

Crochet Pattern

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Skill level: intermediate



Two Reindeer Friends

About this pattern

Toy is crocheted in continuous spirals without joining the rounds. You will need a stitch marker to keep track of where the beginning of each round starts. Move the marker up to the first stitch of the next round after finishing the previous one. If you don't have a stitch marker you can always use a scrap of contrasting yarn instead. When finished just pull this yarn out. You can see thread marker in my photos.

I use USA terminology for my pattern (don't worry if you use UK terms, all the differences are explained in the pattern).

This pattern is easy to follow with step-by-step instructions.

*Happy
crocheting!*

Materials and tools (amount for 1 deer only).

- Yarn: Fingering / 4 ply (14 wpi); 231 yards (211 meters) per 50 gr skein. 60% wool, 40% Nylon. **Main colors:**
Beige (peach, light peach) – for a head and a tummy, you need approximately 25 gr
Sandy brown (dark orange) - for the body, you need approximately 50 gr
Light reddish-brown - for a nose, you need approximately 10 gr
Scrap of white yarn for the "shine" on the nose, fringe, and tail of the reindeer.
- **Addition colors:**
2 times thinner yarn than the main one. You may use yarn of the same weight but split yarn in half.
Brown yarn for horns - you will need approx. 5 gr
Black - for the reindeer's mouth and embroidery – approx. 5 gr
- Steel hook 1.4 mm (US steel hook – 9; UK Steel hook – 5) for main parts
- Steel hook 1 mm (US steel hook – 12; UK Steel hook – 6.5) for the thin yarn (open mouth, antlers)
- 4 sewing pins.
- Single core copper wire 1 mm diameter for antlers - approx. 60 cm and 2 mm diameter for the frame - approx. 150 cm.
- Adhesive plaster tape with fabric base 1-1.5 cm wide to work up the wire cuts (the one you use to cover wounds)
- Chenille wire for the mouth - approx. 15 cm.
- Stuffing – hollofiber or padding polyester.
- A small piece of white fleece or felt for the eyes.
- Flat ready-made eyes for toys or beads of the matching size.
- Glue if you use flat ready-made eyes for toys.
- A sewing needle and tapestry needle to join parts.



Finished size

Finished size approx. 20 cm (8 inches) high (not including antlers).

Tip (make it right)

When making toys, the right side looks like this:

And the backside looks like this
FOR THIS TOY IT IS THE
RIGHT SIDE.



Tip (gauge)

When making toys, you should use much smaller hook than recommended for the yarn you choose.

Abbreviations

ch = chain
inc = increasing (2 sc in 1 st)
st(s) = stitch(es)
dec = decreasing (sc2tog)
sc2tog = single crochet two stitches together
sl st = slip stitch
sc = single crochet
dc = double crochet
tr = treble
rnd = round
pic = picture

Tip

Make sure you crochet tight enough; otherwise, stuffing will show through the holes.

USA/UK terminology comparison chart.

Abbreviations USA	Abbreviations UK
ch - chain	ch - chain
sc - single crochet	dc - double crochet
hdc - half double crochet	htr - half treble
dc - double crochet	tr - treble
tr - treble	dtr - double treble
dtr - double treble	tr tr - triple treble
sl st - slip stitch	sl - slip stitch

Other differences in crochet terminology used:

Terminology USA	Terminology UK
fasten off	cast off
skip	miss
gauge	tension
yarn over (yo)	yarn over hook (yoh)

Skill levels



BEGINNER

Projects for first-time crocheters using basic stitches. Minimal shaping.



EASY

Projects using yarn with basic stitches, repetitive stitch patterns, simple color changes, and simple shaping and finishing.



INTERMEDIATE

Projects using a variety of techniques, such as basic lace patterns or color patterns, mid-level shaping and finishing.



EXPERIENCED

Projects with intricate stitch patterns, techniques and dimension, such as non-repeating patterns, multi-color techniques, fine threads, small hooks, detailed shaping and refined finishing.

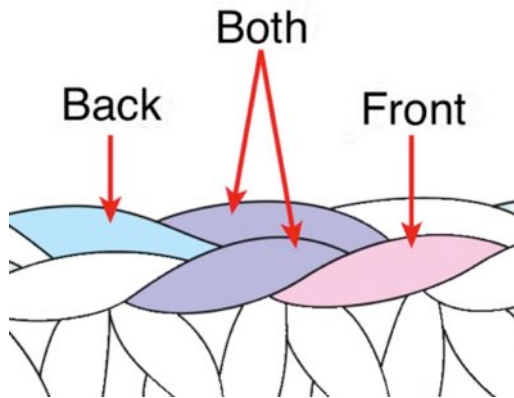
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Tip (make it right)

If there are no special notes, the toy is crocheted under both parts of the loop. In some rows, there are special notes: 'into the front loop only' or 'into the back loop only'. In such case, you need to follow those instructions.



