



FREE
PATTERN



Pattern for crochet Amigurumi

Dolphin

Design by AmiFan©

Materials you need

- Cotton yarn: in the colors blue and white
- 2,0 mm crochet hook
- Left over yarns color black for sewing eyes
- Fiberfill
- Stitch markers
- Sewing needle

Size

4 inch of 10 cm when made with the indicated yarn

Difficulty

Medium

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Terminology (US)

chain [ch]
stitch [st]
magic ring
single crochet [sc]
half double crochet [hdc]
double crochet [dc]
increase [inc]
decrease [dec]
slip stitch [sl st]
Skip
() = repeat what is between ()
[] = amount of sc in a round of row
Back loop only (BLO)

Extra information

The pattern is crochet in rounds. There are color changes in most rounds. The change of the color is mentioned before the stitch. Example: you start with BLUE 1sc, WHITE 2sc, BLUE 3sc.

Instructions

Body

Color: blue and white

Start with the white color yarn.

Rnd 1. 6sc in a magic circle [6]

Rnd 2. 6sc [6]

Rnd 3. 6sc [6]

Rnd 4. 6sc [6]

Rnd 5. Inc, 1sc, BLUE (inc, 1sc) crochet 2x [9]

Rnd 6. WHITE 3sc, BLUE (inc, 1sc) crochet 3x [12]

Rnd 7. WHITE 3sc, BLUE (inc, 2sc) crochet 3x [15]

Rnd 8. WHITE 4sc, BLUE 10 sc, WHITE 1sc [15]

Rnd 9. WHITE 4sc, BLUE (inc, 2sc) crochet 3x, 1sc, WHITE 1sc [18]

Rnd 10. WHITE 5sc, inc BLUE 10sc, WHITE inc, 1sc [20]

Rnd 11. WHITE 8sc, BLUE 8sc, WHITE 4sc, [20]

Rnd 12. WHITE 8sc, BLUE 8sc, WHITE 4sc, [20]



Rnd 13. WHITE 6sc, BLUE (dec, 1sc) crochet 4x, WHITE 2sc, [16]

Rnd 14. WHITE 6sc, BLUE 10sc [16]

Rnd 15. WHITE 6sc, BLUE 10sc [16]

Rnd 16. WHITE 5sc, BLUE 6sc, dec, 3sc [15]

Rnd 17. BLUE 1sc, WHITE 1sc, dec, 1sc, BLUE 3sc, dec, 2sc, dec, 1sc [12]

Rnd 18. BLUE 2sc, WHITE dec, BLUE 8sc [11]

End off the white yarn and fill up the body.



Rnd 19. BLUE dec, 3sc, dec, 4sc [9]
 Rnd 20. BLUE 5sc, dec, 1sc [8]
 Rnd 21. 8sc [8]
 Rnd 22. 8sc [8]
 Rnd 23. 8sc [8]

Fill up the dolphin with fiberfill. You are now going to prepare the spot for the tail



Rnd 24. 2sc, 1ch. Fold round 23/24 together and crochet further through both sides together [see photo] 4sc through both sides. Be sure that the tail is not on the wrong spot. If so use an extra stitch before the chain stitch



Tail

Color: blue

*Start at round 23 of the body.
 Crochet in ROWS and not in rounds.
 Always use a chain stitch to turn.*

Row 1. 1 ch, turn, (inc) crochet 4x [8]



Row 2. 1 ch, turn, 3dc in 1 stich, 1 dc, 4sl st, 1dc, 3dc in sc [12]

End off.

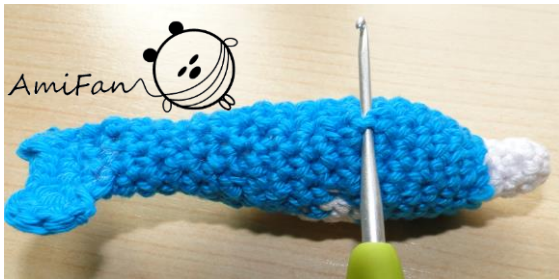


Fin (upside – body part)

Color: blue

Crochet in the body. Start above the eye in de middle off the body. Start on round 11.

!!! Crochet this in rows !!!



Row 1. Crochet 5c towards the tail. Turn. [5]



Row 2. 1ch, 3sc, dec [4] turn.



Row 3. 1ch, dec, 1hdc, (3hdc+1sc) in last stich [6]

End off.



Fin (side part) 2x

Crochet in the body just next to the white spot on the body (Rnd 14) and crochet from belly to Upside Fin.



Row 1. Start with 3sc on the body. Turn. [5]



Row 2. 1ch, dec, 1sc [2] turn.

Row 3. 1ch, dec [2]

End off. Repeat on the other side on the body



Eyes (2x)

Sew 2 eyes with black yarn on the white part of the dolphin.

Now your dolphin is ready!



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Crochet Amigurumi – Hint

All the figures are crochet in a spiral (if not, it is mentioned in the pattern). If you want to have a nice shape off the amigurumi you have to crochet as tight as possible, so you do not see the fiber filling between the stiches.

I always use cotton yarn suitable for the 2,5 or 3mm crochet hook. But I crochet with a 2mm crochet hook or smaller.

The colors on my patterns are just an example. Choose your own colors to make your own amigurumi. That is why I do not mention the distributor off the yarn. Sometimes I want to give the amigurumi a extra twist (like fluffy hair), than I mention the yarn distributor. So you can achieve the same effect.

Attention: all yarns are different. Thin yarns and smaller crochet hook? No problem, but your amigurumi will be tiny!. In this case (with the clothspin) you use the same yarn as mentioned in the pattern. So it fits around the clothspin.

I always use 100% cotton yarn except it is fluffy yarn.

Who is AmiFan

I am a Dutch women and I like to design amigurumi. I started crocheting in 2003 and fall in love with the Japanese Amigurumi. Soon I started designing myself. In 2012 I started a blog website and in 2018 I moved this blog to the following address: dutchamigurumi.wordpress.com

All my patterns are written in Dutch. Some are also in English like this one. My patterns are free to download on my blog. Sometimes I publish on other websites or in magazines.



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