



### **CROCHET PATTERN**

# Anita Octopus

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#### MATERIALS

Friends Cotton 8/6:

1 skein of color 16 1 skein of color 80 1 skein of color 03 1 skein of color 40 1 skein of color 51 1 skein of color 124 1 skein of Glitter Deluxe - Pure Gold (18135)

Crochet hook 2.75 mm / US C2 2 safety eyes 8 mm Stuffing Tapestry needle

**YARN QUALITY Friends Cotton 8/6**, Hobbii 100% Cotton 50 g / 1.75 oz = 105 m / 115 yds

**Glitter Deluxe 30g**, Go Handmade 100% Polyester 30 g / 1.1 oz. = 1200-1800 m / 1950-2300 yds

#### ABBREVIATIONS

BLO = back loop only ch = chain dec = decrease FLO = front loop only hdc = half double crochet inc = increase mr = magic ring sc = single crochet slst= slip stitch st = stitch Rnd = round **SIZE** One size

**MEASUREMENTS** Height: Approx. 20 cm / 7.9"

#### PATTERN INFORMATION

Anita Octopus is an intermediate project, worked in a continuous spiral. To keep track of the rounds you may use a stitch marker or safety pin to mark the beginning of a round. The head and the body are worked in a single piece. Anita Octopus also has 2 accessories: a hoodie and two pairs of boots. Remember that it's always advisable to give the entire pattern a read before starting crocheting and, most importantly, be patient with yourself!

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#### QUESTIONS

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Happy Crafting!



## Pattern



#### **INFO AND TIPS**

Head and body are worked in one piece.

Some parts are worked with two strands in order to create a blend of colors. One is made by using color (80) and Glitter Deluxe, Pure Gold, and the other is made by using color (51) and Glitter Deluxe, Pure Gold.

#### **CHEEKS (make 2)**

Work with color (51) Rnd 1: 8 sc in mr [8] Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

#### **HEAD AND BODY**

Start with color (16) Rnd 1: 6 sc in mr [6] Rnd 2: inc in all 6 st [12] Rnd 3: (sc in next st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [18] Rnd 4: (sc in next 2 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [24] Rnd 5: (sc in next 3 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [30] Rnd 6: (sc in next 4 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [36] Rnd 7: (sc in next 5 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [42] Rnd 8: (sc in next 6 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [48] Rnd 9: (sc in next 7 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [54] Rnd 10-24: sc in all 54 st [54] Rnd 25: (sc in next 1 st, dec) repeat 18 times [36] Rnd 26: sc in all 36 st [36] Rnd 27: (sc in next st, dec) repeat 12 times [24] Embroider the mouth with black yarn between rounds 19 and 20. Embroider the mouth on the opposite side of the start of the round. Insert the safety eyes between rounds 18 and 19, about 3 stitches away from the mouth. Sew the cheeks behind the safety eyes. Stuff the head firmly with fiberfill. Change to color (03) and continue working in a stripe pattern, alternating one round in color (03) and one round in color (80). Rnd 28-34: sc in all 24 st [24] Rnd 35: BLO (sc in next 2 st, dec) repeat 6 times [18]



Stuff the body.Rnd 36: (sc in next st, dec) repeat 6 times [12]Rnd 37: dec 6 times [6]Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Using a tapestry needle, weave the yarn tail through the front loop of each remaining stitch and pull tight to close. Weave in the yarn end.

#### SKIRT

Join color (80) in the last front loop stitch of round 35 of the body and continue working the skirt: Rnd 1: FLO, (sc in next st, inc in next st) repeat 12 times [36]. Change to color (03) and continue working in a stripe pattern, alternating one round in color 03 and one round in color (80). Rnd 2: (sc in next 5 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [42]. Rnd 3: sc in all 42 st [42] Rnd 4: (sc in next 6 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [48]. Rnd 5-6: sc in all 48 st [48] Rnd 7: slst in all 48 st [48] Fasten off, weave in the yarn end.

