amigurio Pattern

Rotta Doll

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Materials

*   Pekhorka 'Children's Novelty' yarn:

    *   Black

    *   Red

    *   White

    *   Flesh-colored

*   1.75 mm crochet hook

*   Black half-beads for eyes

*   Stuffing (holofiber, polyester fiberfill)

*   Wire for frame (optional)

*   Adhesive plaster for insulating the wire

*   Sewing needle

Note: When using these materials, the finished doll will be approximately 30-32 cm tall.

Abbreviations

*   **Ch** – Chain stitch

*   **Sc** – Single crochet

*   **Hdc** – Half double crochet

*   **Inc** – Increase (two stitches in one)

*   **Dec** – Decrease (two stitches crocheted together)

*   **Sl st** – Slip stitch

*   **(...)*X** – Repeat the instructions in parentheses X times

*   **(number)** – Total number of stitches in the round/row

Notes

*   Crochet in continuous spirals. Do not join with a slip stitch or turn your work unless the pattern specifies otherwise.

*   Use a stitch marker or a piece of contrasting yarn to mark the beginning of each round.

*   Stuff the toy firmly as you go to ensure it holds its shape.

*   This pattern requires basic crochet and amigurumi skills.

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Instructions

Head

Crochet with flesh-colored yarn.

1. 6 sc in a magic ring (6)

2. Inc*6 (12)

3. (1 sc, inc)*6 (18)

4. (2 sc, inc)*6 (24)

5. (3 sc, inc)*6 (30)

6. (4 sc, inc)*6 (36)

7. (5 sc, inc)*6 (42)

8. (6 sc, inc)*6 (48)

9. (7 sc, inc)*6 (54)

10. (8 sc, inc)*6 (60)

11. (9 sc, inc)*6 (66)

12. (10 sc, inc)*6 (72)

13. (11 sc, inc)*6 (78)

14-26. 78 sc (13 rounds)

27. (11 sc, dec)*6 (72)

28. (10 sc, dec)*6 (66)

29. (9 sc, dec)*6 (60)

30. (8 sc, dec)*6 (54)

31. (7 sc, dec)*6 (48)

32. (6 sc, dec)*6 (42)

33. (5 sc, dec)*6 (36)

34. (4 sc, dec)*6 (30)

35. (3 sc, dec)*6 (24)

36. (2 sc, dec)*6 (18)

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff the head firmly.

Wig

Crochet with black yarn.

1. 6 sc in a magic ring (6)

2. Inc*6 (12)

3. (1 sc, inc)*6 (18)

4. (2 sc, inc)*6 (24)

5. (3 sc, inc)*6 (30)

6. (4 sc, inc)*6 (36)

7. (5 sc, inc)*6 (42)

8. (6 sc, inc)*6 (48)

9. (7 sc, inc)*6 (54)

10. (8 sc, inc)*6 (60)

11. (9 sc, inc)*6 (66)

12. (10 sc, inc)*6 (72)

13. 3 sc, inc, 7 sc, inc, 6 sc, inc, 7 sc, inc, 16 sc, inc, 14 sc, inc, 13 sc (78)

14. 4 sc, inc, 8 sc, inc, 6 sc, inc, 8 sc, inc, 18 sc, inc, 14 sc, inc, 14 sc (84)

15. 8 sc, inc, 9 sc, inc, 8 sc, inc, 56 sc (87)

16. 87 sc

17. 40 hdc, 47 sc (87)

18. Dec, 17 sc, dec, 17 sc, dec, 47 sc (84)

19. 37 hdc, 47 sc (84)

Switch to crocheting in turning rows.

20-21. 47 sc, turn

22. 1 ch, inc, 45 sc, inc (49), turn

23. 1 ch, inc, 47 sc, inc (51), turn

24. 1 ch, 51 sc, turn

25. 1 ch, inc, 49 sc, inc (53), turn

26. 1 ch, 53 sc, turn

27. 1 ch, 53 sc, turn

28. 1 ch, inc, 51 sc, inc (55), turn

29-30. 1 ch, 55 sc, turn

31. 1 ch, inc, 53 sc, inc (57), turn

32. 1 ch, 57 sc, turn

33. 1 ch, inc, 55 sc, inc (59), turn

34. 1 ch, 59 sc, turn

35. 1 ch, inc, 57 sc, inc (61), turn

36. 1 ch, 61 sc, turn

37. 1 ch, inc, 59 sc, inc (63), turn

38. 1 ch, inc, 61 sc, inc (65), turn

39-41. 1 ch, 65 sc, turn

*Edge the entire wig with reverse single crochet (crab stitch). Fasten off and weave in th

Ears (make 2)

Crochet with flesh-colored yarn.