How to read text in brackets:

Example: (10 sc, 1 dec) x 2

You should read it like this: repeat stitches in brackets 2 times - 10 sc, 1 dec, 10 sc, 1 dec.

Legs (hook 1.4 mm and thick wire)**Foot**

The backside of the work is the right side of the toy
Chain 6; start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook:

Rnd 1: inc; 3 sc; 3 sc in next st; 4 sc (12)

Rnd 2: (3 sc in one st; 5 sc) x 2 (16)

Rnd 3: 1 sc; 3 sc in next st; 7 sc; 3 sc in next st; 6 sc (20)

Rnd 4-7: 20 sc

Rnd 8: 19 sc; (do not crochet the last st; this is your new starting point)

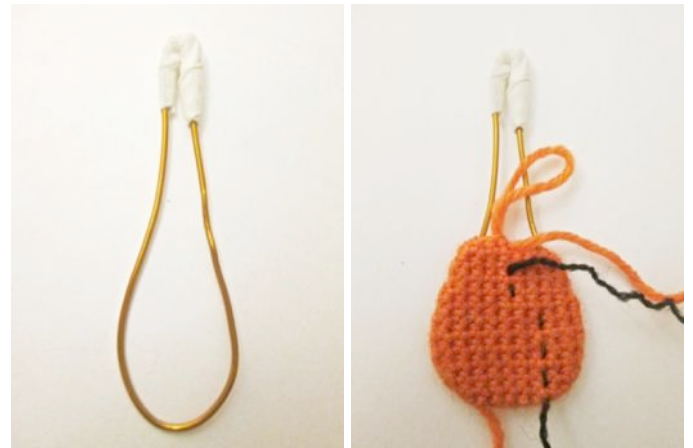
Rnd 9: 3 sc; dec; 8 sc; dec; 5 sc (18)

Rnd 10: 18 sc

Rnd 11: 3 sc; dec; 7 sc; dec; 4 sc (16)

Take piece of wire and prepare wire frame as shown on the picture.

Insert the wire frame. Stuff.



Rnd 12: 3 sc; dec; 6 sc; dec; 3 sc (14)

Rnd 13: 3 sc; dec; 5 sc; dec; 2 sc (12)

Rnd 14: 3 sc; dec; 4 sc; dec; 1 sc (10)

Rnd 15: (3 sc; dec) x 2 (8 sc)

Rnd 16-24: 8 sc

Rnd 25: dec; 2 sc; dec; 2 sc (6).

Tighten the hole.

Leg

3 rounds from the heel: make 6 sc on the foot and crochet 18 rounds up. This is the leg. If you want, you may crochet leg separately and then sew it to the foot. In this case, start with 6 ch, make a ring then work 18 rounds up.



Make the second leg alike.

Thread a needle with the same color yarn and make 2 tightening for toes.



Body (hook 1.4 mm and thick wire)

The backside of the work is the right side of the toy.

Chain 7 and start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook and work around the chain:

Rnd 1: inc; 4 sc; 3 sc in one st; 4 sc; inc (15)

Rnd 2: 1 sc; inc; 4 sc; inc; 1 sc; inc; 5 sc; inc (19)

Rnd 3: 1 sc; inc; 6 sc; inc; 1 sc; inc; 7 sc; inc (23)

Rnd 4: 1 sc; inc; 8 sc; inc; 1 sc; inc; 9 sc; inc (27)

Rnd 5: 1 sc; inc; 10 sc; inc; 1 sc; inc; 11 sc; inc (31)

Rnd 6: 1 sc; inc; 12 sc; inc; 1 sc; inc; 13 sc; inc (35)

Rnd 7: (inc) x 2; 14 sc; (inc) x 3; 16 sc (40)

Rnd 8: 40 sc

Rnd 9: (inc) x 3; 17 sc; (inc) x 3; 17 sc (46)

Rnd 10 -14: 46 sc

Rnd 15: 39 sc

Place new marker here. Do not crochet the last 7 sc, this is your new starting point.