#### ARMS (make 2)

Start with color (16) Rnd 1: 8 sc in mr [8] Rnd 2-12: sc in all 8 st [8] Change to color 03 and continue working in a stripe pattern, alternating one round in color (03) and one round in color (80). Rnd 13-17: sc in all 8 st [8] Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff with fiberfill. Sew the arms to both sides, between rounds 27 and 28.

#### LEGS (make 4)

Start with color (16) Rnd 1: 8 sc in mr [8] Rnd 2-20: sc in all 8 st [8] Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff with fiberfill. Sew the legs to the bottom of the body, between rounds 35 and 37.

#### **BOOTS (make 4)**

Work with color (51) and Glitter "Deluxe" Pure Gold. Ch 6. Stitches are worked around both sides of the foundation chain. Rnd 1: start in second ch from the hook, inc in this st, sc in next 3 st, 4 sc in last st. Continue on the other side of the foundation chain, sc in next 3 st, inc in last st [14] Rnd 2: inc in next 2 st, sc in next 4 st, inc in next 3 st, sc in next 4 st, inc in last st [20] Rnd 3: BLO sc in next 9 st, dec 2 times, sc in next 7 st [18] Rnd 4: sc in next 6 st, dec 4 times, sc in next 4 st [14] Rnd 5: sc in next 6 st, dec 2 times, sc in next 4 st [12] Rnd 6-7: sc in all 12 st [12] Rnd 8: slst in all 12 st [12] Fasten off, weave in the yarn end. Join color (51) and Glitter "Deluxe" Pure Gold in the last front loop stitch of round 3 and FLO slst in all 20 st. Fasten off, weave in the yarn end.



#### HOOD

Work with color (80) and Glitter "Deluxe" Pure Gold
Ch 26. The first row is crocheted around both sides of the foundation chain. Then crochet hdc in rows.
Row 1: start in third ch from the hook, hdc in next 23 st, 4 hdc in last chain. Continue on the other side of the foundation chain, hdc in next 23 st, ch 2, turn [50]
Row 2-10: BLO hdc in all 50 st, ch 2, turn [50]
Row 11: BLO hdc in all 50 st, ch 1, turn [50]
Row 12: slst in all 50 st [50]
Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

#### SCARF

Work with color (80) and Glitter "Deluxe" Pure Gold Ch 102. Crochet in rows Row 1: start in third ch from the hook, hdc in next 100 st, ch 2, turn [100] Row 2: BLO hdc in all 100 st [100] Fasten off and weave in the yarn ends.

#### POMPONS

#### **Big pompon**

Start with color (40) Rnd 1: 6 sc in mr [6] Change to color (03) Rnd 2: inc in all 6 st [12] Continue in a stripe pattern, changing color every round, alternating color (03) and color (40) Rnd 3: (sc in next st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [18] Rnd 4: (sc in next 2 st, inc in next st) repeat 6 times [24] Rnd 5-9: sc in all 24 st [24] Rnd 10: (sc in next 2 st, dec) repeat 6 times [18] Rnd 11: (sc in next st, dec) repeat 6 times [12] Stuff lightly. Rnd 12: dec 6 times [6] Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

#### Small pompons (make 2)

Start with color (40)
Rnd 1: 6 sc in mr [6]
Change to color (03)
Rnd 2: inc in all 6 st [12]
Continue in a stripe pattern, changing color every round, alternating color (03) and color (40).
Rnd 3-4: sc in all 12 st
Stuff lightly.
Rnd 5: dec 6 times [6]
Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.



#### ASSEMBLY

Identify the center of both the hood and the scarf/straps. Position and pin the hood on the center of the scarf so that there are about 32 stitches remaining on each side. Sew the hood to the scarf/straps.

Sew the big pompom to the top of the hood and the small pompoms to each end of the straps.

**Enjoy!** Yan Schenkel

