



**CROCHET PATTERN**

# **Hollie the Rhino**

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## MATERIALS

2 skeins of Friends Cotton  
color sand (06) **A**  
1 skeins of Friends Cotton  
color Off White (02) **B**  
1 skeins of Friends Cotton  
color Bubblegum (38) **C**

Crochet hook 2,5 mm  
A piece of black yarn  
safety eyes 6 mm  
Stuffing  
Pins  
tapestry needle

## YARN QUALITY

 **Friends Cotton 8/4**, Hobbii  
100% Cotton/ 50 g (1.75 oz) = 160 m (175 yds)

## ABBREVIATIONS

**sc** - single crochet  
**dc** - double crochet  
**hdc** - half double crochet  
**bl** - back loop  
**sl st** - slip stitch  
**bo** - bobble stitch (4 unfinished dc in the  
same stitch, yarn over and pull through all  
loops on the hook)  
**inc** - increase: 2 sc in the same st  
**dec** - decrease: 2 sc together  
**(xx)** - the number of stitches after ended  
round  
**[ ]** - repeat instructions within brackets

## ABOUT THE PATTERN

Say hello to the cutest rhino, Hollie. She's wearing a pretty little dress and has topped it off with a bow. She would be the perfect hugging-buddy for a little boy or girl.

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## BUY THE YARN HERE

<http://shop.hobbii.com/hollie-the-rhino>

## QUESTIONS

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Happy Crafting!



# Pattern



## Head

Color: **A**

Rnd 1: Start with a magic ring. 6 sc in the magic ring

Rnd 2: inc x6 (12)

Rnd 3: [1 sc, inc] x6 (18)

Rnd 4: [2 sc, inc] x6 (24)

Rnd 5: [3 sc, inc] x6 (30)

Rnd 6: [4 sc, inc] x6 (36)

Rnd 7: [5 sc, inc] x6 (42)

Rnds 8-10: 1 sc in each st (42)

Rnd 11: 10 sc, 1 bo, 12 sc, 1 bo, 18 sc (42)

Rnds 12-14: 1 sc in each st (42)

Rnd 15: [5 sc, dec] x6 (36)

Rnd 16: [4 sc, dec] x6 (30)

Rnd 17: [4 sc, inc] x6 (36)

Rnd 18: [5 sc, inc] x6 (42)

Rnd 19: 1 sc in each st (42)

Rnd 20: [6 sc, inc] x6 (48)

Rnd 21: 1 sc in each st (48)

Rnd 22: [7 sc, inc] x6 (54)

Rnd 23: 1 sc in each st (54)

Rnd 24: [8 sc, inc] x6 (60)

Rnd 25: 1 sc in each st (60)

Rnd 26: [9 sc, inc] x6 (66)

Rnds 27-30: 1 sc in each st (66)

Now, attach the safety eyes with 5 stitches in between. Attach them between rounds 17 and 18. Then sew the eyelashes as you like. I did it with a small piece of black embroidery yarn split in half and made 1 short and 2 long eyelashes sewn on at Hollie's eyes.

Rnd 31: [9 sc, dec] x6 (60)

Rnd 32: [8 sc, dec] x6 (54)

Rnd 33: [7 sc, dec] x6 (48)

Rnd 34: [6 sc, dec] x6 (42)

Rnd 35: [5 sc, dec] x6 (36)

Rnd 36: [4 sc, dec] x6 (30)

Rnd 37: [3 sc, dec] x6 (24)

Now, stuff the head.

Rnd 38: [2 sc, dec] x6 (18)

Rnd 39: [1 sc, dec] x6 (12)

And stuff the head one last time.

Rnd 40: dec x6 (6)

Now, sew together the last 6 sts. Sew through the front loop of each of the 6 sts. Pull the thread to close the hole and weave in the end.

