

HURKA, the cylinder pig crochet pattern



INTRODUCTION

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Happy crocheting!

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NOTES

- There are hyperlinks in the pattern, so you can click on the blue and underlined words and it will lead you to the corresponding part of the document.
- If you make this toy for an infant or a toddler, please take into consideration the toy making laws and regulations. For safety reasons, embroider the face. If you use safety eyes and nose, please call attention to the fact that adult supervision is required. Products that contain small parts may pose a choking hazard and should not be given to children under 3 years old.
- Some of the illustrations were not created while making this particular toy, so the colour of the plush toy shown in the pictures may differ from the pattern. This, however, makes no difference, as the methods are the same.
- If you are using another type of yarn than the one mentioned in the pattern, the finished size of the toy may be different. In this case, choose the hook size accordingly!
- Work in a spiral unless the pattern states otherwise!
- For the more difficult parts, there are video tutorials as well.
- I made this crochet figure with X stitch single crochets, if you make it with V stitch single crochets, it may differ somewhat from what you see in the picture.

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TOOLS AND MATERIALS NEEDED

SMALL PIG

- ✓ 2.5 mm crochet hook
- ✓ cotton yarn (50 g / 125 m; fine (2) yarn); colours used in this pattern*:

MEDIUM PIG

- 3 mm crochet hook
- cotton yarn (50 g / 75 m; medium weight/worsted /aran (4) yarn)*

BIG PIG

- 4.5 mm crochet hook
- chenille yarn (100 g / 100 m; super bulky (6) yarn)*

ALL OF THEM:

- yarn colours:
 - pink
 - dark pink
- ✓ stuffing
- ✓ stich marker
- ✓ scissors; sewing needle

I used the following type of yarn, and colours for mine:

- yarn brand of the small: Schachenmayr Catania, size of the toy: 6.5 cm / 2.55 inch
- yarn brand of the medium: Drops Paris, size of the toy: 8 cm / 3.15 inch
- yarn brand of the big: Himalaya Dolpin Baby, size of the toy: 14 cm / 5.5 inch

ABBREVIATIONS

MR = magic ring

Ro = row

R = round (working in rounds)

ch = chain

slst = slip stitch

sc = single crochet

hdc = half double crochet

dc = double crochet

inc = increase = work more stitches into one stitch, the number and type of stitch is indicated in parentheses. e.g.:

- inc(2sc) = work 2 single crochets into one stitch
- inc(1sc, 1hdc) = work 1 single crochet and 1 half double crochet into one stitch

tog = together/decrease = crochet together the next stitches (the number and the type of stitches indicated before 'tog'), e.g.:

- sc2tog = the next 2 stitches are crocheted together as a single crochet
- dc5tog = the next 5 stitches are crocheted together as a double crochet
- inv-sc2tog = the next 2 stitches are crocheted together as a single crochet with invisible decrease

FLO = front loops only

BLO = back loops only

BOBBLE = bobble stitch

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CYLINDER BODY

Materials needed:

- ✓ 3 mm crochet hook
- ✓ pink cotton yarn

The body of the pig is crocheted in one piece.
Dividing it into body parts only helps transparency,
the rows should be worked in a continuous rounds.



FACE

R1: MR with 6sc	(6)
R2: [inc(2sc)] *6	(12)
R3: [1sc, inc(2sc)] *6	(18)
R4: 1sc; inc(2sc); [2sc, inc(2sc)] *5; 1sc	(24)
R5: [3sc; inc(2sc)] *6	(30)
R6: 30sc	(30)
R7: BLO: 30sc	(30)

EARS

R8: 10sc; FLO (first ear): [1slst; inc(3dc +2ch then crochet from the 2nd ch from the hook 1 slst; 2 dc; 1 hdc); 1 slst]; in both loops: 4sc; FLO (second ear): [1slst; inc(3dc +2ch then crochet from the 2nd ch from the hook 1 slst; 2 dc; 1 hdc; 1 slst)]; from here in both loops 10sc (30 BLO)



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CYLINDER BODY

FRONT LEGS

R9: 10sc; crochet in BLO of R8: 3 sc; in both loops: 4 sc; crochet in BLO of R8: 3 sc; from here in both loops: 7sc;

BOBBLE (4tr); 2sc (30)

R10: 2sc; BOBBLE (4tr); 27sc (30)

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BODY

R11-16: 30sc (30)

BACK LEGS

R17: 28sc; BOBBLE (4tr); 1sc (30)

R18: 3sc; BOBBLE (4tr); 26sc (30)

R19: (3sc; inv-sc2tog) *6 (24)

R20: 24sc (24)

R21: BLO: 24sc (24)

R22: 1sc; inv-sc2tog; (2sc; inv-sc2tog)*5; 1sc (18)

R23: (1sc; inv-sc2tog)*6 (12)

R24: (inv-sc2tog)*6 (12)

TAIL

Continue the last round!