Rnd 16: 10 sc; dec; 21 sc; dec; 11 sc (44)

Rnd 17: 8 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 17 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 9 sc (40)

Rnd 18: 40 sc

Rnd 19: 7 sc, dec, 1 sc; dec; 15 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 8 sc (36)

Rnd 20: 36 sc

Rnd 21: 6 sc, dec, 1 sc, dec, 13 sc, dec, 1 sc, dec, 7 sc (32)

Rnd 22: 32 sc

Rnd 23: 5 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 11 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 6 sc (28)

Rnd 24: 4 sc, dec, 1 sc, dec, 9 sc, dec, 1 sc, dec, 5 sc (24)

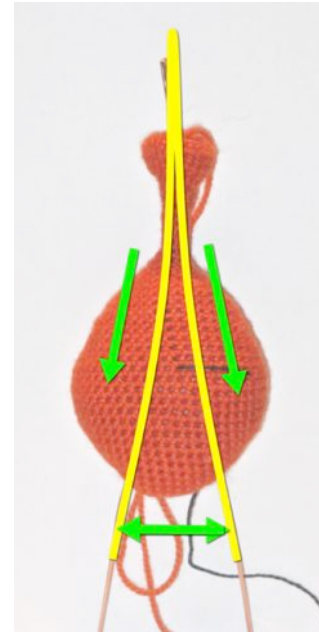
Rnd 25: 3 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 7 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 4 sc (20)

Prepare wire frame

Measure the length of the foot and multiply it by 7 (in my case the foot is 6.5 cm x 7 = 45.5 cm). The number you will get is the approximate length of the wire for

the "legs-body" wire frame. Fold this piece of wire in half and put inside the body through the bottom of the body (between stitches). There should be distance between legs' wire.

Stuff.



Rnd 26: 2 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 5 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 3 sc (16)

Rnd 27: (1 sc; dec) x 2; 3 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 2 sc (12)

Add some stuffing.

Rnd 28: (dec, 1 sc) x 4 (8)

Rnd 29: 1 sc; dec; 2 sc; dec; 1 sc (6)

Rnd 30-34: 6 sc

Rnd 35: 2 sc; inc; 1 sc; inc; 1 sc (8)

Rnd 36: 8 sc

Rnd 37: 2 sc; inc; 3 sc; inc; 1 sc (10)

Rnd 38: 2 sc; inc; 4 sc; inc; 2 sc (12)

Rnd 39: 2 sc; inc; 5 sc; inc; 3 sc (14)

Rnd 40: 2 sc; (inc) x 2; 5 sc; (inc) x 2; 3 sc (18)

Rnd 41: 3 sc; (inc) x 2; 7 sc; (inc) x 2; 4 sc (22)

Rnd 42: 22 sc;

Rnd 43: 5 sc, sl st – leave a length of yarn to sew the body to the head.

Stuff the neck but not tight.





Rnd 2: inc; 2 sc; inc; 2 sc (8)

Rnd 3-7: 8 sc

3 fingers for each hand.

Do not break off yarn of every third finger.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: inc; 5 sc = 7 sc

Rnd 3- 8: 7 sc

Join fingers to make a palm:

Left hand

Crochet along three fingers:

Rnd 1: 4 sc along the 1st finger; 4 sc along the 2nd finger; 7 sc along the 3rd finger; 3 sc along the 2nd finger; 3 sc along the 1st finger (21)

Rnd 2: 21 sc 5 sc; replace the marker; this is your new starting point.

Cover piece for the belly:

(hook 1.4 mm)

Use yarn of the same color as for the muzzle.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: (inc) x 6 times (12)

Rnd 3: (1 sc; inc) x 6 times

Rnd 4: (2 sc; inc) x 6 times

Rnd 5: (3 sc; inc) x 6 times

Rnd 6: 30 sc.

Fasten off and leave a length of yarn for sewing.

Sew to the body and embroider a belly button making few stitches in the middle of the belly.



Hands (hook 1.4 mm and thick wire)

Remember: the backside of the work is the right side of the toy.

Please note that the left and the right hands are crocheted in different ways.

Thumb - make two alike

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring



Rnd 3: 4 sc; join the thumb - 4 sc along the thumb; 13 sc (21)



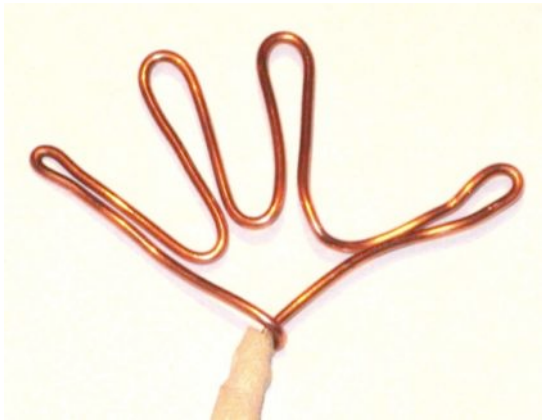
Rnd 4: 3 sc; (dec; 2 sc; dec) – along the thumb; 5 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 2 sc (17)

Prepare wire frame

Measure the length of one finger and multiply it by 15 (in my case the finger is 2.5 cm x 15 = 37.5 cm). The



number you will get is the approximate length of the wire for the "palm-hand" wire frame. Fold wire in half and for the frame for the palm as shown on the photo. Secure it with plaster near the palm.