## Ear

(make 2)

Color: **015 Grey**

Rnd 1: Start with a magic ring. 6 sc in the magic ring

Rnd 2: inc x6 (12)

Rnd 3: [1 sc, inc] x6 (18)

Rnd 4: [2 sc, inc] x6 (24)

Finish with a sl st.

Cut off the yarn but be careful to leave a long tail for sewing the ear onto the head.

## Horn

(large)

Color: **A**

Rnd 1: Start with a magic ring. 3 sc in the magic ring

Rnd 2: inc x6 (6)

Rnd 3: 1 sc in each st (6)

Rnd 4: [1 sc, inc] x3 (9)

Rnd 5: 1 sc in each st (9)

Rnd 6: [2 sc, inc] x3 (12)

Rnds 7-9: 1 sc in each st (12)

Cut off the yarn but be careful to leave a long tail for sewing the horn onto the head.

## Horn

(small)

Color: **A**

Rnd 1: Start with a magic ring. 3 sc in the magic ring

Rnd 2: inc x3 (6)

Rnd 3: 1 sc in each st (6)

Rnd 4: [1 sc, inc] x3 (9)

Rnds 5-6: 1 sc in each st (9)

Cut off the yarn but be careful to leave a long tail for sewing the horn onto the head.

## Legs

(make 2)

Color: **A**

Rnd 1: Start with a magic ring. 6 sc in the magic ring

Rnd 2: inc x6 (12)

Rnd 3: [1 sc, inc] x6 (18)

Rnd 4: [2 sc, inc] x6 (24)

Rnd 5: 1 sc in each st (24)

Rnd 6: 5 sc, [1 bo, 1 sc] x3, 13 sc (24)

Rnds 7-9: 1 sc in each st (24)

Rnd 10: [2 sc, dec] x6 (18)

Rnds 11-24: 1 sc in each st (18)

Cut off the yarn but be careful to leave a long tail for sewing the leg on to the body.

## Arms

(make 2)

Color: **A**

Rnd 1: Start with a magic ring. 6 sc in the magic ring

Rnd 2: inc x6 (12)

Rnd 3: [1 sc, inc] x6 (18)

Rnd 4: 1 sc in each st (18)

Rnd 5: 3 sc, [1 bo, 1 sc] x3, 9 sc (18)

Rnd 6: 1 sc in each st (18)

Rnd 7: [7 sc, dec] x2 (16)

Rnds 8-17: 1 sc in each st (16)

Rnd 18: [6 sc, dec] x2 (14)

Rnds 19-21: 1 sc in each st (14)

Cut off the yarn but be careful to leave a long tail for sewing the arm on to the body.

## Body

Color: **A**

Rnd 1: Start with a magic ring. 6 sc in the magic ring

Rnd 2: inc x6 (12)

Rnd 3: [1 sc, inc] x6 (18)

Rnd 4: [2 sc, inc] x6 (24)

Rnd 5: [3 sc, inc] x6 (30)

Rnd 6: [4 sc, inc] x6 (36)

Rnd 7: [5 sc, inc] x6 (42)

Rnd 8: [6 sc, inc] x6 (48)

Rnd 9: [7 sc, inc] x6 (54)

Rnd 10: [8 sc, inc] x6 (60)

Rnd 11: [9 sc, inc] x6 (66)

Rnds 12-19: 1 sc in each st (66)

Rnd 20: [9 sc, dec] x6 (60)

Rnd 21: 1 sc in each st (60)

Rnd 22: 1 sc bl in each st (60)

Rnd 23: 1 sc in each st (60)

Rnd 24: [8 sc, dec] x6 (54)

Rnds 25-27: 1 sc in each st (54)

I find it easiest to make the dress on Hollie at this step and then continue the body afterwards. However, you can also make the dress when the body is finished.

Rnd 28: [7 sc, dec] x6 (48)

Rnds 29-31: 1 sc in each st (48)

Rnd 32: [6 sc, dec] x6 (42)

Rnds 33-35: 1 sc in each st (42)

Begin stuffing the body.