1. 6 sc in a magic ring (6)

2. Inc*6 (12)

3. 12 sc

Fasten off.

Nose

Crochet with flesh-colored yarn. Stuff lightly before sewing.

1. 6 sc in a magic ring (6)

2. Inc*6 (12)

3. (1 sc, inc)*6 (18)

4. (2 sc, inc)*6 (24)

5. (3 sc, inc)*6 (30)

6. (4 sc, inc)*6 (36)

7-10. 36 sc (4 rounds)

11. (4 sc, dec)*6 (30)

12. (3 sc, dec)*6 (24)

13. (2 sc, dec)*6 (18)

14-16. 18 sc (3 rounds)

17. (4 sc, dec)*3 (15)

18-20. 15 sc (3 rounds)

21. (3 sc, dec)*3 (12)

22-26. 12 sc (5 rounds)

Fasten off, leaving a tail for sewing.

Arms (make 2)

Palm (make 2)

Crochet with white yarn.

1. 6 sc in a magic ring (6)

2. Inc*6 (12)

3. (1 sc, inc)*6 (18)

Fingers

Crochet with flesh-colored yarn.

Thumbs (make 2)

1. 5 sc in a magic ring (5)

2-3. 5 sc (2 rounds)

Other Fingers (make 6)

1. 5 sc in a magic ring (5)

2-4. 5 sc (3 rounds)

Fasten off, leaving a tail for attaching.

Left Arm

Crochet with flesh-colored yarn.

1. Join fingers: 2 sc on the third finger, 2 sc on the second finger, 5 sc on the first finger, 3 sc on the second finger, 3 sc on the third finger (15)

2-3. 15 sc (2 rounds)

4. Attach thumb: 1 sc, 2 sc through both the thumb and palm, 12 sc (15)

5. 1 sc, 3 sc on the remaining stitches of the thumb, 12 sc (16)

6. 7 sc, dec, 5 sc, dec (14)

7. Dec, 5 sc, dec, 5 sc (12)

8. 12 sc

Change to red yarn.

9-10. 12 sc (2 rounds)

Stuff the palm. Continue stuffing as you crochet.

11. Dec, 3 sc, dec, 5 sc (10)

12-30. 10 sc (19 rounds)

31. Dec*5 (5)

Close the opening, fasten off, and weave in the end.

Right Arm

Crochet with flesh-colored yarn.

1. Join fingers: 3 sc on the third finger, 3 sc on the second finger, 5 sc on the first finger, 2 sc on the second finger, 2 sc on the third finger (15)

2-3. 15 sc (2 rounds)

4. Attach thumb: 12 sc, 2 sc through both the thumb and palm, 1 sc (15)

5. 12 sc, 3 sc on the remaining stitches of the thumb, 1 sc (16)

6. Dec, 5 sc, dec, 7 sc (14)

7. Dec, 5 sc, dec, 5 sc (12)

8. 12 sc

Change to red yarn.

9-10. 12 sc (2 rounds)

Stuff the palm. Continue stuffing as you crochet.

11. 5 sc, dec, 3 sc, dec (10)

12-30. 10 sc (19 rounds)

31. Dec*5 (5)

Close the opening, fasten off, and weave in the end.

Legs (make 2)

Start with black yarn. Stuff firmly as you go.

1. Ch 9. From the 2nd ch from the hook: inc, 6 sc, 4 sc in the last ch. Continue on the other side of the chain: 7 sc (19)

2. 2 inc, 5 sc, 6 inc, 5 sc, inc (28)

3. (1 sc, inc)*2, 5 sc, (1 sc, inc)*6, 5 sc, inc, 1 sc (37)

4. 3 inc, 34 sc (40)

Optional: Cut a sole from cardboard or plastic and place it inside the shoe.

Change to red yarn.

5. In back loops only: 40 sc

6-8. 40 sc (3 rounds)

9. 8 sc, (1 sc, dec)*8, 8 sc (32)

10. 8 sc, 8 dec, 8 sc (24)

11. 8 sc, 4 dec, 8 sc (20)

Change to flesh-colored yarn.

