

❁ Stoney Bear Pattern ❁



This pattern is an intermediate level pattern, you will need to know basic crochet terms, how to crochet in the round, how to embroider details, and how to stuff strategically.
I tried to write this pattern in the best and easiest comprehensible way, but it may be difficult to understand without prior crocheting experience.

What you need:

- About 250 yards of your choice of green medium weight yarn I use Hobby Lobby "I Love This Yarn" in Mid Green
- White medium weight yarn
- Dark Green medium weight yarn
- Yarn Needle
- Size 2.75 crochet hook
- Size 3 crochet hook (optional, for looser stitches on the belly patch)
- Polyester fill
- Plastic doll joints (optional, but recommended)
- 15MM safety eyes
- Sewing pins

Abbreviations used:

- SC: Single crochet
- INC: Increase
- DEC: Decrease
- MR: Magic ring
- F/O: Fasten Off
- CH: Chain
- SS: Slip stitch
- HDC: Half double crochet
- DC: Double crochet
- TRC: Treble crochet

Body: (in light green)

We start the body with 2 feet connected and then we work up

• 1st Foot:

- 1: SC 6 into a MR (6)
- 2: < INC > around (12)
- 3: < 1SC, INC > around (18)
- 4: < 2SC, INC > around (24)
- 5: < 3SC, INC > around (30)
- 6-8: SC around (30)

9: 6SC, 9DEC, 6SC (21)

10-12: SC around (21)

F/O

• **2nd Foot:**

1-12: repeat the same as 1st Foot

13: 6SC

Do not F/O this is where we were going to connect our first and second foot. Keeping the loop from the second foot on your hook, count 6 stitches back on the last round of the first foot that you made and SC into that stitch, connecting both feet (You will also want to stuff both feet firmly at this time)

This is where round 14 begins, work around both feet together:

14: 5SC, INC, < 6SC, INC > 5 times (48)

15: < 7SC, INC > around (54)

16: < 8SC, INC > around (60)

17: < 9SC, INC > around (66)

18-28: SC around (66)

29: < 9SC, DEC > (60)

30-31: SC around (60)

32: < 8SC, DEC > around (54)

33-34: SC around (54)

35: < 7SC, DEC > around (48)

36: SC around (48)

37: < 6SC, DEC > around (42)

38-39: SC around (42)

40: < 5SC, DEC > around (36)

41: SC around (36)

42: < 4SC, DEC > around (30)

43: SC around (30)

44: < 3SC, DEC > around (24)

F/O

Stuff firmly, but carefully in order to maintain the shape of the body

Head: (in light green)

1: 6SC in MR (6)

2: < 6INC > (12)

3: < 1SC, INC > around (18)

4: < 2SC, INC > around (24)

5: < 3SC, INC > around (30)

6: < 4SC, INC > around (36)

7: < 5SC, INC > around (42)

8: < 6SC, INC > around (48)

9: < 7SC, INC > around (54)
10: < 8SC, INC > around (60)
11-19: SC around (60)
21: 15SC, 10INC, 10SC, 10INC, 15SC (80)
22-24: SC around (80)
25: < 8SC, DEC > around (72)
26: < 7SC, DEC > around (64)
27: < 6SC, DEC > around (56)
28: < 5SC, DEC > around (48)
29: < 4SC, DEC > around (40)
30: < 3SC, DEC > around (32)
31: < 2SC, DEC > around (24)

F/O

After stuffing firmly, you will see that there are little cheek bulges that were created by the increases in round 22, you will want to place the eyes in between round 19 and 20, right above the cheeks with 10 stitches between them. I don't have specific stitches I place them between, I just *eyeball* it (... get it?) **see figure 1 on page 8 for placement reference photo**

Tail: (in light green)

1: 6SC in MR (6)
2: < 1SC, INC > around (9)
3-4: SC around (9)
F/O

Arms (make 2): (in light green)

1: 6SC in MR (6)
2: < INC > (12)
3: < 1SC, INC > around (18)
4-6: SC around (18)
7: < 4SC, DEC > around (15)
8-19: SC around (15)
20: < 3SC, DEC > around (12)

Here we're going to stuff the arm- we want to stuff it relatively loose for you to be able to flatten the arm a little bit

Also, if you are using plastic joints for your arm you will want to attach the joint between row 19 and 20 in any stitch

21: <DEC> around (6)

F/O leave a long tail for you to be able to sew the hole closed and make the finger indentions later

Ears (make 2): (in light green)

- 1: 6SC in MR (6)
- 2: < INC > (12)
- 3: < 1SC, INC > around (18)
- 4-6: SC around (18)
- 7: < 1SC, DEC > around (12)

Now you're going to flatten the piece and single crochet into both sides in order to close the hole- there should be 6 single crochet stitches across