Insert the wire frame into the hand. Stuff fingers lightly. Continue crochet around the wire.

Rnd 5: 3 sc; (dec) x 2; 3 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 2 sc (13)

Rnd 6: 2 sc; (dec) x 2; 2 sc; (dec) x 2; 1 sc (9)

Rnd 7: (1 sc; dec) x 3 (6).

Stuff the palm.

Rnd 8- 28: 6 sc

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing

Right hand

Crochet along three fingers:

Rnd 1: 4 sc along the 1st finger; 4 sc along the 2nd finger; 7 sc along the 3rd finger; 3 sc along the 2nd finger; 3 sc along the 1st finger (21)

Rnd 2: 21 sc, 5 sc; replace the marker; this is your new starting point.

Rnd 3: 13 sc; (join the thumb), 4 sc along the thumb; 4 sc (21)

Rnd 4: 2 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 5 sc; dec; 2 sc; dec; 3 sc (17)

Insert the wire frame into the hand.

Rnd 5: 2 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 3 sc; dec x 2; 3 sc (13)

Rnd 6: 1 sc; (dec) x 2; 2 sc; (dec) x 2; 2 sc (9)

Rnd 7: (1 sc; dec) x 3 (6).

Stuff the palm.

Rnd 8- 28: 6 sc

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing



Tail of the Reindeer:

Use white yarn.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: crochet with loop stitches: (inc) x 6 times (12)

Cut the loop stitches, fluff out, and brush.

Tip: If you don't know how to crochet loop stitch you can find tutorial on www.YouTube.com for example this one

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iuR0OIDqH0g>



Head reindeer №1 (with open mouth):

(hook 1.4 mm)

Remember that the backside of the work is the right side of the toy.

Chain 7 and start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook:

Rnd 1: inc; 4 sc; 4 sc in 1 ch; on the other side of the chain: 4 sc; inc (16)

Rnd 2: (inc) x 2; 4 sc; (inc) x 4; 4 sc, (inc) x 2 (24)

Rnd 3: 4 sc; inc; 2 sc; inc; 8 sc; inc; 2 sc; inc; 4 sc (28)

Rnd 4: (inc) x 2; 2 sc; inc; 4 sc; inc; 3 sc; (inc) x 2; (3 sc; inc) x 2, 5 sc (36)

Rnd 5: 1 sc; (inc) x 2; 15 sc; (inc) x 2; 16 sc (40)



Rnd 6: 2 sc; (inc) x 2; 17 sc; (inc) x 2; 17 sc (44)

Rnd 7: 3 sc; (inc) x 2; 5 sc; inc; 6 sc; inc; 6 sc; (inc) x 2; 8 sc, inc, 6 sc, inc, 2 sc (52)

Rnd 8: 4 sc; (inc) x 2; 23 sc; (inc) x 2; 21 sc (56)

Rnd 9-15: 56 sc

Rnd 16: 48 sc; (do not crochet the last 8 sc and place the marker here. This is your new starting point.)

Rnd 17: 11 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 22 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 11 sc (48)

Rnd 18: 9 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 18 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 9 sc (40)

Rnd 19: 7 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 14 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 7 sc (32)

Rnd 20: 5 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 10 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 5 sc (24)

Rnd 21: 3 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 6 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 3 sc (16).
Stuff the piece. Add extra stuffing to the place where the decreases has started to make the head more round and not sharp edged.

Rnd 22: 1 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 2 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 1 sc (8).
Tighten the hole.

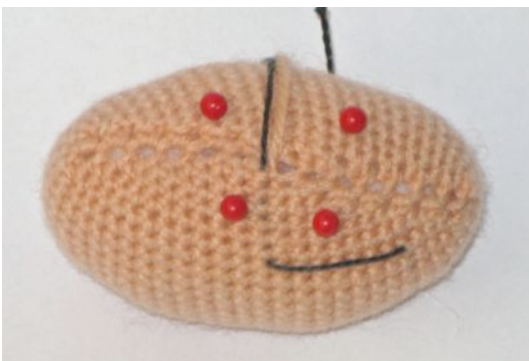


Muzzle:

(hook 1.4 mm)

Remember that the backside of the work is the right side of the toy.

