## "Ollie the Raccoon"

toy crochet pattern

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Have a nice day, my friend!

My name is Evgenia.

If you have purchased this pattern, this means that you are ready to do some magic! Get comfortable, take a hook and the softest and coziest skeins of yarn you will need. I am sure you will manage to create something special.

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Enjoy crocheting ♥

Respectfully, Evgenia P.

Tools and materials

- 1. Yarn:
  - Alize Cotton Gold (100g/361yds) color № 200 for the body,
  - Nako Paris (100g/268yds) color Nº 208 for the ears, tail and eye spots,
  - Yarn Art Jeans (50g/174yds) color № 28 for the arms and legs, tail and eye spots,
  - Yarn Art Jeans (50g/174yds) color № 83 for the arms and legs, ears,
  - Yarn Art Jeans (50g/174yds) color № 88 for the vest;
- 2. A hook B / 14 / 2 mm;
- 3. Stuffing material hollowfiber;
- 4. Safety eyes dia = 10 mm;
- 5. A safety nose 10\*11 mm;
- 6. White and black threads for the face decoration;
- 7. A tapestry needle for sewing the details together;
- 8. Scissors, pins, a marker;
- 9. 2 beads dia = 7 mm for the vest ties;
- 10. A slicker brush.

Abbreviations:

MR - Magic Ring; sc - single crochet; sl st - slip stitch; inc - increase (2 sc into 1 stitch); dec - decrease (2 sc crocheted together); ch - chain; hdc - half-double crochet; bbs - bobble stitch (yarn over, insert the hook into a stitch and pull the

thread)\*3, change color, yarn over and pull the thread through all the loops on the hook;

(...)\*x - repeat the set in the brackets x times;

(...) - the whole number of stitches in the round/row.



In the pattern I use the US terminology.

The pattern does not include crochet lessons and is designed for those who have the basic knowledge of crocheting. The complexity level - medium. The finished toy made with the materials and tools listed above is about 21 cm tall.



Start crocheting with the eye spots.

<u>The left spot</u> (for the raccoon). Crochet back-and-forth in graphite color. Make 1 ch at the end of each row and start the next one from the 2nd loop from the hook.

Make 6 ch, from the 2nd loop from the hook:

1 row. 5 sc (5) 2 row. 3 sc, dec (4) 3 row. 4 sc (4) 4 row. 2 sc, dec (3) 5 row. 3 sc (3) 6 row. 1 sc, dec (2) 7 row. 2 sc (2) 8 row. dec (1) 9 - 10 rows. 1 sc (2 rows)



Do not cut the thread, crochet along the edge around the detail:

9 sc along the upper side, 3 sc into the angle, 3 sc along the short side, 3 sc into the angle, 9 sc along the lower side. Before you finish the last stitch, change the yarn into fluffy white yarn. Fasten off and cut the graphite thread. Continue crocheting in white color (crochet loosely): 1 ch, 3 hdc into the angle. Then crochet through the stitches of the last round along the edge: 10 hdc along the upper side, 3 hdc into the angle, 5 hdc along the short side, 3 hdc into the angle, 10 sc. Finish with 1 sl st, fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing.

<u>The right spot</u> (for the raccoon). Crochet back-and-forth in graphite color. Make 1 ch at the end of each row and start the next one from the 2nd loop from the hook.

Make 6 ch, from the 2nd loop from the hook:

1 row. 5 sc 2 row. dec, 3 sc (4) 3 row. 4 sc (4) 4 row. dec, 2 sc (3) 5 row. 3 sc (3) 6 row. dec, 1 sc (2) 7 row. 2 sc (2) 8 row. dec (1) 9 - 10 rows. 1 sc (2 rows)



Do not cut the thread, crochet along the edge around the detail:

9 sc along the lower side, 3 sc into the angle, 3 sc along the short side, 3 sc into the angle, 9 sc along the upper side. Before you finish the last stitch, change the yarn into fluffy white yarn. Fasten off and cut the graphite thread. Continue crocheting in white color (crochet loosely): 1 ch, 3 hdc into the angle. Then crochet through the stitches of the last round along the edge: 10 hdc along the lower side, 3 hdc into the angle, 5 hdc along the short side, 3 hdc into the angle, 10 sc. Finish with 1 sl st, fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing.

Insert the safety eyes dia = 10 mm into the spots 3 stitches apart from the short side and 2 stitches apart from the lower side (visible stitches). Do not put the fasteners, you will insert the eyes with the spots into the head later.



<u>The nasal bridge.</u> Crochet in graphite color. Make 14 ch, from the 3rd loop from the hook: 12 hdc. Fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing.

