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'LUCKY', THE CHIHUAHUA
dog amigurumi

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SUPPLIES

Crochet hook H/5.0mm
12mm safety eyes
18mm animal nose
Fiberfill stuffing
Yarn needle
Stitch marker
#4 worsted weight yarn

YARN USED

Red Heart Soft:

Wheat (Tan)
White

NOTES

- Please read through the entire pattern before you start.
- Finished size: Chihuahua measures approx. 7.25˝ tall.
- Use a stitch marker to mark the beginning / end of rounds.
- Gauge is not essential as long as you keep your tension consistent.
- Please use felt or embroidery thread for the eyes if giving to young children or pets as safety eyes can be a choking hazard.
- Alternative to magic ring: Ch 2, work 6 sc (or # of sts noted in Round 1) in 2nd ch from hook. Then, continue on in rounds as noted in the pattern. Search YouTube for video tutorials.

PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS

Head

- This pattern is designed to specifically resemble the Chihuahua named 'Lucky' as in the featured photo, including the little 'horns' on his head!
- This pattern is meant for you to use as a guide to make your own Chihuahua. You will have to make adjustments to make the dog look like your own. If you'd like to make it a single color with no design on the head, keep increasing after Round 4 until your desired head size, then sc evenly for a few rounds before decreasing to finish.
- Work in continuous rounds, do not join or turn unless noted in pattern.
- Lucky is worked in two main colors, white (noted as w below) and tan (noted as t below, in brown).

With white yarn, work magic ring, ch 1 to secure ring.

Round 1: Work 6 sc in magic ring (6)

Round 2: 2 sc in each st around (12)

Round 3: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next st*; rep from * - * around (18)

Round 4: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 2 sts*; rep from * - * around (24)

Rounds 5-7: 1 sc in each st around (24)

Round 8:
w – 2 sc in each of next 3 sts
t - *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next st*, rep from * - * 2 more times
w – 1 sc in next 5 sts
t - *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next st*, rep from * - * 2 more times
w - *1 sc in next st, 2 sc in next st*, rep from * - * 1 time (35)

Round 9:
w – 1 sc in next 5 sts
t - 1 sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next 4 sts
t - 2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next 5 sts (38)

Round 10:
w – 1 sc, sc2tog, 1 sc
t - 1 sc in next 14 sts
w – 1 sc in next 3 sts
t - 1 sc in next 13 sts
w – 1 sc, sc2tog, 1 sc (36)

Round 11:
w – 1 sc in next 3 sts
t - 2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 13 sts
w – sc2tog, 1 sc
t - 2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 11 sts, 2 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next 3 sts (38)

Round 12:
w – 1 sc in next 3 sts
t - 1 sc in next 15 sts
w – 1 sc in next 2 sts
t - 1 sc in next 15 sts
w – 1 sc in next 3 sts (38)

Round 13:
w – 1 sc in next 2 sts
t - 1 sc in next 16 sts
w – sc2tog
t - 1 sc in next 16 sts
w – 1 sc in next st
t - 1 sc in next st (37)

Round 14:
t - 1 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next st
t - 1 sc in next 16 sts
w – 1 sc in next st
t - 1 sc in next 16 sts
w – 1 sc in next st
t - 1 sc in next st (37)

Round 15:
t - 1 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next st
t – [*1 sc, sc2tog*, rep from * - * 4 more times], 1 sc in next 3 sts, [*1 sc, sc2tog*, rep from * - * 4 more times]
w – 1 sc in next st
t - 1 sc in next st (27)

Round 16:
t - 1 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next st
t – 1 sc in next st, [*1 sc, sc2tog*, rep from * - * 6 more times], 1 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next st
t - 1 sc in next st (20)

Round 17:
t - 1 sc in next st
w – 1 sc in next st
t – 1 sc in next 2 sts, [*1 sc, sc2tog*, rep from * - * 3 more times], 1 sc in next 4 sts (16)

Flip head inside out and place safety eyes between Rounds 8 & 9, about 6 - 7 sts apart.

You may cut off the white yarn as the rest will only be tan yarn. I also like to start making the snout at this point, then put on the animal nose, sew the snout to the head and stuff with fiberfill before continuing to Round 18 to close up the head.

Round 18: t – *1 sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog*, rep from * - * 3 more times (12)

Round 19: t – sc2tog around (6)

Fasten off and weave ends through last 6 sts to close up the head.