Take 4 sewing pins and mark the place where you will crochet muzzle.



Chain 22 sts on the head: 5 sc; 5 sc; 7 sc; 5 sc.



Crochet in a spiral.

Rnd 1: 7 sc; (3 sc in the 1st st) x 2; 9 sc; (3 sc in the 1st st) x 2 times; 2 sc (30)

Shift 2 sts; the 3rd st is the beginning of the round. Place the marker.

Rnd 2: 6 sc; inc; 2 sc; inc; 10 sc; inc; 2 sc; inc; 6 sc (34)

Rnd 3: 8 sc; (inc) x 2; 14 sc; (inc) x 2; 8 sc (38)

Rnd 4-5: 38 sc

Rnd 6: 9 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 12 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 7 sc (34)

Rnd 7: 8 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 10 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 6 sc (30)

Rnd 8: 7 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 8 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 5 sc (26)

Rnd 9: 6 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 6 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 4 sc (22)

Rnd 10: 5 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 4 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 3 sc (18)

Rnd 11: 4 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 2 sc; dec; 1 sc; dec; 2 sc (14)

Rnd 12: 3 sc; dec; 1 sc; (dec) x 2; 1 sc; dec; 1 sc (10).
Decrease until the hole is closed or thread a needle with yarn and tighten the hole. Fasten off and weave in loose ends.

Tongue (hook 1 mm)!!!

Remember that the backside of the work is the right side of the toy.

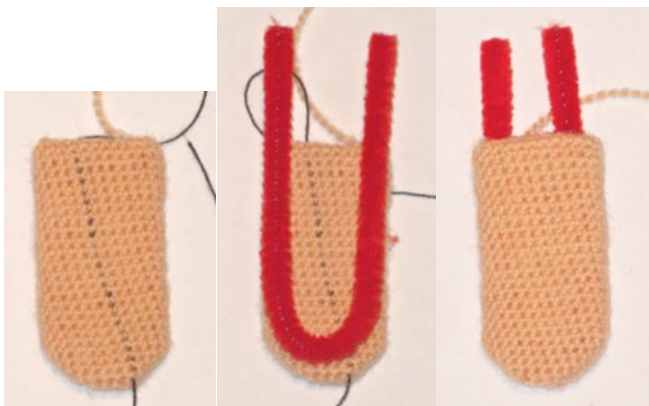
For the reindeer's lip use yarn of the same color as for the muzzle but split in half. Yarn should be approximately 2 times thinner than the yarn for the muzzle.

Chain 5; start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook and work on the both sides of the chain:

Rnd 1: inc; 2 sc; 3 sc in next st; 3 sc (10)
Rnd 2: (3 sc in next st; 4 sc) x 2 (14)
Rnd 3: 1 sc; 3 sc in next st; 6 sc; 3 sc in next st; 5 sc (18)
Rnd 4: 2 sc; 3 sc in next st; 8 sc; 3 sc in next st; 6 sc (22)
Rnd 5: 3 sc; inc; 10 sc; inc; 7 sc (24)
Rnd 6-24: 24 sc.
Rnd 25: 4 sc; sl st (get into a fold line) Finish. Fasten off and leave a length of yarn to sew the tongue.
 Insert thin wire into the edge of the tongue to make it flexible and tightly stuff it. If you use chenille wire (ready to use wire with a soft covering), do not stuff the edge of the tongue.



Leave a length of yarn for sewing.
 Chain 16, then 11 sc along the top part of the cover piece of the tongue, ch 6 (this is the mouth). Leave a length of yarn for sewing.



Sew the cover piece to the tongue.

Cover piece for the tongue (hook 1 mm)!!!

Remember that the backside of the work is the right side of the toy.

Crochet with black yarn that is 2 times thinner than the main one. Crochet in rows; make a ch at the end of each row and turn.

Chain 3 and start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook:

Row 1: inc; 1 sc (3)
Row 2: 1 sc; inc; 1 sc (4)
Rows 3-4: 4 sc
Row 5: 1 sc; inc; 2 sc (5)
Rows 6-7: 5 sc
Row 8: (1 sc; inc) x 2; 1 sc (7)
Rows 9-11: 7 sc
Row 12: 2 sc; inc; 1 sc; inc; 2 sc (9)
Rows 13-15: 9 sc
Row 16: 2 sc; inc; 3 sc; inc; 2 sc (11)
Rows 17-18: 11 sc

Single crochet three sides of the tongue (do not work over the upper part).