The head. Crochet in grey color:

1 round. 6 sc into MR 2 round. 6 inc (12) 3 round. (1 sc. inc)\*6 (18) 4 round. 1 sc, inc, (2 sc, inc)\*5, 1 sc (24) 5 round. (3 sc. inc)\*6 (30) 6 round. 2 sc, inc, (4 sc, inc)\*5, 2 sc (36) 7 round. (5 sc. inc)\*6 (42) 8 round. 3 sc, inc, (6 sc, inc)\*5, 3 sc (48) 9 round. (15 sc. inc)\*3 (51) 10 round. (16 sc, inc)\*3 (54) 11 round. (17 sc. inc)\*3 (57) 12 round. (18 sc, inc)\*3 (60) 13-17 rounds. 60 sc (5 rounds) 18 round. 14 sc, 3 inc, 27 sc, 3 inc, 13 sc (66) 19-23 rounds. 66 sc (5 rounds) 24 round. 14 sc, 3 dec, 27 sc, 3 dec, 13 sc (60) 25 round. 12 sc, 3 dec, 24 sc, 3 dec, 12 sc (54) 26 round. (7 sc, dec)\*6 (48) 27 round. 3 sc, dec, (6 sc, dec)\*5, 3 sc (42)

Insert the eyes with the spots between the 21st and 22nd rounds, 11 sc apart from each other. To secure the eyes, melt the stems with a lighter and flatten by pressing with the metal part of it.







28 round. (5 sc, dec)\*6 (36)
29 round. 2 sc, dec, (4 sc, dec)\*5, 2 sc (30)
Fill in with hollowfiber tight. Pay special attention to the sides of the head.
30 round. (3 sc, dec)\*6 (24)
Fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing.





Crochet with fluffy white yarn. Stuff the muzzle when sewing it on.

1 round. 6 sc into MR 2 round. 6 inc (12) 3 round. 2 sc, 3 inc, 3 sc, 3 inc, 1 sc (18) 4 round. 3 sc, 3 inc, 6 sc, 3 inc, 3 sc (24) 5-6 rounds. 24 sc (2 rounds)

Fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing. Insert the safety nose between the 4th and 5th rounds.



Ears (2 pieces):

Crochet in grey color. Do not stuff.

1 round. 6 sc into MR 2 round. (1 sc, inc)\*3 (9) 3 round. (2 sc, inc)\*3 (12) 4 round. (1 sc, inc)\*6 (18) 5 round. 18 sc 6 round. (2 sc, inc)\*6 (24) 7 round. 24 sc 8 round. (3 sc, inc)\*6 (30) 9 round. 30 sc



Flatten the detail and crochet 15 sc. Fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing.

Attach the fluffy white yarn to the right lower angle of the ear (look at the pic) and crochet sc along two sides. Fasten off and cut the thread, hide the tails inside the detail.



<u>The inner part of the ear (2 pieces</u>). Crochet back-and-forth in pink color. Make 1 ch at the end of each row and start the next one from the 2nd loop from the hook.

Make 7 ch, from the 2nd loop from the hook:

1 row. 6 sc 2 row. dec, 2 sc, dec (4) 3 row. 2 dec (2) 4 row. dec (1)

Do not cut the thread, crochet along the edge around the detail: 2 sc along the side, 3 sc into the angle, 6 sl st along the lower side, 3 sc into the angle, 2 sc along the side, 3 sc into the angle.

Finish with 1 sl st. Fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing. Sew the inner part of the ears to the main one.



Arms (2 pieces):

Crochet in graphite color. Stuff tight with hollowfiber lower 2/3 of the detail, do not stuff the top.

1 round. 6 sc into MR 2 round. 6 inc (12) 3 round. (2 sc, inc)\*4 (16)

In the next two rounds make the pads.

4 round. 4 sc, in the last stitch change color to pink, bbs, pull the graphite thread through all the loops on the hook, 11 sc (16) ATTENTION. Change the color the same way in further crocheting.

Do not cut the pink thread.



5 round. 2 sc, change color to pink, bbs, change color to graphite, 3 sc, change color to pink, bbs, change color to graphite, 9 sc (16) Adjust the pads if necessary, so that they bulge out.

Fasten off and cut the pink thread.

6-7 rounds. 16 sc (2 rounds)

8 round. (6 sc, dec)\*2 (14)

9 round. (5 sc, dec)\*2 (12)

10 round. 12 sc

Change color to grey, fasten off and cut the graphite thread.

11-26 rounds. 12 sc (16 rounds)

Make 4 extra sc to make the pads point inside when the details are flattened (you may need another number of sc). Flatten the detail and crochet 6 sc. Fasten off and cut the thread.

