amigurio Pattern

Materials

*   Yarn (e.g., Pekhorka "Biserinaya" 100g-450m or similar fingering weight yarn) in White and Skin Color

*   Lurex yarn

*   Fiberfill (stuffing)

*   Cardboard

*   Eyes

*   Braid

*   Lace

*   1.5 mm crochet hook

Abbreviations

*   **MR** - Magic Ring (Amigurumi Ring)

*   **ch** - Chain Stitch

*   **sl st** - Slip Stitch

*   **sc** - Single Crochet

*   **inc** - Increase

*   **dec** - Decrease

Instructions

Body (White Yarn)

Rnd 1: 9 sc in MR (9)

Rnd 2: 9 inc (18)

Rnd 3: (2 sc, inc) x 6 (24)

Rnd 4: (3 sc, inc) x 6 (30)

Rnd 5: (4 sc, inc) x 6 (36)

Rnd 6: (5 sc, inc) x 6 (42)

Rnd 7: (6 sc, inc) x 6 (48)

Rnd 8: (7 sc, inc) x 6 (54)

Cut a circle from cardboard to match the size of this base.

Rnd 9: In back loops only, 54 sc (54)

Rnd 10-29: 54 sc (20 rounds)

Rnd 30: (sc, dec) repeated around (36)

Insert cardboard circle into the base.

Rnd 31: (4 sc, dec) x 6 (30)

Rnd 32: (3 sc, dec) x 6 (24)

Rnd 33: In back loops only, 24 sc (24)

Begin to stuff the body.

Rnd 34: In back loops only, 24 sc (24)

Rnd 35: 24 sc (24)

Rnd 36: (3 sc, inc) x 6 (30)

Rnd 37: 30 sc (30)

Rnd 38: (3 sc, dec) x 6 (24)

Rnd 39: 24 sc (24)

Rnd 40: (2 sc, dec) x 6 (18)

Rnd 41: 18 sc (18)

Rnd 42: (sc, dec) x 6 (12)

Finish stuffing the body.

Rnd 43: 12 sc. Change to Skin Color yarn. Bring the white yarn to the front of the work. (12)

Head (Skin Color Yarn)

Continue from the body.

Rnd 1: In back loops only, 12 sc (12)

Collar: Using the front loops from Rnd 43 of the body, join white yarn and work 1 row of and fasten off white yarn.

Rnd 2: 12 sc (12)

Rnd 3: 12 inc (24)

Rnd 4: (3 sc, inc) x 6 (30)

Rnd 5: (4 sc, inc) x 6 (36)

Rnd 6: (5 sc, inc) x 6 (42)

Rnd 7-13: 42 sc (7 rounds)

Rnd 14: (5 sc, dec) x 6 (36)

Rnd 15: (4 sc, dec) x 6 (30)

Rnd 16: (3 sc, dec) x 6 (24)

Rnd 17: (2 sc, dec) x 6 (18)

Stuff the head firmly.

Rnd 18: 9 dec (9)

Fasten off, leaving a tail to close the remaining opening.

Arms (Skin Color Yarn, make 2)

Rnd 1: 6 sc in MR (6)

Rnd 2-4: 6 sc (3 rounds)

Change to white yarn.

Rnd 5: 6 sc (6)

Cut thread, leaving an approx. 25 cm tail. Use a needle to gather the opening and then crochet a chain of 16. Sew arms to the body.

Caftan - Bottom (Lurex Yarn)

Work in the front loops of Rnd 33 of the body.

Rnd 1: (sc, inc) x 12 (36)

Rnd 2: 36 sc (36)

Rnd 3: (5 sc, inc) x 6 (42)

Rnd 4: (6 sc, inc) x 6 (48)

Rnd 5: 48 sc (48)

Rnd 6: (7 sc, inc) x 6 (54)

Rnd 7-25: 54 sc (19 rounds)

Adjust the length of the skirt as desired.

Rnd 26: Work a Picot stitch (ch 3, sl st in first ch) in each stitch around. Fasten off.

Caftan - Top (Lurex Yarn)

Work in turning rows in the front loops of Rnd 34 of the body.

Row 1: 24 sc (24)

Row 2-4: 24 sc (3 rows)

Row 5: dec, 20 sc, dec (22)

Row 6: 22 sc (22)

Row 7: dec, 18 sc, dec (20)

Row 8: 20 sc (20)

Row 9: 5 sc, ch 2, skip 2 sc, 6 sc, ch 2, skip 2 sc, 5 sc (20)

Row 10: 20 sc (20)

Fasten off.

Sleeves (Lurex Yarn, make 2)

Work in turning rows.

Start: Ch 6.

Row 1-7: 5 sc

Row 8: inc, 3 sc, inc (7)

Row 9: 7 sc (7)

Row 10: inc, 5 sc, inc (9)

Row 11: 9 sc (9)

Row 12: inc, 7 sc, inc (11)

Row 13: 11 sc (11)

Row 14: inc, 9 sc, inc (13)

Row 15-16: 13 sc (2 rows)

Row 17: inc, 11 sc, inc (15)

Row 18-20: 15 sc (3 rows)

Row 21: dec, 11 sc, dec (13)

Row 22: 13 sc (13)

Row 23: Work a Picot stitch (ch 3, sl st in first ch) across the edge.

Fasten off. Decorate with braid.

Assembly

1. **Face:** Glue on eyes. Embroider eyelashes, eyebrows, a nose, and a mouth.

2. **Caftan:** Decorate the caftan with braid and lace as desired. Sew on the sleeves.

3. **Finishing:** Close any remaining openings. Sew on a belt made of braid.