12. (3 sc, dec)*4 (16)

13. (2 sc, dec)*4 (12)

14-16. 12 sc (3 rounds)

17. (2 sc, inc)*4 (16)

18-19. 16 sc (2 rounds)

Change to black yarn.

20-31. 16 sc (12 rounds)

32. (3 sc, inc)*4 (20)

33-40. 20 sc (8 rounds)

For the first leg (right leg), fasten off and cut the yarn. For the second leg (left leg), do not cut the yarn. Continue to the Body section.

Body

Continue from the left leg with black yarn.

41. Align the stitch marker on the side of the left leg. To join: 10 sc on the left leg, ch 8,

20 sc on the right leg, 8 sc along the chain, 10 sc on the left leg (56)

Work an incomplete row to move the start of the round: 34 sc. Place a marker here. This should be the center of the back.

42-45. 56 sc (4 rounds)

46. 13 sc, dec, 26 sc, dec, 13 sc (54)

47-48. 54 sc (2 rounds)

From this point, you no longer need to follow the marker for decreases.

49. 13 sc, dec, 24 sc, dec, 13 sc (52)

50. 52 sc

51. 13 sc, dec, 22 sc, dec, 13 sc (50)

52. 50 sc

53. 13 sc, dec, 20 sc, dec, 13 sc (48)

54-55. 48 sc (2 rounds)

56. 13 sc, dec, 18 sc, dec, 13 sc (46)

57-58. 46 sc (2 rounds)

59. 13 sc, dec, 16 sc, dec, 13 sc (44)

60-61. 44 sc (2 rounds)

62. 13 sc, dec, 14 sc, dec, 13 sc (42)

63-64. 42 sc (2 rounds)

65. 13 sc, dec, 12 sc, dec, 13 sc (40)

66-67. 40 sc (2 rounds)

68. 13 sc, dec, 10 sc, dec, 13 sc (38)

69-70. 38 sc (2 rounds)

71. 13 sc, dec, 8 sc, dec, 13 sc (36)

72-73. 36 sc (2 rounds)

74. 13 sc, dec, 6 sc, dec, 13 sc (34)

75. 34 sc

76. 13 sc, dec, 4 sc, dec, 13 sc (32)

77. 32 sc

78. 13 sc, dec, 2 sc, dec, 13 sc (30)

In the next round, crochet in the back loops only. Fasten off and cut the yarn.

Collar

Crochet with white yarn.

Join yarn to the front loops of Round 74 of the body.

1. 24 sc (This seems to be a typo in original, should be 34 sc based on the stitch count of R74. Adjust if needed).

2. 24 inc (48)

3-4. 48 sc (2 rounds)

5. 24 dec (24)

Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Turn the collar inside out and sew it to the body, stuffing it lightly as you sew.

Skirt

Crochet with red yarn.

Join yarn to the front loops of Round 50 of the body.

1. 52 sc (based on stitch count of R50).

2. (8 sc, inc)*... (adjust repeats to match stitch count)

(Note: Original pattern states 54 sc for R1 and increases from there. This may be an error. Follow the counts below or adjust to fit your doll's body at row 50 which has 52 stitches).

1. 54 sc

2. (8 sc, inc)*6 (60)

3. 60 sc

4. (9 sc, inc)*6 (66)

5-6. 66 sc (2 rounds)

7. (10 sc, inc)*6 (72)

8. 72 sc

9. (11 sc, inc)*6 (78)

10. 78 sc

11. (12 sc, inc)*6 (84)

12. (13 sc, inc)*6 (90)

13. 90 sc

Edge the bottom of the skirt with reverse single crochet (crab stitch). Fasten off and weave in the end.

Assembly

1. Sew the eyes to the head, positioning them between Rounds 14 and 19. Leave about 9-10 stitches between them.

2. Glue the black half-beads onto the whites of the eyes to create pupils.

3. Sew the nose between Rounds 21 and 23 of the head, stuffing it lightly.

4. Embroider the mouth with black yarn.

5. Sew the wig to the head, aligning the center part.

6. Sew the ears to the sides of the head, between approximately Rounds 18 and 23.

7. Sew the head to the body. For better stability, you can insert a dowel or pencil into the neck area, stuffing around it.

8. Attach the arms to the body using thread jointing for mobility.