CROCHET PATTERN

Sea Otter

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MATERIALS

Friends Cotton 8/8
A: 1 skein of Cappuccino (10)
B: 1 skein of Beige (05)

Crochet hook size: 4 mm / US 6
Black embroidery thread
Yarn needle
2 safety eyes, 9 mm
Stuffing

YARN QUALITY

3 Friends Cotton 8/8, Hobbii
100% Cotton
50 g / 1.75 oz = 75 m / 82 yds

SIZE

One size. Varying yarns and tension may alter the finished size.

MEASUREMENTS

Height: Approx. 15 cm / 6" tall

PATTERN INFORMATION

This amigurumi pattern is inspired by the sea otter, a marine mammal that is native to the coasts of the Pacific Ocean.

The legs, arms and body are designed to be crocheted together in one piece so that no sewing is required. Step-by-step photos will guide you through the process.

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QUESTIONS

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Happy Crafting!

Pattern

ABBREVIATIONS

US terminology
ch = chain
sc = single crochet
st = stitch
sl st = slip stitch
inc = increase by working two single crochet in the same stitch
dec = decrease by single crocheting two stitches together
tbl = crochet through the back loops
pm = place marker
R# - round number
"(sc 1, inc) # times" = repeat instructions in the parentheses the indicated number of times
(#) = number of stitches in the current round

INFO AND NOTES

Instructions in square brackets […] are performed into the same stitch.
pm = place marker (you can use a stitch marker or a scrap of contrasting yarn)

HEAD

Use yarn B.

R1	With B, sc 6 in magic ring (6)
R2	inc in each st around (12)
R3	(sc 1, inc) six times (18)
R4	(sc 2, inc) six times (24)
R5	(sc 3, inc) six times (30)
R6	sc in each st around (30)
R7	sc in each st around (30)
R8	sc in each st around (30)
R9	sc in each st around (30)

R10	sc 8, inc, inc, sc 10, inc, inc, sc 8 (34)
R11	sc 13, **pm**, sc 2, inc, sc 2, inc, sc 2, **pm**, sc 13 (36)
R12	sc in each st around (36)
R13	(sc 4, dec) six times (30)
R14	(sc 3, dec) six times (24)
R15	(sc 2, dec) six times (18)

Insert the safety eyes into the stitches where you placed the markers in **R11**.

Cut a long strand of the yarn A (about 10 cm / 4"). Embroider a nose on **R10** that is two stitches wide between the eyes. Embroider 3 or 4 loops over the same spot to get the size of nose that you prefer.

| **R16** | (sc 1, dec) six times (12) |
| **R17** | dec six times (6) |

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a short yarn tail and weave in the yarn tail. Stuff the head with polyester filling.

EAR (Make 2)

Use yarn A.

| **R1** | Sc 6 in magic ring (6) |
| **R2** | (sc 1, inc) three times (9) |

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

The ear does not require stuffing.

ARM (Make 2)

Use yarn A.

R1	Sc 6 in magic ring (6)
R2	(sc 1, inc) three times (9)
R3	sc in each st around (9)
R4	sc in each st around (9)
R5	sc in each st around (9)
R6	sc 5, **pm**, sc 4 (9)

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a long yarn tail to be used later to attach to the body.

Stuff the arm with polyester filling.

LEFT FOOT

Use yarn A .

Chain 6.

R1	Skip the first chain from the hook, sc 4, inc, turn to work the other side of the chain, inc, sc 4 (12)

R2	sc in each st around (12)
R3	For this round, crochet into the back loops only, sc in st around (12)
R4	Return to crocheting into both loops, sc 2, dec, dec, dec, dec, sc 2 (8)
R5	(sc 2, dec) two times (6)
R6	sc 1, inc, sc 1, inc, sc 1, **pm**, inc (9)

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a short yarn tail and weave in the yarn tail.

Stuff the foot with polyester filling.

RIGHT FOOT AND BODY

Use yarn A.

Chain 6.

R1	Skip the first chain from the hook, sc 4, inc, turn to work the other side of the chain, inc, sc 4 (12)
R2	sc in each st around (12)
R3	For this round, crochet into the back loops only, sc in st around (12)
R4	Return to crocheting into both loops, sc 2, dec, dec, dec, dec, sc 2 (8)
R5	(sc 2, dec) two times (6)
R6	(sc 1, inc) three times (9)

Do not cut the yarn. In the next round, you will be joining the left foot and right foot and forming the body.

Stuff the foot with polyester filling.

You will now be crocheting the body. Continue crocheting from the right foot.

R7	On the right foot, sc 3, chain 2, insert the hook into the marker stitch of the left foot, sc 9 around the left foot, sc 2 into the front of the chain, sc 9 around the right foot, sc 2 into the back of the chain (22)
R8	(sc 10, inc) two times (24)
R9	sc in each st around (24)
R10	sc in each st around (24)
R11	(sc 4, dec) four times (20)
R12	sc in each st around (20)
R13	(sc 8, dec) two times (18)
R14	sc in each st around (18)
R15	(sc 7, dec) two times (16)
R16	sc in each st around (16)
R17	(sc 2, dec) four times (12)

In the next round, you will be attaching the arms to the body.

R18   sc 3 on the body, insert the hook into the marker stitch on the arm (photo 1), sc 4 on the arm (photo 2).

Skip two stitches on the body (photo 3), sc 4 on the body.
Insert the hook into the marker stitch on the other arm (photo 4), sc 4 on the arm, skip two stitches on the body, sc 1 (16)

Use the yarn tails from the arms to sew the arms to the body in the armpit areas (photo 5)

R19   sc in each st around (16)
R20   Switch to yarn B, (sc 2, dec) four times (12)
R21   (sc 4, dec) two times (10)

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

Stuff the body with polyester filling.

Photo 1

Photo 2

Photo 3

Photo 4

Photo 5

TAIL

Use yarn A.

R1   sc 6 in magic ring (6)
R2   (sc 1, inc) three times (9)
R3   sc in each st around (9)
R4   (sc 2, inc) three times (12)

R5	sc in each st around (12)
R6	sc in each st around (12)
R7	(sc 5, inc) two times (14)
R8	sc in each st around (14)
R9	sc in each st around (14)

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

Stuff the tail with polyester filling.

ASSEMBLY

Sew the ears to the head so that they are between **R5** and **R7** on the head.

Sew the head to the body.

Sew the tail to the back of the body.

Congratulations! You've completed your very own sea otter amigurumi!
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