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Gnomes Crochet Pattern

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Materials

*   Yarn: Dark grey, light grey, white, pink (e.g., Acrylic 400g/100m)

*   Yarn for hats: Fuzzy/furry yarn (e.g., Foxy Fur 100g/85m)

*   Hook: 1.5 mm

*   Stuffing

*   Glass granules (or other weighting agent)

*   Wire for arms

*   Wool for felting (for beard and braids)

*   Felting needle

*   Needle and thread for sewing

*   Knitting needles (for vests)

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Abbreviations

*   **SC** – single crochet

*   **DC** – double crochet

*   **Inc** – increase (crochet two stitches from one single crochet)

*   **Dec** – decrease (crochet two single crochet stitches together)

*   **( ) x N** – repeat instructions in brackets N times

*   **3-in-1** – crochet three stitches into one loop

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Instructions

Body

Same for both male and female gnomes.

Using dark grey yarn.

Start with a magic ring.

Rnd 1: 6 SC in magic ring (6)

Rnd 2: 6 Inc (12)

Rnd 3: (1 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (18)

Rnd 4: (2 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (24)

Rnd 5: (3 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (30)

Rnd 6: (4 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (36)

Rnd 7: (5 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (42)

Rnd 8: (6 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (48)

Rnd 9: (7 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (54)

Rnd 10: (8 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (60)

Rnd 11: (9 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (66)

Rnd 12: (10 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (72)

Rnd 13: (11 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (78)

Rnd 14-18: 78 SC (5 rounds)

From this point, all stitches are worked in DC.

Rnd 19-21: 78 DC (3 rounds)

Add granules and begin to stuff the body.

Rnd 22: (11 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (72)

Rnd 23: 72 DC

Rnd 24: (10 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (66)

Rnd 25: 66 DC

Rnd 26: (9 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (60)

Rnd 27-30: 60 DC (4 rounds)

Rnd 31: (8 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (54)

Rnd 32: (7 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (48)

Rnd 33: (6 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (42)

Rnd 34: (5 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (36)

Rnd 35: (4 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (30)

Rnd 36: (3 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (24)

Rnd 37: (2 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (18)

Rnd 38: (1 DC, 1 Dec) x6 (12)

Rnd 39: 6 Dec (6)

Pull the opening tight, secure the thread, and cut it.

Arms (make 4)

The stitch marker should run along the edge of the arm. Make a shifting stitch if necessary.

Using dark grey yarn, chain 5.

Rnd 1: From the second stitch from the hook: 1 Inc, 2 SC, 3-in-1, 3 SC (10)

Rnd 2: 10 SC

Rnd 3: (1 Inc, 4 SC) x2 (12)

Rnd 4: (1 Inc, 5 SC) x2 (14)

Rnd 5-7: 14 SC (3 rounds)

Rnd 8: (1 Dec, 5 SC) x2 (12)

Rnd 9: (1 Dec, 4 SC) x2 (10)

Insert bent wire. You can stuff lightly if not using chenille wire.

Rnd 10: This is an unfinished round. Crochet just enough SC stitches to move the start of your round to the inside of the arm. This will help hide the color change.

Switch to white and light grey yarn. Change color every 2 rounds. Crochet for your desired arm length (e.g., 12 rounds total: 6 white and 6 light grey).

Legs (make 4)

*The stitch marker should run along the edge of the leg. Make a shifting stitch if necessary. Stuff

as you crochet.*

Using dark grey yarn, chain 8.

Rnd 1: From the second stitch from the hook: 1 Inc, 5 SC, 3-in-1, 6 SC (16)

Rnd 2: 16 SC

Rnd 3: (1 Inc, 7 SC) x2 (18)

Rnd 4: (1 Inc, 8 SC) x2 (20)

Rnd 5-7: 20 SC (3 rounds)

Rnd 8: (1 Dec, 8 SC) x2 (18)

Rnd 9: (1 Dec, 7 SC) x2 (16)

Fold the leg and crochet the two edges together with SC. Then, crochet 3 more rows of SC using turning rows.

Nose (make 2)

Using pink yarn.

Start with a magic ring.

Rnd 1: 6 SC in magic ring (6)

Rnd 2: 6 Inc (12)

Rnd 3: (1 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (18)

Rnd 4-6: 18 SC (3 rounds)

Rnd 7: (1 SC, 1 Dec) x6 (12)

Fold the nose and crochet the two edges together with SC. Then, crochet 3 more rows of SC using turning rows. Secure the thread and cut it.

Hat (make 2)

Using fuzzy hat yarn. Due to the texture, it is better to crochet the hat inside out.

Start with a magic ring.

Rnd 1: 6 SC in magic ring (6)

Rnd 2: 6 Inc (12)

Rnd 3-4: 12 SC (2 rounds)

Rnd 5: (1 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (18)

Rnd 6-9: 18 SC (4 rounds)

Rnd 10: (2 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (24)

Rnd 11-14: 24 SC (4 rounds)

Rnd 15: (3 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (30)

Rnd 16-19: 30 SC (4 rounds)

Rnd 20: (4 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (36)

Rnd 21-23: 36 SC (3 rounds)

Rnd 24: (5 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (42)

Rnd 25-27: 42 SC (3 rounds)

Rnd 28: (6 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (48)

Rnd 29-30: 48 SC (2 rounds)

Rnd 31: (7 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (54)

Rnd 32-33: 54 SC (2 rounds)

Rnd 34: (8 SC, 1 Inc) x6 (60)

Rnd 35-36: 60 SC (2 rounds)

Rnd 37: (5 SC, 1 Inc) x10 (70)

Rnd 38-40: 70 SC (3 rounds)

Male Gnome's Vest (Knitted)

1. Using double-pointed needles, cast on 60 stitches.

2. Knit in a 2x2 rib (alternate 2 knit stitches, 2 purl stitches).

3. Continue until the vest reaches your desired length, then cast off all stitches.

Female Gnome's Vest (Knitted)

1. Using straight needles, cast on 64 stitches.

2. Knit the pattern row: 1 selvedge stitch, 3 stitches in garter stitch, 2 purl, 8 knit (for cable), 2 purl, 33 stitches in seed stitch, 2 purl, 8 knit (for cable), 2 purl, 2 knit, 1 selvedge stitch.

3. Cross the cable in every 8th row. To do this, slip 4 stitches onto an auxiliary needle and hold in front of your work, knit the next 4 stitches, then knit the 4 stitches from the auxiliary needle.

4. Continue until the vest reaches your desired length, then cast off.

Assembly

1. Start by dressing the gnomes. Sew the clothes carefully along the desired edges.

2. For the female gnome, sew the vest closed at the back. Sew on buttons and add lace along the bottom edge if desired.

3. Sew on the arms and legs.

4. Felt the beard onto the male gnome and the braids onto the female gnome.

5. Sew on the noses.

6. Place the hats on the gnomes' heads to complete them.

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