F/O leave a long tail for you to sew ears onto head and to use the excess for eye details

Inner Ear Circle (make 2): (in white)

For these pieces we are NOT working in the round, you will slip stitch into the first stitch of each round and ch 1

- 1: 6SC in MR (6)
- 2: < 6INC > (12)
- 3: < 1SC, INC > around (18)

F/O

Muzzle: (in white)

- 1: 6SC in MR (6)
- 2: < 6INC > (12)
- 3: < 1SC, INC > around (18)
- 4: < 2SC, INC > around (24)
- 5: < 3SC, INC > around (30)
- 6-8: SC around

F/O leave a long tail for you to sew muzzle onto head and make the eye details

Heart Nose: (in dark green)

- 1: (all in MR) CH2, 3HDC, 2SC, CH, HDC, CH, 2SC, 3HDC, CH2, SS.

Pull MR closed F/O

Belly Patch: (in white)

For this piece we are NOT working in the round, you will slip stitch into the first stitch of each round and ch 1

Use 3mm hook for this piece, or if you don't have it, crochet LOOSELY with the 2.75mm hook

- 1: 6SC in MR (6)

2: < 6INC > (12)
3: < 1SC, INC > around (18)
4: < 2SC, INC > around (24)
5: < 3SC, INC > around (30)
6: < 4SC, INC > around (36)
7: < 5SC, INC > around (42)
8: < 6SC, INC > around (48)
9: < 7SC, INC > around (54)
F/O

Pot Leaf: (in dark green)

1: 8SC in MR, SS in first SC

In this next round we are making 7 leaves and 1 stem, at the end of each leaf/stem you will need to SS into the next stitch on the 1st round

2:

- 1st leaf: CH 5, turn, skip 1st st, SS, SC, HDC, SC
- 2nd leaf: CH 7, turn, skip 1st st, SS, SC, HDC, DC, DC, HDC
- 3rd leaf: CH 9, turn, skip 1st st, SS, SC, HDC, DC, TRC, TRC, DC, HDC
- 4th leaf: CH 11, turn, skip 1st st, SS, SC, HDC, DC, DC, TRC, TRC, DC, DC, HDC
- 5th leaf: CH 9, turn, skip 1st st, SS, SC, HDC, DC, TRC, TRC, DC, HDC
- 6th leaf: CH 7, turn, skip 1st st, SS, SC, HDC, DC, DC, HDC
- 7th leaf: CH 5, turn, skip 1st st, SS, SC, HDC, SC
- Stem: CH 4, turn skip 1st st, SC, SS, SS

F/O leave a long tail for you to sew this onto the belly patch

ASSEMBLY:

- To make the fingers for the arms, you will need to close up the arm hole first, and then use that excess yarn by bringing the yarn down through the arm and bring it back out in between round 6 and 7, this is where it will be beneficial to have less stuffing in the yarn, you will bring the yarn around to the other side and insert into the other side of the yarn again between round 6 and 7 pull this tight and you will see the first finger indentation, you will do the same thing on the other end of the arm. The bear should have 3 “fingers” on each arm if you’re using the plastic joints make sure that the fingers line up with the joint being in the middle of the arm. **see figures 14-19 for reference photos**
- If you are using plastic joints, you are going to want to attach the arms to the body before sewing the head on. For reference you will want to insert the joint in between rounds 30 and 31 on the body. Attach the arms on the sides of the body with 16 stitches in between them.

- If you aren't using joints, you will still attach them to the same spots, you are just going to sew them there instead.
- Pin the muzzle to the head in the middle of both eyes and sew it onto the head. Use this excess yarn to create the eye white around the bear's eyes by bringing the yarn through the head and up through the middle bottom stitch under the eye, then bring the yarn around the eye and insert the needle into the top outside stitch of the eye and repeat for the next eye. When you're done embroidering the eye whites, I use blush to make them have the red hue in order to give them the "high eye" effect. If you don't want to use that route, you may use a red or pink yarn to make the eye details. Hide remaining yarn by tucking it into the head. **See figures 2-7 for reference photos**
- Hot glue the heart nose onto the muzzle
- Pin the ears in place on top of the head. Again, there are no specific rounds/stitches to place them between, just place them where you think they look best and then sew them on. You will use the extra tail to make the "drowsy" eyelid effect by bringing the excess yarn through the head and out about halfway down the outside of the safety eye, and then insert it again on the top inside stitch around the eye, and bring it back down to the middle of the outside of the eye, you are going to do this 2 more times in order for him to have the heavy-looking eyelids. You will do this for both eyes. Hide remaining yarn by tucking it into the head. **see figures 7-14 for reference photos**
- Sew the head onto the body making sure that the arms, face, and feet are all facing the same way.
- Sew the tail on the back side of the body where you think it looks best
- To make the belly patch sew in the loose end and then attach the pot leaf to the patch by sewing it on in whatever sewing method works for you. After the leaf is sewn on and you are happy with the way it looks, you can sew on the belly patch or you can hot glue it to the body, or both! I personally hot glue it though, making sure it is centered with the arms and the face on the body
- You will do the same thing with the inner ear circles, sew in and cut any loose ends and then hot glue it to the center of the ear.
- For the tuft of hair at the top of his head I cut a few 3" strands of the light green hair and attach them to the very center of his head, then I separate the strands of yarn and trim them to my desired length and feather them out

And that's it! You've finished your very own Stoney Bear!!

Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions you may have regarding the pattern or parts of the pattern you may not understand. Thank you!!



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4



Figure 5



Figure 6



Figure 6



Figure 7



Figure 8



Figure 9



Figure 10



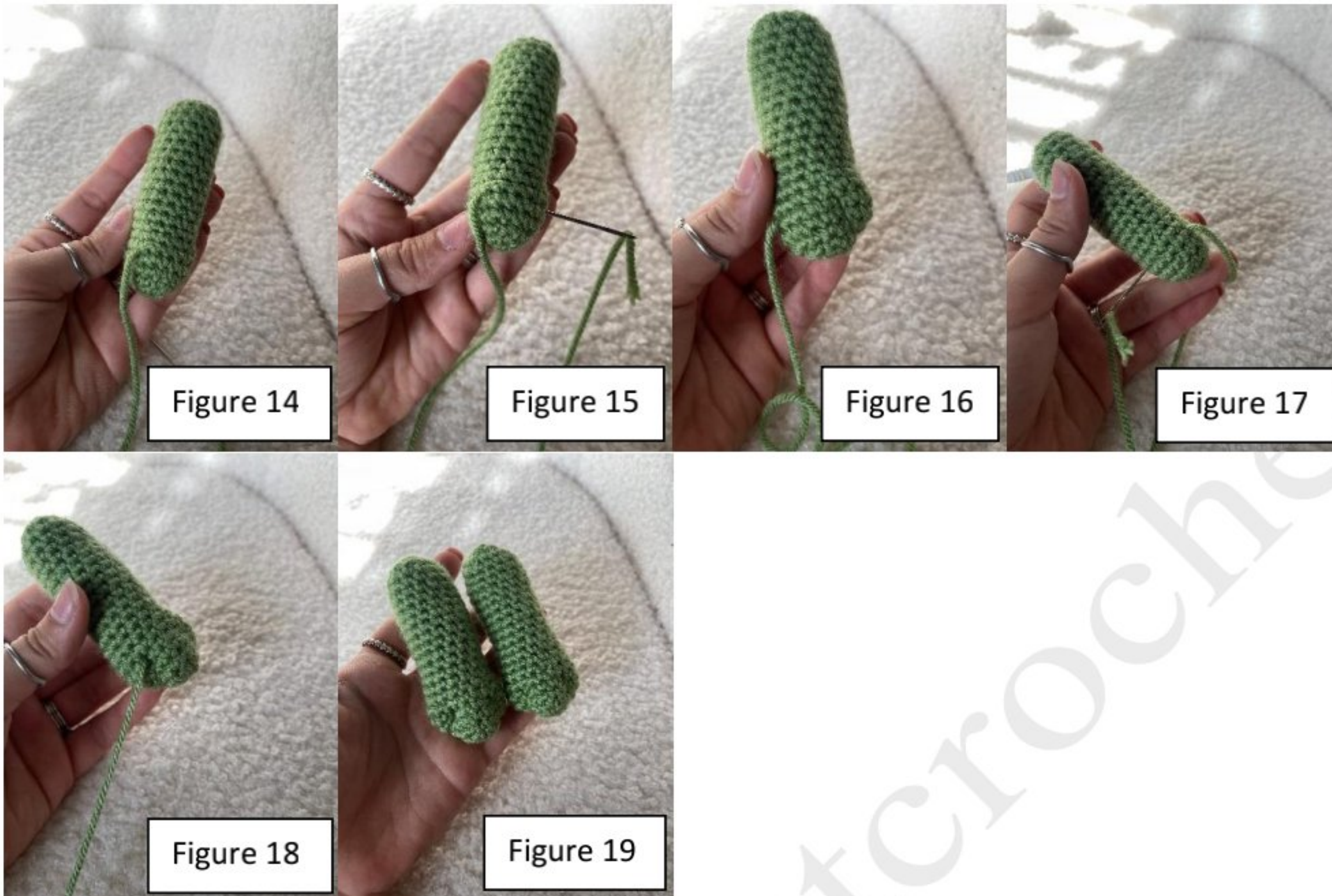
Figure 11



Figure 12



Figure 13



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