amigurio Pattern

Amigurumi Tiger Cub

Height: 12 cm

Tools and Materials:

* Hook 2.5 mm or 2 mm

* Yarn: VITA cotton LIRA, 60% cotton, 40% acrylic, 150 m/50 g or GAZZAL Baby cotton, 60% cotton, 4
acrylic, 165 m/50 g. Can be combined.

* Colors: Orange, milky (or white), dark brown (or black)

* Safety eyes d = 18 mm with a glitter iris insert

Abbreviations:

* CH (ch) — Chain stitch

* SC (X) — Single crochet

* Sl St (X) — Slip stitch

* INC (V) — Increase (2 SC in one stitch)

* DEC (Λ) — Decrease (SC2tog)

* INC3 (VY) — 3 single crochets crocheted into the same stitch of the previous row.

Instructions:

All parts, unless otherwise indicated, are crocheted in a spiral.

Muzzle (milky):

1. **Row 1:** 6 SC in an amigurumi ring.

2. **Row 2:** (INC3, 1 SC)*3 = 12 SC

3. **Row 3:** (1 SC, INC3, 2 SC)*3 = 18 SC

4. **Row 4:** 2 SC, INC, 11 SC, INC, 3 SC = 20 SC

5. **Rows 5-6:** 20 SC

6. Sl St, fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

Head-Body (orange):

1. **Row 1:** 6 SC in an amigurumi ring.

2. **Row 2:** 6 INC = 12 SC

3. **Row 3:** (INC, 1 SC)*6 = 18 SC

4. **Row 4:** (3 INC, 6 SC)*2 = 24 SC

5. **Row 5:** (INC, 3 SC)*6 = 30 SC

6. **Row 6:** (2 SC, 3 INC, 10 SC)*2 = 36 SC

7. **Row 7:** (INC, 5 SC)*6 = 42 SC

8. **Rows 8-9:** 42 SC

9. **Row 10:** (7 SC, INC, 13 SC)*2 = 44 SC

10. **Rows 11-12:** 44 SC

11. **Row 13:** (8 SC, INC, 13 SC)*2 = 46 SC (mark the increases).

12. **Rows 14-18:** 46 SC

13. Fold the piece, aligning marked increases. Mark the center.

14. Insert eyes 13 rows down from starting ring, 8 stitches apart.

15. **Row 19:** (9 SC, DEC, 12 SC)*2 = 44 SC

16. **Row 20:** (9 SC, DEC, 11 SC)*2 = 42 SC

17. **Row 21:** (3 SC, DEC, 2 SC)*6 = 36 SC

18. **Row 22:** (DEC, 4 SC)*6 = 30 SC

19. **Row 23:** (2 SC, DEC, 1 SC)*6 = 24 SC

20. **Row 24:** 24 SC

21. **Row 25:** (INC, 3 SC)*6 = 30 SC

22. **Row 26:** (3 SC, INC, 1 SC)*6 = 36 SC

23. **Row 27:** (INC, 11 SC)*3 = 39 SC

24. **Row 28:** INC, 3 SC, INC, 8 SC, INC, 12 SC, INC, 8 SC, INC, 3 SC = 44 SC

25. **Row 29:** 3 SC, INC, 7 SC, INC, 11 SC, INC, 10 SC, INC, 7 SC, INC, 1 SC = 49 SC

26. Stuff the head.

27. **Row 30:** 10 SC, 4 CH, skip 14 stitches, 2 SC, 4 CH, skip 14 stitches, 9 SC = 29 SC

28. **Row 31:** INC, 28 SC = 30 SC (crochet CH stitches into one loop).

29. **Row 32:** 7 SC, INC, 2 SC, INC, 5 SC, INC, 4 SC, INC, 2 SC, INC, 5 SC = 35 SC

30. **Row 33:** 6 SC, INC, 3 SC, INC, 7 SC, INC, 7 SC, INC, 3 SC, INC, 4 SC = 40 SC

31. Unravel last 2 stitches, recalculate row beginning.

32. **Row 34:** 5 CH, skip 7 stitches, 5 SC, 10 CH, skip 8 stitches, 7 SC, 10 CH, skip 8 stitches, 5 SC = 42 stitches

33. **Row 35:** (DEC, 4 SC)*7 = 35 SC (crochet CH stitches into one loop). Pull loop longer, set aside.

