ELPHABA CROCHET PATTERN



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INFORMATION

Elphaba doll pattern is crocheted in continuous rounds, using US crochet terms.

I use x stitch to crochet the doll. The size of the finished doll using recommended γarn and hook is around 22 cm (with hat).

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INFORMATION

The choice of materials is crucial when making amigurumi and greatly influences the outcome.

Here are some commonly used amigurumi materials:

- 1. Amigurumi Yarn: A soft cotton yarn is preferred. It comes in different color options and thicknesses.
- 2. Crochet Hook: An appropriate-sized crochet hook is needed to make amigurumi. Different hook sizes can be used depending on the thickness of the yarn and the preferred amigurumi style.
- 3. Stuffing: Fiberfill stuffing material is used to fill the inside of the amigurumi. This determines the shape and plumpness of the amigurumi.
 - 4. Safety Eyes or Noses: Used to add detail to amigurumi characters. These are usually made of plastic or other safety materials and should be chosen in the correct size.
- 5. Sewing Materials: Needle and matching thread are needed to sew together amigurumi pieces.
- 6. Accessories: Additional accessories like ribbons, buttons, or bows can be used for some amigurumi designs.

When using these materials, it's important to opt for quality and reliable brands, as the quality of the materials can have a significant impact on the appearance and durability of the amigurumi.

INFORMATION

There are some factors that affect the size and appearance of the doll.

These are;

- 1. The characteristics of the yarn used and the thickness of the crochet hook. Also, the amount of yarn used may vary according to the thickness of the crochet hook.
- 2. Whether your stitches shape is in the form of v stitches or x stitches affects the appearance of the doll and the amount of yarn used. It can make a difference especially in facial features.
- 3. Everyone has their own crochet tension. Depending on this crochet tension, there may be changes in the size of the doll and the amount of yarn used.
- 4. The colors and accessories used are also important in this regard. Even if they are not the same material, it would be good to choose similar materials, especially in terms of size. For example, button size and eye size.



MATERIALS & TOOLS

VARN (Catacia 100% massasized setted 125m / 50 g)				
YARN (Catania 100% mercerized cotton 125m / 50 g)				
Amount	Color	Place to use	Color palette	
1/2 ball	moss green (412)	bodγ		
1+ 1/4 ball	black (110)	hair/dress/shoes/ hat/underpants		
a little	coffee brown (162)	broom		
a little	beige (257)	broom		

Material / Tool	Feature /Amount	Place to use
Crochet hook	2.20 mm	all part
Safety eyes	10 mm / black	head
Copper wire	3 mm / 30 cm	neck / arms
Fiberfill	арргох. 150 д	bodγ
Hard plastic	approx. 5cm*5cm	feet
Pin	approx. 15 pieces	sewing
Tapestry needle	1 piece	sewing
Textile glue		broom/ hair
double-side tape(optional)		broom



MATERIALS & TOOLS



I use textile adhesive for attaching hair and some parts that are difficult to sew. The safety and healthiness of this method are not certain. Therefore, if you are making a toy that will be a collectible item, you can use it. However, if you are preparing toys for babies or children, sewing will be safer.

I use this cable with copper wire inside to make movable joints and neck support. If you don't use it, the toy's head won't stay upright. I usually use 2.5-3 mm thickness. If you use a thinner one, it won't provide adequate support. If you use a thicker one, you'll have trouble, especially when placing it inside the arm.





I use pieces cut from plastic containers, shaped according to the foot, for the soles. This makes the base flatter. Using this is not mandatory, but it helps achieve a flatter appearance.



ABBREVIATION

Abbreviation	Definition
MR	magic ring
st	stitch
ch	chain
sl st	slip stitch
sc	single crochet
hdc	half double crochet
dc	double crochet
inc	increase
dec	decrease
w	3 single crochet in one stitch
m	decrease 3 single crochet together
blo	back loop only
flo	front loop only
()*n	repeat the combination of stitches n times.



TECHNICAL VIDEOS

Content / link

head fixation

nose embroidery

eye embroidery

<u>joining legs</u>

joining arms

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These videos are other videos where the same technique is used on different doll parts.



We crochet with green yarn.

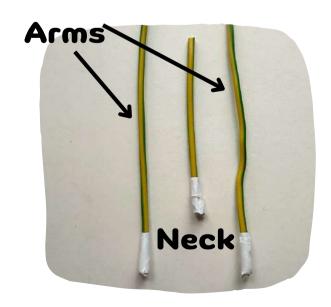
- 1. 6sc in MR (6)
- 2. (sc, inc)*3 (9)
- 3.9sc (9)
- 4. w, 8sc (11)
- 5. m, 8sc (9)
- 6-21. 9sc (9), 16 rounds, fasten off.

Crochet the other arm in the same way.





Don't stuff the arms. Tape the end of the 11 cm copper wire (This size may vary depending on the size of your doll.) and insert it into the arm.





We crochet with black yarn.