Crochet the other arm the same, except:

10 round. 9 sc, change color to grey (fasten off and cut the graphite thread), 3 sc (12) Make 6 extra sc to make the pads point inside when the details are flattened (you may need another number of sc). Flatten the detail and crochet 6 sc. Fasten off and cut the thread.



<u>The bigger pad (2 pieces).</u> Crochet in pink color.

1 round. 5 sc into MR

Fasten off and cut the thread, leave a long tail for sewing. Sew the pad to the middle of the hand between the 6th and 9th rounds.



Legs (2 pieces):

Crochet in pink color. Stuff tight with hollowfiber lower 2/3 of the detail, do not stuff the top.

Make 7 ch, from the 2nd loop from the hook:

1 round. inc, 4 sc, 3 sc into the last ch, 5 sc along the other side of the chain (14)

2 round. 2 inc, 4 sc, 3 inc, 4 sc, inc (20)

In the last stitch change color to graphite. Do not cut the pink thread.

The next round crochet with the front post sc (look at the pics). This is how you make the bigger pad of the leg.

3 round. (1 sc, inc)\*2, 4 sc, (1 sc, inc)\*3, 5 sc, inc (26)



In the next round make the smaller pads.

ATTENTION. When crocheting the pads, change color just like in the arms.

4 round. (2 sc, inc)\*2, 5 sc, in the last stitch change color to pink, bbs, change color to graphite, inc, 1 sc, change color to pink, bbs, change color to graphite, inc, 1 sc, change color to pink, bbs, change color to graphite, inc, 6 sc, inc (32) Fasten off and cut the pink thread.



5 round. (3 sc, inc)\*2, 4 sc, (3 sc, inc)\*3, 7 sc, inc (38)

Make some extra sc to reach the center of the back of the leg (I've got 3 sc) and put the marker. This is the beginning of the round now.

6-8 rounds. 38 sc (3 rounds)

9 round. 11 sc, 8 dec, 11 sc (30)

10 round. dec, 7 sc, 6 dec, 7 sc, dec (22)

11 round. 6 sc, 5 dec, 6 sc (17)

12 round. 7 sc, dec, 8 sc (16)

13 round. 16 sc

In the last stitch change color to grey. Fasten off and cut the graphite thread. Stuff the detail tight.



Make 3 extra sc to make the leg point straight to you when you flatten the detail (you may need another number of sc). Flatten the detail and crochet 6 sc. Fasten off and cut the thread.

Mail.

Crochet with fluffy white yarn. Stuff as you go.

- 1 round. 6 sc into MR
- 2 round. (1 sc, inc)\*3 (9)
- 3 round. (2 sc, inc)\*3 (12)
- 4 round. (3 sc, inc)\*3 (15)
- 5 round. (4 sc, inc)\*3 (18)
- 6 round. (5 sc, inc)\*3 (21)

In the last stitch change color to grey. Fasten off and cut the white thread.

7 round. (6 sc, inc)\*3 (24)

8 round. (3 sc, inc)\*6 (30)

In the last stitch change color to graphite. Do not cut the graphite thread.

9-10 rounds. 30 sc (2 rounds)

Change color to grey.

11-12 rounds. 30 sc (2 rounds)

Change color to graphite.

13-14 rounds. 30 sc (2 rounds)

Change color to grey.

15-16 rounds. 30 sc (2 rounds)

Change color to graphite.

17 round. 30 sc

18 round. 9 sc, 6 dec, 9 sc (24)

Change color to grey.

19 round. 24 sc

Stuff tight.

20 round. (2 sc, dec)\*6 (18)

Change color to graphite.

21 round. 18 sc

22 round. (1 sc, dec)\*6 (12)

Add some more hollowfiber. If the hole is too small, use a wooden stick for stuffing.

Change color to grey. 23-24 rounds. 12 sc (2 rounds)

Change color to graphite.

25 round. 12 sc

26 round. (2 sc,dec)\*3 (9)

Change color to grey. Fasten off and cut the graphite thread. 27 round. 9 sc



Flatten the detail and make 4 sc. Fasten off and cut the thread.