Rnd 36: [5 sc, dec] x6 (36)

Rnds 37-39: 1 sc in each st (36)

Rnd 40: [4 sc, dec] x6 (30)

Rnds 41-42: 1 sc in each st (30)

Rnd 43: [3 sc, dec] x6 (24)

Rnd 44: 1 sc in each st (24)

Stuff the body well.

Cut off the yarn but be careful to leave a long tail for sewing the head onto the body.

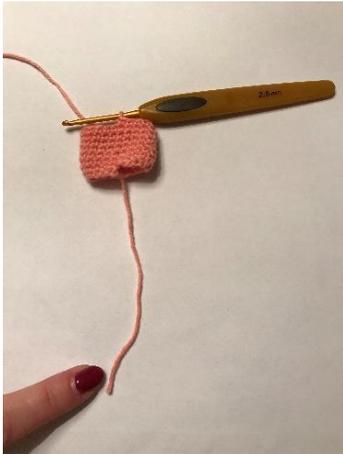
## Bow

Color: **C**

Rnd 1: Ch 20, join into a ring with 1 sc.

Rnds 2-7: 1 sc in each st (20)

Weave in the end from when you cast on.



1. The finger points at the end that you need to weave in.  
Cut off the yarn but leave a LONG tail for making the middle part of the bow.  
Now, fold the round piece flat leaving the tail in the middle so that it can be wound around the piece and form a bow.



2. The picture shows how to fold the flat piece. Wind the tail around the round piece and tighten to make it narrower in the middle part and thus form a bow.



3. The picture shows how to wind the tail around the flat piece.  
Weave in the end thoroughly on the back side and leave a tail for sewing the bow onto the head.



## Dress

Color: **C**

Insert the hook on the back (where the beginning and end of rnd 21 meet) in the front loop of rnd 21. Hollie's bottom must point away from you and Hollie's neck towards you. Pull the yarn through the front loop and work 1 sc.



The picture shows where to insert the hook to begin making Hollie's dress.

I did it in the front loop where the beginning and end of rnd 21 meet and after having crocheted the body through rnd 26.

Rnd 1: 1 sc in each st (60). When you reach the end of the round make 1 sc in the st where you pulled the yarn through to begin making the dress. This sc replaces the st you made at the beginning meaning that you now have 60 sts.

Rnd 2: 2 hdc in each st (120)

Rnd 3: 1 sc in each st (120)

Rnd 4: [1 hdc, 2 hdc in next st] x 60 (180)

1 sl st in the first st, cut the yarn and weave in ends.

## Assembling

### Horns

Stuff a bit of stuffing into the horns. Sew the horns onto the head. Place the large horn between the nostrils and the other one 3 rows above the eyes. Weave in ends thoroughly.

### Ears

Sew the ears onto Hollie's head with 12 stitches in between. Place the ears on the broadest part of the head. Weave in ends thoroughly.

### Legs

Put the stuffing into the legs. Stuff the bottom of the leg well and a little less in the actual leg. Leave a small space at the top without stuffing. Place the legs under the tummy. They should point outward a bit. Sew on the legs about 8 rounds from the beginning of the body. Weave in ends thoroughly.

### Arms

Stuff the arms with stuffing. Stuff the bottom of the arm well and a little less in the actual arm. Stop nearly before reaching the top. Sew on the arms about 2 rounds from the top of the neck. Weave in ends thoroughly.



### **Head**

The head must point downwards a little. It can be helpful to pin the head to the body first. Sew through the stitches of the body and then through the head. And finally, put some extra stuffing into the neck before closing it completely to avoid a wobbly head. Weave in ends thoroughly.

### **Bow**

Sew the bow onto the head. Place the bow diagonally on the front of the left ear.

### **Tail**

Finally, plait a small tail and sew it on the back of the body just beneath the dress.

### **Enjoy!**

Name