2 pieces

Make 6ch, from the 2nd stitch on the hook:

- 1. inc, 3sc, w, 3 sc, inc (13)
- 2. inc, 4sc, 3inc, 4sc, inc (18)
- 3. sc, inc, 4sc, (sc,inc)*3, 4sc,inc, sc (23)
- 4. Blo 23sc (23)
- 5-7. 23sc (23), 3 rounds

Insert the plastic part.

- 8. 5sc, 6dec, 6sc (17)
- 9. 5sc, 3dec, 6sc (14)

Fill the foot evenly with fiber.

After this step, fill the leg as you go.

10-13. 14sc (14), 4 rounds







Attach green yarn.

14. Blo 14sc (14) 15-22. 14sc (14), 8 rounds

On the 14th row, attach black yarn to the remaining loop (Flo) 14sc, sl st , fasten off.



Up to this point, crochet both legs the same way. The numbers after this can vary depending on your hand gauge, yarn thickness, and crochet style. The crucial point is to adjust the last stitch so that it falls exactly in the middle of the legs' side.

1st leg:

23. 11sc, fasten of.

2nd leg

23.14sc

24. 5sc , attach black yarn.









We'll join the legs from the back side of the body.

1. Make 4 chains and join the second leg from the last st. 14 sc along the 1st leg, 4 sc along the ch, 14 sc along the 2nd leg, 4 sc along the chain (36)

Put the marker here.





2-8. 36sc (36), 7 rounds Attach green yarn.

9. Blo 36sc (36)

10. Blo 7sc, dec, 16sc, dec, 9sc (34)

11. 6sc, dec, 15sc, dec, 9sc (32)

12-20. 32sc (32), 9 rounds

Fill the body as you go.

On the 9th row, attach black yarn to the remaining loop (Flo) 36sc, sl st , fasten off.





In this step, we start to attach the arms.

21. 5sc along the body, 5sc through the 1st arm and the body together, 11sc along the body, 5sc through the 2nd arm and the body together, 6sc along the body (32)

22. 5sc along the body, 4sc through the 1st arm and the body, 11sc, dec along the body, 4 sc through the 2nd arm and the body, 6sc along the body (30)







23. (3sc, dec)*6 (24)

24. (2sc, dec)*6 (18)

25. (sc, dec)*6 (12)

26-38. 12sc (12), 13 rounds (You can increase the number of rounds until you finish wrapping the wire. If it's too long, cut the wire. A long wire can distort the position of the head.)

39. 6dec (6), fasten off.











We crochet with black yarn.

Make 23 ch, then continue in the 1st chain to form a ring

- 1. 2sc, inc, 3sc, inc, 7sc, inc, 3sc, inc, 4sc (27)
- 2. 3sc, inc, 4sc, inc, 8sc, inc, 4sc, inc, 4sc (31)
- 3. 4sc, inc, make 8 ch, skip 5sc, inc, 9sc, inc, make 8 ch, skip 5sc, inc, 4sc.
- 4. 6sc, 8sc on the ch, 13sc, 8sc on the ch, 6sc (41)
- 5-10. 41sc (41), 6 rounds
- 11. (9sc, inc)*4, sc (45)
- 12. 45sc (45)
- 13. 6sc, inc, 3sc, inc, 19sc, inc, 3sc, inc, 10sc (49)
- 14. 49sc (49)
- 15. 7sc, inc, 4sc, inc, 19sc, inc, 4sc, inc, 11sc (53)
- 16. (12sc, inc)*4, sc (57)
- 17. 8sc, inc, (13sc, inc)*3, 6sc (61)
- 18. (14sc, inc)*4, sc (65)
- 19. 9sc, inc, (15sc, inc)*3, 7sc (69)
- 20. 69sc (69)
- 21-35. 69sc (69), 15 rounds

Fasten off.











Sleeves

Let's attach black yarn at the bottom of the place where we left the space for the sleeve. We are going to work in continuous rounds.

1.Make total of 15sc, sc in each stitch on the lower loops and each stitch on the sides, sc in each stitch the upper loops (15).

2-15. 15sc (15), 14 rounds Fasten off.





Put the dress on the body.



We crochet with green yarn.

- 1. 6sc in MR (6)
- 2. 6inc (12)
- 3. (sc, inc)*6 (18)
- 4. sc, inc, (2sc, inc)*5, sc (24)
- 5. (3sc, inc)*6 (30)
- 6. 2sc, inc, (4sc, inc)*5, 2sc (36)
- 7. (5sc, inc)*6 (42)
- 8. 3sc, inc, (6sc, inc)*5, 3sc (48)
- 9. (7sc, inc)*6 (54)
- 10. 4sc, inc, (8sc, inc)*5, 4sc (60)
- 11. (9sc, inc)*6 (66)
- 12. 5sc, inc, (10sc, inc)*5, 5sc (72)
- 13-21. 72sc (72), 9 rounds

22. 29sc, 1 ch skip a stitch, 11sc, 1 ch skip a stitch, 30sc

(72) - Safety eyes will be inserted in the skipped

stitches.

23-27. 72sc (72), 5 rounds

Insert the eyes.