Nose

(hook 1.4 mm)

Remember that the backside of the work is the right side of the toy.

Chain 4 and start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook:

Rnd 1: inc; 1 sc, 3 sc in 1 ch, on the other side of the chain: 2 sc (8)
Rnd 2: (inc) x 2; 1 sc; (inc) x 3; 1 sc; inc (14)
Rnd 3: 1 sc; inc; 2 sc; inc; 3 sc; (inc; 2 sc) x 2 (18)
Rnd 4: 2 sc; 3 sc in 1 st; 8 sc; 3 sc from 1 st; 6 sc (22)
Rnd 5: inc; 2 sc; 3 sc from 1 st; 2 sc; inc; 4 sc; inc; 2 sc; 3 sc from 1 st; 2 sc; inc; 4 sc (30)



Rnd 6: 5 sc; inc; 14 sc; inc; 9 sc (32)

Rnd 7-8: 32 sc

Rnd 9: 4 sc; (dec) x 2; 12 sc; (dec) x 2; 8 sc (28)

Rnd 10: 3 sc; (dec) x 2; 10 sc; (dec) x 2; 7 sc (24)

Rnd 11: 2 sc; (dec) x 2; 8 sc; (dec) x 2; 6 sc (20)

Rnd 12: 3 sc, 1 sl st, fasten off.

Stuff.

Thread a needle and sew the hole up. Leave a length of yarn to sew nose to the head.



Tooth (hook 1.4 mm)

Crochet in rows with thin white yarn.

Make a ch at the end of each row and turn the work.

Chain 5 and start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook:

Rows 1-3: 4 sc.

Single crochet three sides of the tooth (do not work along the upper part); crochet 3 sc in one st in the corners (on turns).



Ears (hook 1.4 mm)

The backside of the work is the right side of the toy

Right ear:

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: inc, 4 sc; inc (8)

Rnd 3: inc, 6 sc; inc (10)

Rnd 4: inc, 8 sc; inc (12)

Rnd 5: inc, 10 sc; inc (14)

Rnd 6: inc, 12 sc; inc (16)

Rnd 7: 16 sc

Rnd 8: 3 sc; sl st. Leave a length of yarn to sew.

Left ear:

Rnd 1: 5 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: inc; 3 sc; inc (7)

Rnd 3: inc; 5 sc; inc (9)

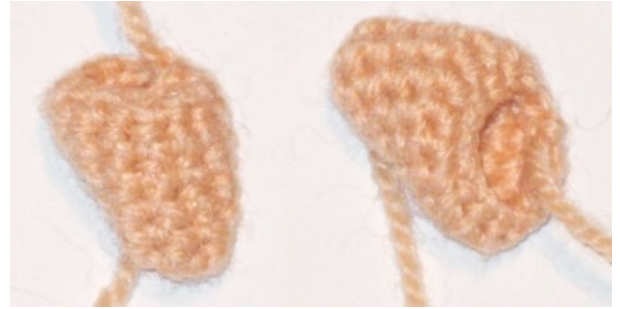
Rnd 4: inc; 7 sc; inc (11)

Rnd 5: inc; 9 sc; inc (13)

Rnd 6: inc; 11 sc; inc (15)

Rnd 7: 3 sc; (dec) x 3; 1 sc; sl st (unfinished round).

Leave a length of yarn for sewing.



Antlers

(hook 1 mm and thin wire)!!!

The backside of the work is the right side of the toy

Crochet with dark brown yarn that is 2 times thinner than the main one.

Do not stuff antlers.

Each antler consists of 3 elements: one long («beam») and two short («prongs»).

Prong No. 1 (make two alike):

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: inc; 5 sc = 7 sc

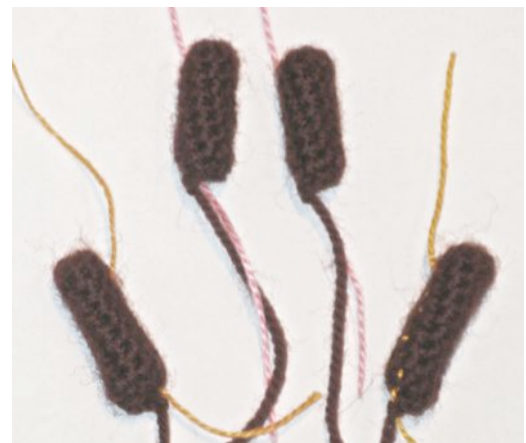
Rnd 3-8: 7 sc

Prong No. 2 (make two alike):