R25: 3slst + (tail) 13ch, then crochet from the 2nd ch from the hook: (2slst; slst2tog)*4; 1slst

Fasten off as usual.

Twist the tail a little to make it curl!

[Illustration 3: Crocheting the tail](#)



NOSE

Materials needed:

- ✓ 3 mm crochet hook
- ✓ dark pink cotton yarn

R1: Pick up 4 ch, then crochet from the 2nd ch from the hook : inc(2sc); 1sc; inc(3sc); (continue working on the other side of the chain) 1 sc; inc(2sc) (9)



Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing!

Notes: Sew the nose onto the face, between the R1 and R2. Place the nose down from the centre of the magic ring so that the top of the nose touches the centre of the MR. Sew it on around the stitches. Cut the yarn and hide the yarn tail.

To sew on the nose, you can use [my video tutorial](#), available for free and public, on how to sew embellishments on amigurumi. You can find the video [on my YouTube channel!](#)

**CONGRATULATIONS!
YOUR CYLINDER PIG IS READY!**



Illustration 1: Crocheting the ears (1)



Step 1: One ear includes 3 sts. Crochet 1 sl st in FLO of st 1. In the 2nd st comes an increase, there crochet more sts in the same FLO. Work 3 dc in the FLO of the 2nd stitch of the ear. After the 3rd dc, pick up 2 ch.



Step 2: Crochet from the 2nd ch from the hook 1 slst. Then return to the FLO where you have been crocheting and crochet the remaining sts of the ear: 2dc, 1hdc. Work 1 sl st again in FLO of 3rd st in ear. You are done with the first ear, do the same for the second.

Illustration 1: Crocheting the ears (2)



Step 3: When ears are finished, crochet along the R8. Then crochet 10 sc in R9 and find the BLOs behind the ears and crochet in BLOs 3sc (1sc in each BLO).



Step 4: Work the same way behind the other ear, then crochet along the R9. Now the ears is ready!

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Illustration 2: Crocheting the legs



Step 1: Each leg of the pig is a bubble pattern. Yarn over twice, then pull a loop from the next stitch in the round. Crochet down the first two loops on the hook. Leave the last loop on the hook. Make 3 more tr in the same way.



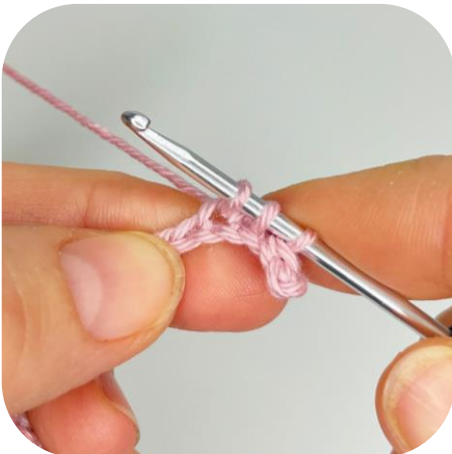
Step 2: When you have finished the 4 tr, there should be 5 loops on the needle. Crochet these 5 loops together. Crochet 1 sc in the next st, and you have made the first leg of your pig! Do the same way at the other legs!

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Illustration 3: Crocheting the tail



After the last round crochet 3 slst in the next round. Pick up 13 ch, then start crochet from the 2nd ch from the hook. Crochet 2 slst-s, then decrease the next two st with slst: pull a loop from the next st, and pull a loop the next one too!



With the last pulled loop crochet the two loops what are on the hook. Repeat this pattern twice: (2 slst, and an slst2tog). When you arrive the end of the ch-s, you need crochet one more slst in the next st. The teail is ready, then now fasten off, and hide the yarn tail.

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