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Crochet Pattern

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Skill level: Experienced

Slow Loris

About this pattern

The toy is crocheted in continuous spirals without joining the rounds. You will need a stitch marker to keep track of where the beginning of each round starts. Move the marker up to the first stitch of the next round after finishing the previous one.
If you don't have a stitch marker you can always use a scrap of contrasting yarn instead. You can see it in my photos.

I use USA terminology for my pattern (don't worry if you use UK terms, all the differences are explained in the pattern).

Finished size

Approx. 17 cm (6.7 inches) tall using the materials stated in the pattern.

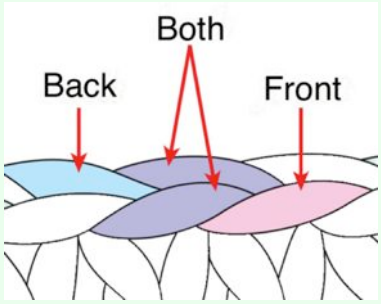
Happy crocheting!

Materials and tools

- ✓ **Yarn**:
  - white color - any yarn moderately fluffy to see the stitches. I recommend that you use yarn 500-600m/100g.
  - brown color – small amount (for the eyelids)
- ✓ Crochet hook. I used 1.5 mm (approximately US steel hook 8, UK steel hook 4 ½).
- ✓ Two big round marbles (you can use glass round buttons) – I used yellow marbles (I painted the back side with black glass paint) approximately 15 mm in diameter.
- ✓ Single core copper electrical wire for the wire frame – **optional** (you will need approximately 150 cm (59 inches) of wire 1 mm in diameter). **I didn't make wire frame for my toy** but instructions are given.
- ✓ Tapestry needle.
- ✓ Strong thread for tightenings.
- ✓ Stuffing.
- ✓ Transparent glue.
- ✓ Any material for tinting (oil pastel, acrylic paints, etc.) – different tints of brown.
- ✓ Velcro or brush to brush up the toy (optional).

Tip (make it right)

If there are no special notes, the toy is crocheted under both parts of the loop. In some rows, there are special notes: 'into the front loop only' or 'into the back loop only'. In that case, you need to follow these instructions.



Tip (make it right)

When making toys the right side looks like this:

And the backside looks like this:

Abbreviations

ch(s) = chain(s)
st(s) = stitch(es)
sl st = slip stitch
sc(s) = single crochet(s)
inc(s) = increasing(s) (2 sc in 1 st)
dec(s) = decreasing(s) (sc2tog)
sc2tog = single crochet two stitches together
rnd = round

If there is a record in the brackets in the pattern, multiplied by some number, for example (3 sc, 1 inc) x 3, it means you need to repeat this action 3 times, that is 3 sc, 1 inc, 3 sc, 1 inc, 3 sc, 1 inc.

TIP (yarn and wire)

If you use different yarn, the toy will be bigger or smaller and you will need more or less yarn and wire than stated in the pattern (i.e. thicker yarn will produce a larger toy and you may require more yarn and wire).

If you decide to use thicker yarn you should buy thicker wire as well. The thicker your yarn the taller the toy will be.

Tip (gauge)

When making toys, you should use a much smaller hook than recommended for the yarn you choose.
Make sure you crochet tight enough; otherwise, the stuffing will show through the holes.

USA/UK terminology comparison chart.

Abbreviations USA	Abbreviations UK
ch - chain	ch - chain
sc - single crochet	dc - double crochet
hdc - half double crochet	htr - half treble
dc - double crochet	tr - treble
tr - treble (triple crochet)	dtr - double treble
dtr - double treble	tr tr - triple treble
sl st - slip stitch	sl - slip stitch

Other differences in crochet terminology used:

Terminology USA	Terminology UK
fasten off	cast off
skip	miss
gauge	tension
yarn over (yo)	yarn over hook (yoh)

Skill levels

Projects for first-time crocheters using basic stitches. Minimal shaping.

Projects using yarn with basic stitches, repetitive stitch patterns, simple color changes, and simple shaping and finishing.

Projects using a variety of techniques, such as basic lace patterns or color patterns, mid-level shaping and finishing.

Projects with intricate stitch patterns, techniques and dimension, such as non-repeating patterns, multi-color techniques, fine threads, small hooks, detailed shaping and refined finishing.

Ear (make 2)

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring = 6 sts

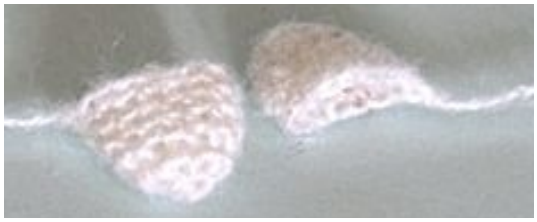
Rnd 2: 6 inc = 12 sts

Rnd 3: 1 sc in each st around = 12 sts

Rnd 4: (5 sc, 1 inc) x 2 = 14 sts

Rnds 5-6: 1 sc in each st around = 14 sts

End with a sl st leaving a tail for sewing.



Leg

Toe (make 3 for each leg)

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring = 6 sts

Rnd 2: (1 inc, 1 sc)x3 = 9 sts

Rnds 3-6: 1 sc in each st around = 9 sts

Stuff the tip of each toe tightly.

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