Body:

Crochet in grey color. Stuff as you go. 1 round. 6 sc into MR 2 round. 6 inc (12) 3 round. (1 sc, inc)\*6 (18) 4 round. 1 sc, inc, (2 sc, inc)\*5, 1 sc (24) 5 round. (3 sc, inc)\*6 (30) 6 round. 2 sc, inc, (4 sc, inc)\*5, 2 sc (36) 7 round. (5 sc, inc)\*6 (42) 8 round. 3 sc, inc, (6 sc, inc)\*5, 3 sc (48) 9 round. (7 sc, inc)\*6 (54) 10 round. 4 sc, inc, (8 sc, inc)\*5, 4 sc (60) 11 round. (9 sc, inc)\*6 (66) 12-13 rounds. 66 sc (2 rounds) Attach the legs in the next round. 14 round. 13 sc, 6 sc with the leg, 27 sc, 6 sc with the leg, 14 sc (66)



Attach the tail in the next two rounds. 15 round. 64 sc, 2 sc with the tail (66) 16 round. 2 sc with the tail, 64 sc (66)



17-21 rounds. 66 sc (5 rounds) 22 round. (9 sc, dec)\*6 (60) 23 round. 60 sc 24 round. 4 sc, dec, (8 sc, dec)\*5, 4 sc (54) 25 round. 54 sc 26 round. (7 sc, dec)\*6 (48) 27 round. 48 sc 28 round. 3 sc, dec, (6 sc, dec)\*5, 3 sc (42) 29 round. 42 sc 30 round. (5 sc, dec)\*6 (36) 31 round. 36 sc



32 round. 2 sc, dec, (4 sc, dec)\*5, 2 sc (30)

33 round. 30 sc

Attach the arms in the next round. Watch them to be symmetrical related to the legs. You may need to change the number of stitches in the pattern, so please, adjust their number by yourself if needed.

34 round. 7 sc, 6 sc with the arm, 9 sc, 6 sc with the arm, 2 sc (30)

35 round. (3 sc, dec)\*6 (24)

36 round. 24 sc

Fasten off and cut the thread, hide the tail inside the detail. Stuff tight.



Assembly and decoration

 $\cdot$  Sew on the eye spots. Fix them with the pins between the 15th and 25th rounds and then sew all sides to the head.





• Fix the nasal bridge with the pins between the 13th and 25th rounds of the head. Sew on.

Fix the muzzle with the pins between the 22nd and 28th rounds of the head. Sew on.
Fill in with hollowfiber while sewing.

• Embroider the eyebrows with a black thread in the 14th round with 11 sc between them. The stitches are 2 sc wide. Then make one upright stitch down from the nose (6-7 rounds long).







• Fix the ears with the pins to the sides of the head between the 4th and 18th rounds and sew on.



• Sew the head to the body. Fix it with the pins first and then sew on in a circle. Add some stuffing material when the small hole is left, then finish the sewing. I add some hollowfiber to the head, the body and the neck to avoid the head from dangling and make it steady.



Do the eye sculpting looking in the photo. Use a grey thread. Points 1 and 2 are located between the 29th and 30th rounds 1 sc apart from each other.
Insert the threaded needle into point 2 and run it into point 6. Then, insert the needle into point 5 and put out in point 1. Pull both tails and make a knot.
Insert the needle into point 1 and put out in point 3. Then run the needle from point 4 to point 2. Pull and make a knot. Fasten off and cut the thread, hide the tails inside the detail.





- Make the whites of the eyes with a white thread.
- $\cdot$  Brush all the fluffy details with the slicker brush.







Crochet back-and-forth in yellow color. Make 1 ch at the end of each row and start the next one from the 2nd loop from the hook.

Make 31 ch, from the 2nd loop from the hook: 1 row. 5 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 4 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 8 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 4 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 5 sc (38) 2 row. 38 sc 3 row. 6 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 6 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 10 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 6 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 6 sc (46) 4 row. 46 sc 5 row. 7 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 8 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 12 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 8 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 7 sc (54) 6 row. 54 sc 7 row. 8 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 10 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 14 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 10 sc, 3 sc into 1 loop, 8 sc (62) Make sleeves in the next round.

8 row. 10 sc, 8 ch, skip 12 sc, 18 sc, 8 ch, skip 12 sc, 10 sc (54)



9 row. 4 sc, inc, (8 sc, inc)\*5, 4 sc (60) 10 row. 60 sc 11 row. 4 sc, inc, (9 sc, inc)\*5, 5 sc (66) 12 row. 66 sc 13 row. 5 sc, inc, (10 sc, inc)\*5, 5 sc (72) 14-19 rows. 72 sc (6 rows) Fasten off and cut the thread, weave the tail.



Now make the ties. Make 50 ch (leave a tail at the beginning for the bead fastening), attach to the beginning of the vest (look at the pic), then crochet 29 sl st along the collar of the vest, 50 ch. Fasten off and cut the thread, leave a tail to fasten the bead. Fasten the beads at the ends of the ties. I just run the tails through the beads and made knots.



Congratulations! The raccoon is ready!

I hope you have got positive emotions while making this adorable raccoon and are happy with the result. Thanks for crocheting with me! Until we meet again!

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