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: inc; 5 sc = 7 sc

Rnd 3-9: 7 sc



Beam of the antler (make two alike)



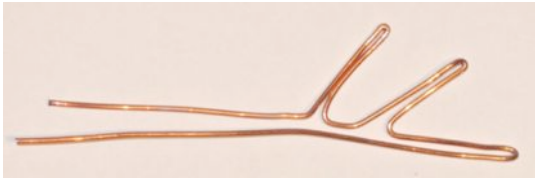
Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring

Rnd 2: inc: 5 sc (7)

Rnd 3-11: 7 sc

Prepare wire frame (use thin wire)

Measure the prong number 1 and multiply it by 14 (in my case prong is 2 cm x 14 = 28 cm). The number you will get is the approximate length of the wire for one antler. Cut 2 pieces of the same length. Form the frame according to the length of prongs and beam.



Rnd 21: 5 sc; dec; 1 sc (7).

Rnd 22-28: 7 sc.

Leave a length of wire and yarn to join the antler and the head.

Join the Prong No. 1:

Rnd 12: 2 sc; 3 sc along the beam and the prong at the same time; 2 sc (7)

Rnd 13: 2 sc; 4 sc along the prong; 2 sc (8).



Insert wire.



Rnd 14: 4 sc; dec; 2 sc (7)

Rnd 15-18: 7 sc

Join the Prong No. 2):

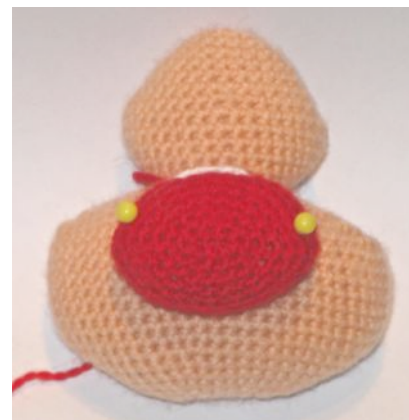
Rnd 19: (2 sc; 3 sc along the beam and the prong at the same time; 2 sc (7)

Rnd 20: 2 sc; 4 sc along the prong; 2 sc (8)

Insert wire.

Assembly and design

Thread a needle with white yarn and make a "shine" on the nose by making few big stitches. Pin the nose to the muzzle.



Pin the lip to the head. Place the chain on the muzzle and pin. Width of the smile from one end to the other is 21 stitches. Depth of the smile is 7 rounds. From the start of the head till the lowest curve on the smile is 5



rounds. Pin and then sew the tooth.



Sew mouth and chain to the muzzle.
Make two cross stitches at the ends of the chain.



Insert the antler' wire frames into the head (12 rounds up from the start of the head. Distance between the antlers on the back side of the head is 7 stitches). Pin and sew the horns to the head.



Put some pieces of white yarn between the horns.
Pin ears flat to the head (open side almost facing you).
Sew the ears to head with 2-3 stitches. You should sew them to the 8th round from the start (bottom) of the

head. Distance between the ears on the backside of the head is 13 stitches.



Eyes: height of the eye - 6 rounds, width of the eye - 3 stitches.

Cut ovals of the matching size from fleece or felt for eyes. Attach to the head (distance between the eyes at the bottom - 4 stitches, at the top - 1 stitch) and glue or sew them to the head.

Paint with acrylic color or embroider the pupils. You can also glue halves of beads or crochet 6 sc of black yarn in magic ring and sew. In other words, give you fancy full scope.

Brush the fringe to make it looks better.





Head reindeer № 2 (closed mouth)

The backside of the work is the right side of the toy

All the parts of the Reindeer No. 2, **except for the head** are crocheted the same as for the Reindeer No. 1.

Head (hook 1.4 mm)

Chain 7; start crocheting from the 2nd ch from the hook:

Rnd 1: inc; 4 sc; 4 sc in 1 ch; 4 sc; inc (16)

Rnd 2: (inc) x 2; 4 sc; (inc) x 4; 4 sc; (inc) x 2 (24)

Rnd 3: 4 sc; inc; 2 sc; inc; 8 sc; inc; 2 sc; inc; 4 sc (28)

Rnd 4: (inc) x 2; 2 sc; inc; 4 sc; inc; 3 sc; (inc) x 2; 3 sc; inc; 3 sc; inc; 5 sc (36)