- 28. (7sc, dec)*8 (64)
- 29. 3sc, dec, (6sc, dec)*7, 3sc (56)
- 30. (6sc, dec)*7 (49)



Please ignore yarn color.
You have to use green





- 31. 2sc, dec, (5sc, dec)*6, 3sc (42)
- 32. (5sc, dec)*6 (36)
- 33. 2sc, dec, (4sc, dec)*5, 2sc (30)
- 34. (3sc, dec)*6 (24)
- 35. sc, dec, (2sc, dec)*5, sc (18)
- 36. (4sc, dec)*3 (15)
- 37. Blo 15sc (15)
- 38-42. 15sc (15), 5 rounds,
- stuff your head tightly, fasten off.
- Push the neck part into the head.



Embroider the corner of each eye using white embroidery floss, and the eyelashes using black embroidery floss.

Embroider slanting eyebrows 3 rounds above the eyes, using black yarn, with 5st long.

Using green colored yarn, embroider a horizontal line one round below the eyes, and centered to the eyes, with 5st long. Go over the stitch tree times. See photos in the next page for reference.

Fix the head to the body.

head attach (example video)





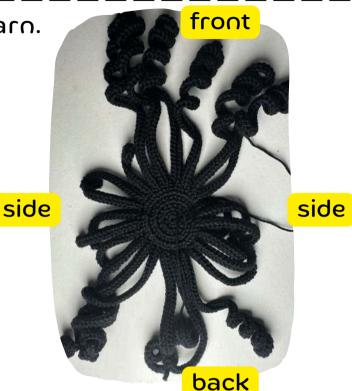
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We crochet with black yarn.

- 1. 8hdc in MR (8)
- 2. 8hdcinc (16)
- 3. 16hdcinc (32)
- 4. (hdc, hdcinc)*16 (48)



Crochet the hair strands in the following order:

- (Make 21ch, from the 3rd stitch on the hook: 19hdc, skip a sc, sl st.)*6--> 6 hair strands (for side)
- (Make 67ch, from the 3rd stitch on the hook: 65hdc, skip a sc, sl st.)*6--> 6 hair strands (for back)
- (Make 21ch, from the 3rd stitch on the hook: 19hdc, skip a sc, sl st.)*6--> 6 hair strands (for side)
- (Make 82ch, from the 3rd stitch on the hook: 80hdc, skip a sc, sl st.)*6--> 6 hair strands (for front)

Fasten off.



Secure the head to the body before securing the hair.

The inner side of hair cap is facing outside. Place the midpoint of the hair in the middle of the head. Fix the crown and hair strands of sides and back. Break into two equal number of the front hair strands. Use a piece of black yarn and Tie the long hair strands back of the head.





We crochet with black yarn.

- 1. 5sc in MR (5)
- 2. 5sc (5)
- 3. inc, 4sc (6)
- 4. inc, 5sc (7)
- 5. Blo inc, 3sc, inc, 2sc (9)
- 6. (3sc, inc)*2, sc (11)
- 7. 11sc (11)
- 8. (inc, 4sc)*2, sc (13)
- 9. (5sc, inc)*2, sc (15)
- 10. Blo (inc, 4sc)*3 (18)
- 11. (5sc, inc)*3 (21)
- 12. (inc, 6sc)*3 (24)
- 13. 24sc (24)
- 14. (7sc, inc)*3 (27)
- 15. Blo (inc, 8sc)*3 (30)
- 16. 30sc (30)
- 17. (9sc, inc)*3 (33)
- 18. 5sc, inc, (10sc, inc)*2, 5sc (36)
- 19. (11sc, inc)*3 (39)
- 20. Blo 6sc, inc, (12sc, inc)*2, 6sc (42)
- 21. 42sc (42)
- 22. (13sc, inc)*3 (45)
- 23. (8sc, inc)*5 (50)
- 24. 4sc, inc, (9sc, inc)*4, 5sc (55)
- 25. (11sc, inc)* 5 (60)





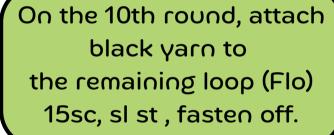
26. Flo 2sc, inc, (4sc, inc)*11, 2sc (72)

27. (5sc, inc)*12 (84)

28-31. 84sc (84), 4 rounds

Fasten off.





On the 15th round, attach black yarn to the remaining loop (Flo) 27sc, sl st , fasten off.

On the 20th round, attach black yarn to the remaining loop (Flo) 39sc, sl st , fasten off.







Fix the hat on head.





Broomstick Bristles

We crochet with beige yarn.

Make 11ch, from the 2nd stitch on the hook:

1-3. 10sc (10)

4. 10inc (20)

Now, we make bristles:

(Make 11ch, from the 2nd stitch on the hook: 10sc, sl st.)*20 -->20 pieces













<u>Brown piece</u>

Make 12ch, fasten off.





Broomstick

Cut a piece of floral wire according to the height of your doll (I cut 19 cm). Wrap brown yarn around this wire using glue (I used double-sided tape instead of glue).



Then, attach the piece you crocheted for the broom's bristles using glue (make sure to secure it slightly above the very tip of the wrapped wire, not right at the end). At this stage, I sewed the outermost layer and glued the inner layers. Finally, attach the brown piece to the top of the broom's bristles.



