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Small Amigurumi Teddy Bear Pattern

Finished Size & Skill Level

- About 5 in (13 cm) tall when seated
- **Skill level:** Beginner - magic ring, single crochet, increases, decreases, simple sewing
- **Time:** about 3-4 hours over one or two sittings

Materials

- **DK weight (#3) yarn:** about 60 yds (55 m) in your main color, plus a small amount of a contrast color for the muzzle
- **3.0 mm crochet hook**
- One pair of **8 mm safety eyes**
- Polyester fiberfill stuffing
- Stitch marker, yarn needle, scissors, pins for positioning
- Black embroidery thread for the nose and mouth

Gauge

Gauge is not critical for amigurumi. Work tightly enough that no stuffing shows through the stitches. If you can see fiberfill between stitches, switch to a smaller hook. With the listed materials, the head measures about 2.5 in (6.5 cm) across at its widest round.

Abbreviations (US Terms)

- **MR** = magic ring
- **sc** = single crochet (UK: dc)
- **inc** = increase: 2 sc in the same stitch
- **dec** = decrease: single crochet 2 stitches together (invisible decrease recommended)
- **sl st** = slip stitch | **ch** = chain | **st(s)** = stitch(es)

Work in a continuous spiral. Do not join rounds; move your stitch marker up each round.

Head

Round 1: 6 sc in MR. (6)

Round 2: Inc in each st around. (12)

Round 3: (Sc, inc) x 6. (18)

Round 4: (2 sc, inc) x 6. (24)

Round 5: (3 sc, inc) x 6. (30)

Rounds 6-10: Sc in each st around. (30)

Insert the 8 mm safety eyes between Rounds 8 and 9, about 6 stitches apart.

Round 11: (3 sc, dec) x 6. (24)

Round 12: (2 sc, dec) x 6. (18)

Stuff the head firmly, shaping the cheeks.

Round 13: (Sc, dec) x 6. (12)

Round 14: Dec in each st around. (6)

Fasten off. Thread the tail through the front loops of the last 6 stitches, pull tight to close, and weave in the end.

Body

Round 1: 6 sc in MR. (6)

Round 2: Inc in each st around. (12)

Round 3: (Sc, inc) x 6. (18)

Round 4: (2 sc, inc) x 6. (24)

Rounds 5-8: Sc in each st around. (24)

Round 9: (2 sc, dec) x 6. (18)

Round 10: Sc in each st around. (18)

Stuff the body firmly.

Round 11: (Sc, dec) x 6. (12)

Round 12: Dec in each st around. (6)

Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Close as for the head, then sew the head to the body with the tail.

Ears (Make 2)

Round 1: 6 sc in MR. (6)

Round 2: Inc in each st around. (12)

Rounds 3-4: Sc in each st around. (12)

Flatten the ear. Working through both layers, sc 6 across to close. Fasten off, leaving a tail for sewing.

Pin the ears to the top sides of the head and sew securely.

Muzzle

With the contrast color:

Round 1: 6 sc in MR. (6)

Round 2: Inc in each st around. (12)

Round 3: (Sc, inc) x 6. (18)

Round 4: Sc in each st around. (18)

Fasten off, leaving a tail. Sew the muzzle to the lower front of the head, centered below the eyes. With black embroidery thread, stitch a small triangle nose and a short vertical line with a curved smile beneath it.

Arms (Make 2)

Round 1: 6 sc in MR. (6)

Round 2: (Sc, inc) x 3. (9)

Rounds 3-6: Sc in each st around. (9)

Stuff the hand end lightly. Flatten the opening and, working through both layers, sc 4 across to close. Fasten off, leaving a tail. Sew one arm to each side of the body.

Legs (Make 2)

Round 1: 6 sc in MR. (6)

Round 2: Inc in each st around. (12)

Round 3: (Sc, inc) x 6. (18)

Rounds 4-5: Sc in each st around. (18)

Round 6: (Sc, dec) x 6. (12)

Round 7: Sc in each st around. (12)

Stuff the foot firmly. Flatten the opening and, working through both layers, sc 6 across to close. Fasten off, leaving a tail. Sew one leg to each side of the lower body so the bear sits upright.

Assembly & Finishing

- Sew in this order: head to body, ears, muzzle, arms, legs. Pin every piece in place first so the bear is symmetrical.
- Weave in all remaining ends, hiding them deep inside the body.
- Give the cheeks a gentle squeeze to shape them after assembly.

Safety note: safety eyes are not suitable for children under 3. For babies and toddlers, embroider the eyes instead.