Rnd 5: 1 sc; (inc) x 2; 15 sc; (inc) x 2; 16 sc (40)

Rnd 6: 2 sc; (inc) x 2; 17 sc; (inc) x 2; 17 sc (44)

Rnd 7: 3 sc; (inc) x 2; 19 sc; (inc) x 2; 18 sc (48)

Rnd 8-14: 48 sc

Rnd 15: 42 sc; (do not crochet the last 6 st; this is your new starting point)

Rnd 16: 9 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 18 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 9 sc (40)

Rnd 17: 7 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 14 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 7 sc (32)

Rnd 18: 5 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 10 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 5 sc (24)

Rnd 19: 3 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 6 sc; (sc3tog) x 2; 3 sc (16)

Rnd 20: 3 sc; dec; 6 sc; dec; 3 sc (14)

Rnd 21: 14 sc

Rnd 22: 3 sc; (inc) x 3; 4 sc; (inc) x 3; 1 sc (20)

Rnd 23: 5 sc; (inc) x 2; 8 sc; (inc) x 2; 3 sc (24)

Rnd 24: 5 sc; 3 sc in next st; 2 sc; 3 sc in next st; 8 sc; 3 sc in next st; 2 sc; 3 sc in next st; 3 sc (32)

Rnd 25-26: 32 sc

Rnd 27: 6 sc; dec; 2 sc; dec; 10 sc; dec; 2 sc; dec; 4 sc (28)

Rnd 28: 28 sc

Rnd 29: 7 sc; dec; 12 sc; dec; 5 sc (26)

Rnd 30: 26 sc

Rnd 31: 7 sc; dec; 10 sc; dec; 5 sc (24)

Rnd 32: 24 sc

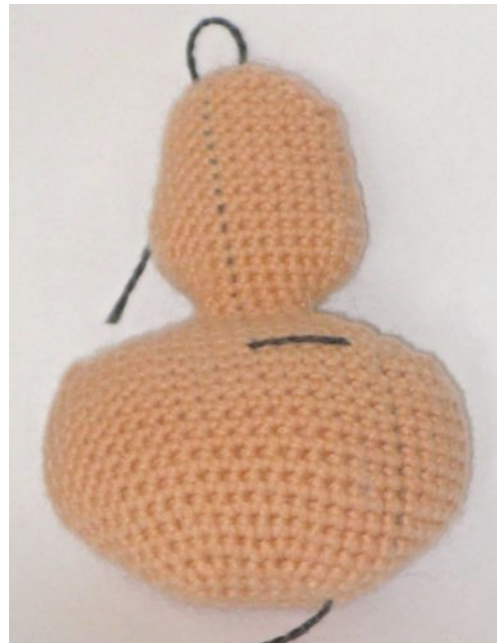
Rnd 33: 6 sc; dec; 9 sc; dec; 5 sc (22)

Rnd 34: 5 sc; (dec) x 2; 7 sc; (dec) x 2; 2 sc (18)

Rnd 35: 4 sc; (dec) x 2; 5 sc; (dec) x 2; 1 sc (14). Stuff.

Rnd 36: Decrease to the end.

Fasten off and weave in loose ends.



Assembly and design

Make the "shine" on the nose with white yarn.

Pin the nose to the muzzle.

You can embroider the mouth with black yarn or make a chain of required length. Width of the smile from one end to the other is 17 stitches. Depth of the smile is 5 rounds. From the start of the head till the lowest part of the smile's curve is 5 rounds. Pin the smile to the head (if you crochet it) and sew.

Sew ears to the 11th round from the start (bottom) of the head. Distance between the ears on the back of the head is 11 stitches. Sew the ears with 2-3 stitches only at the bottom part. Do not sew top part of the ear to the



head.

Insert the wire ends of the antlers into the head 12 rounds up from the start of the head. Distance between the antlers on the backside of the head is 10 stitches. Pin and sew the antlers.

Attach the fringe of white yarn pieces. Brush it.

Cut two ovals of the matching size from fleece or felt for the eyes. Height of the eye is 6 rounds. Width of the eye - 5 stitches. Distance between the eyes at the bottom is 1 stitch; at the top they are close to each other. Attach eyes to the head. Paint or embroider the eyes on the fleece ovals. Use the photo as a guide.



Final assembly

Wind padding polyester around the ends of the legs frame, fasten it with a thread or sticky tape, and insert them into the legs.

Sew the legs to the body.

Insert the hands' wire ends into the body, pin, and sew.

Sew the head to the body (insert the wire frame into the head)

Sew the tail.

Position the legs and the hands as required (use the photo as a guide).



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