouth, leaving the center open.

Koala:

* **Nose:** Sew the nose between rows 9-12.

* **Mouth:** Sew the mouth below the nose.

* **Embroidery:** Embroider the whites of the eyes with white thread and eyelashes with black thread. Embroider straight eyebrows 2 rows above the eyes on the outer edges and 3 rows above the eyes closer to the center.

Ears (Both): Sew ears onto the head, starting at the 3rd row from the crown.

Arms (Both): Sew arms at row 16 (front) and row 18 (back), angled slightly forward.

Tail (Panda): Sew the tail onto the back in an eight-shape, centered around row 3.

Your amigurio toy is ready!