34. Sew muzzle to head, stuffing as you go.

35. With orange yarn, work 5 SC between eyes, leaving a 70cm tail.

36. CH 1, turn, 5 SC (working from behind).

37. CH 1, turn, 4 SC, Sl st, fasten off.

38. With the 70cm tail, crochet around the overlay, making INC in corners. Sew overlay to muzzle.

39. Stuff body. Create eye indentations by pulling yarn through the body and over each eye, tying knots inside.

40. **Row 36:** (2 SC, DEC, 1 SC)*7 = 28 SC

41. **Row 37:** (DEC, 2 SC)*7 = 21 SC

42. **Row 38:** (1 SC, DEC)*7 = 14 SC

43. **Row 39:** 7 DEC = 7 SC

44. Fasten off, closing the opening.

Nose (dark brown):

1. Chain 4 CH.

2. **Row 1:** Starting from the 2nd CH: INC, 1 SC, 5 SC in last CH. Continue around: INC3, 3 SC in last chain = 14 SC.

3. Sl St, fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

4. Sew nose, covering the last orange row up to the muzzle's starting ring. Create a corner at the bottom.

5. With the same yarn, make a small vertical stitch down, then a horizontal stitch under the first. Fasten off.

Front Paws (orange, milky), 2 pcs:

1. **Row 1:** With orange yarn, work 18 SC around upper opening, picking up yarn between rows to avoid holes.

2. **Rows 2-6:** 18 SC

3. Switch to milky yarn in the last stitch of Row 6.

4. Stuff the piece.

5. **Row 7:** (INC, 1 SC, INC, 1 SC, INC) diagonally inwards at the front, rest of row in SC = 21 SC.

6. **Rows 8-10:** 21 SC

7. Stuff the paw.

8. **Row 11:** (DEC, 1 SC)*7 = 14 SC

9. **Row 12:** 7 DEC = 7 SC

10. Finish stuffing, fasten off.

11. Repeat for the second paw. Sew paws together at the bottom with milky yarn.

Back Paws (orange, milky), 2 pcs:

1. **Row 1:** With orange yarn, work 18 SC around lower opening, picking up yarn between rows.

2. **Rows 2-7:** 18 SC

3. Switch to milky yarn in the last stitch.

4. Stuff the piece.

5. **Row 8:** (INC, 1 SC, INC, 1 SC, INC) upwards at the front, rest of row in SC = 21 SC.

6. **Rows 9-11:** 21 SC

7. Stuff the paw.

8. **Row 12:** (DEC, 1 SC)*7 = 14 SC

9. **Row 13:** 7 DEC = 7 SC

10. Finish stuffing, fasten off. Stuff body through the second paw opening. Crochet the second paw as before.

Tail (orange, dark brown):

1. **Row 1:** With orange yarn, work 12 SC around the opening, picking up yarn between rows.

2. **Rows 2-4:** 12 SC

3. Switch to dark brown yarn.

4. **Row 5:** 12 SC

5. Stuff the tail.

6. **Row 6:** (DEC, 2 SC)*3 = 9 SC

7. **Row 7:** (1 SC, DEC)*3 = 6 SC

8. Finish stuffing, fasten off.

Ears (orange, dark brown), 2 pcs:

1. **Row 1:** 3 SC in an amigurumi ring, CH 1, turn.

2. **Row 2 (WS):** 3 SC, CH 1, turn.

3. **Row 3:** INC, 1 SC, INC = 5 SC, CH 1, turn.

4. **Row 4 (WS):** 5 SC, CH 1, turn.

5. **Row 5:** INC, 3 SC, INC = 7 SC. Continue around: 4 SC in last loop, 3 SC along side, INC3 in corner, 3 SC along side, INC and Sl St in the 1st stitch.

6. Repeat steps 1-5 to create 4 identical pieces.

7. Join 2 pieces with wrong sides together using dark brown yarn. SC through both edges. At the tip: 7 SC, INC3, 6 SC, Sl St. Repeat for other two pieces.

8. Hide orange yarn tails. Sew ears to head with dark brown yarn, slightly tilted forward. Knot and hide yarn tails.

Chest (milky):

1. **Row 1:** 7 SC in an amigurumi ring.

2. **Row 2:** INC3, 2 SC, INC3, 2 SC, INC3 = 13 SC.

3. **Row 3:** 1 SC, INC3, 4 SC, INC3, 4 SC, INC3, Sl St = 19 SC.

4. Fasten off, leaving tail for sewing. Sew chest between front paws.

Finishing:

Embroider stripes with dark brown yarn using long stitches. Fasten off yarn ends in dark areas. Reinforce back stripes.

For a white tiger cub, omit the muzzle overlay and chest piece. Emphasize chest with embroidered stripes. Otherwise, follow the same instructions.

The amigurio is complete!