Snout

With white yarn, work magic ring, ch 1 to secure ring.

Round 1: Work 6 sc in magic ring (6)

Round 2: 2 sc in each st around (12)

Round 3: *1 sc in next st, 2 sc in next 2 sts, 1 sc in next st*, rep from * - * around (18)

Round 4: 1 sc in each st around (18)

Round 5: sc2tog 3 times, 1 sc in next 6 sts, sc2tog 3 times (12)

Sl st in next st. Fasten off and leave a long yarn tail.

Lightly stuff snout and sew on head as pictured.

Ears (make 2)

With tan yarn, work magic ring, ch 1 to secure ring.

Round 1: Work 6 sc in magic ring (6)

Round 2: 1 sc in each st around (6)

Round 3: 2 sc in each st around (12)

Rounds 4-6: 1 sc in each st around (12)

Round 7: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 5 sts*, rep from * - * around (14)

Rounds 8-10: 1 sc in each st around (14)

Sl st in next st. Fasten off and leave a yarn tail for sewing.

Body

With white yarn, work magic ring, ch 1 to secure ring.

Round 1: Work 6 sc in magic ring (6)

Round 2: 2 sc in each st around (12)

Round 3: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 2 sts*, rep from * - * around (16)

Round 4: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 3 sts*, rep from * - * around (20)

Round 5: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 4 sts*, rep from * - * around (24)

Round 6: *2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next 5 sts*, rep from * - * around (28)

Rounds 7-15: 1 sc in each st around (28)

Round 16: *sc2tog, 1 sc in next 5 sts*, rep from * - * around (24)

Round 17: *sc2tog, 1 sc in next 4 sts*, rep from * - * around (20)

Round 18: *sc2tog, 1 sc in next 3 sts*, rep from * - * around (16)

Round 19: *sc2tog, 1 sc in next 2 sts*, rep from * - * around (12)

Fasten off and leave a yarn tail for sewing.

Front Legs (make 2)

With white yarn, work magic ring, ch 1 to secure ring.

Round 1: Work 6 sc in magic ring (6)

Round 2: 2 sc in each st around (12)

Round 3: 1 sc in each st around (12)

Round 4: *sc2tog, 1 sc in next 2 sts*, rep from * - * around (9)

Rounds 5-10: 1 sc in each st around (9)

Round 11: *sc2tog, 1 sc in next 2 sts*, rep from * - * around, 1 sc in next st (7)

Fasten off. Lightly stuff legs and sew on to body.

Back Legs (make 2)

With white yarn, work magic ring, ch 1 to secure ring.

Round 1: Work 5 sc in magic ring (5)

Round 2: 2 sc in each st around (10)

Round 3: 1 sc in each st around (10)

Round 4: *sc2tog, 1 sc in next 3 sts*, rep from * - * around (8)

Rounds 5-7: 1 sc in each st around (8)

Fasten off. Lightly stuff legs and sew on to body.

Tail

With white yarn, work magic ring, ch 1 to secure ring.

Round 1: Work 5 sc in magic ring (5)

Rounds 2-13: 1 sc in each st around (5)

Change color at around Round 6 if you like.

Round 14: sc2tog, 1 sc in next 3 sts (4)

Round 15: sc2tog, sc2tog (2)

Round 16: sc2tog (1)

Sl st in next st. Fasten off and sew on to body.

There is no need to stuff the tail.

Scarf

Start with foundation single crochet (fsc) 100. **fsc tutorial here**.

Ch 1, turn. 1 sc in each st across.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Using crochet thread, embroider on name of Chihuahua.

Optional

You may add `spots' to the dog by making ovals or circles.

Sample ovals are made using the magic ring such as making 6 sc in a magic ring, increase, then increasing only on the two side stitches.

Enjoy!

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U.S.		U.K.	
ch	chain	ch	chain
sl st	slip stitch	ss	slip stitch
sc	single crochet	dc	double crochet
hdc	half double crochet	htr	half treble crochet
dc	double crochet	tr	treble crochet
tr	treble crochet	dtr	double treble crochet
dtr	double treble crochet	ttr	triple treble crochet
sc2tog	work 2 sc together	dc2tog	work 2 dc together
hdc2tog	work 2 hdc together	htr2tog	work 2 htr together
FLO	front loop only		
BLO	back loop only		
st(s)	stitch(es)		
rep * - *	repeat instructions from * to * as directed		
"	inch(es)		
gauge		tension	
skip		miss	