

Free Crochet Doll Amigurumi Pattern – Dress and Hat Outfit

I'm here with you today with a beginner-friendly crochet doll amigurumi pattern – including a cute dress and hat outfit! This pattern is perfect for anyone who wants to practice working in the round, increasing, decreasing, and simple shaping. I'll walk you through each step in clear, detailed language so you can follow along with confidence. Let's pick up our hook and yarn, and start making this adorable little doll together!

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(Detailed beginner-friendly version, US crochet terms)

Materials and Tools

- Yarn in any colors you like (for doll body, dress, hat)
- Crochet hook suitable for your yarn (e.g., 2.5–3.5 mm for worsted weight)
- Safety eyes (about 6–8 mm) or black yarn for embroidering eyes
- Polyester fiberfill for stuffing
- Blush or pastel chalk for tinting cheeks (optional)
- Yarn needle for sewing parts together
- Scissors

Abbreviations (US terms)

Abbreviation	Meaning
MR	magic ring
ch	chain stitch

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tch	turning chain
sc	single crochet
dc	double crochet
hdc	half double crochet
inc	increase (2 sc in same stitch)
dec	decrease (sc 2 stitches together)
(...) x n	repeat instructions in parentheses n times
[...]	stitch count at end of round

LEGS (make 2)

Work in continuous rounds (do not join) unless stated otherwise.

Round 1: Make a magic ring, work 6 sc into the ring. Pull tight. [6]

Round 2: (2 sc, inc) x 2.

- 2 sc in next 2 stitches, *inc* in next stitch – repeat 1 more time. [8]

Rounds 3–5: 8 sc (each round). [8]

Now you will work in rows (turn at end of each row) to shape the foot.

Round 6: Turn. 5 sc. [5]

Rounds 7–8: Turn. 5 sc (each row). [5]

Return to working in the round around the entire piece.

Round 9: Crochet in the round with sc, adding extra sc in the “turning-loop” stitches along the side.

- You should have 10 sc total around. [10]

Round 10: 8 sc, dec. [9]

Round 11: 7 sc, dec. [8]

Rounds 12–30: 8 sc (each round). [8]

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff lightly at the end.

BODY AND HEAD (worked in one piece)

Start at the bottom of the body.

You will join legs first, then work upward.

Step 1 – Joining legs:

Take both legs. Place them next to each other.

Chain 3 (this creates a bridge between legs).

Round 1: Work 8 sc around the first leg, then work 3 sc along the chain, then 8 sc around the second leg, then 3 sc along the other side of the chain. [22]

Round 2: 6 sc, inc, 11 sc, inc, 3 sc. [24]

Round 3: 24 sc. [24]

Rounds 4–7: 24 sc (each round). [24]

Round 8: 7 sc, dec, 10 sc, dec, 3 sc. [22]

Round 9: 22 sc. [22]

Round 10: 6 sc, dec, 10 sc, dec, 2 sc. [20]

Round 11: 20 sc. [20]

Round 12: 6 sc, dec, 8 sc, dec, 2 sc. [18]

Round 13: 18 sc. [18]

Round 14: (2 sc, dec) x 4, dec.

- 2 sc, dec repeated 4 times, then 1 more dec. [13]

Round 15: sc, dec, 10 sc. [12]

Round 16: 6 dec (decrease 6 times). [6]

Rounds 17–18: 6 sc (each round). [6]

Now start increasing for the head.

Round 19: 6 inc (2 sc in each stitch). [12]

Round 20: 12 inc (2 sc in each stitch). [24]

Round 21: (3 sc, inc) x 6. [30]

Round 22: (4 sc, inc) x 6. [36]

Round 23: (5 sc, inc) x 6. [42]

Rounds 24–30: 42 sc (each round). [42]

Round 31: (5 sc, dec) x 6. [36]

Round 32: (4 sc, dec) x 6. [30]

Round 33: (3 sc, dec) x 6. [24]

Round 34: (2 sc, dec) x 6. [18]

Round 35: (sc, dec) x 6. [12]

Round 36: 6 dec. [6]

Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Close the opening by weaving the tail through the last 6 stitches and pulling tight.

Insert safety eyes between rounds 25–26 of head, about 6–8 stitches apart.

Stuff firmly before closing.

ARMS (make 2)

Round 1: Magic ring with 4 sc. [4]

Round 2: (sc, inc) x 2. [6]

Rounds 3–15: 6 sc (each round). [6]

Fasten off, leave a long tail. Do not stuff (or stuff very lightly). Sew to sides of body around round 12–13 of the body.

DRESS

Leave a 10 cm (4 inch) yarn tail at the beginning for sewing the dress onto the doll.

Row 1: Chain 21. Starting in the second chain from hook, work 20 sc across. [20]

Row 2: Chain 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout dress), 4 hdc, chain 4, skip 3 stitches, (2 hdc, hdc inc) x 2, chain 4, skip 3 stitches, 4 hdc. [24]

Row 3: Chain 2, (3 hdc, hdc inc) x 6. [30]

Row 4: Chain 2, 30 hdc (around). [30]

Row 5: Chain 2 (or 3 for dc), (4 dc, dc inc) x 6. [36]

Row 6: Chain 3, (5 dc, dc inc) x 6. [42]

Rows 7–10: Chain 3, 42 dc (each row). [42]

Fasten off, weave in ends. Sew the dress to the doll's body at the waist (around body round 10–11).

HAT

Round 1: Chain 50, join with slip stitch to first chain to form a ring (careful not to twist). [50]

Round 2: 50 sc. [50]

Rounds 3–4: Chain 3, (front post dc, back post dc) x 24. [50]

- *Front post dc:* insert hook from front to back around the post of the next stitch, yarn over and complete dc.
- *Back post dc:* insert hook from back to front around the post.

Round 5: Chain 3, 2 dc, dc decrease, (3 dc, dc decrease) x 9. [40]

Round 6: Chain 3, dc, dc decrease, (2 dc, dc decrease) x 9. [30]

Round 7: Chain 3, dc decrease, (dc, dc decrease) x 9. [20]

Round 8: (dc decrease) x 10. [10]

Round 9: (dc decrease) x 5. [5]

Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Sew the top opening closed. Add a small pom-pom or tassel if desired.

Assembly & Finishing

1. Sew arms to body.
 2. Sew dress to body at the waist.
 3. Place hat on head (you can sew it or leave it removable).
 4. Use blush or pastel to lightly tint cheeks.
 5. Embroider a small mouth if desired (a tiny “v” shape or smile).
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Beginner Tips for This Pattern

1. **Use stitch markers** – Mark the first stitch of each round on the legs, body, and head so you never lose your place.
2. **Count your stitches after every round** – Especially when increasing or decreasing. It’s easy to miss one stitch, and that will affect the shape.
3. **Stuff firmly but not too tight** – For the head and body, add enough fiberfill to hold the shape, but don’t overstuff or the stitches will stretch and show gaps.
4. **Practice the magic ring** – If you struggle with it, you can also chain 2 and work sc into the first chain, then pull the tail to close.

5. **Don't rush the post stitches on the hat** – Front post and back post dc can feel tricky at first. Work slowly and use good lighting. Once you get the rhythm, it's easier!
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Thank you so much for crocheting along with me! I hope this detailed version helps you create a sweet little doll that you'll be proud to gift or keep. If you enjoyed this pattern, please take a moment to explore my other articles with **free amigurumi patterns** – there are so many cute friends waiting to be made, from animals to fantasy characters. Happy crocheting, and I'll see you in the next pattern! ☐

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