

FURLS

— CROCHET —



Milo the Monster

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Yarn

Patons Astra Yarn

(shades A - Medium Grey, B - Emerald, C - Aran, D - Medium Tan, E - Cardinal). You will need one skein of each shade 1.75oz/50g, yarn weight 3-light (DK)

Materials

C [Odyssey Hook](#)

7.5mm safety eyes
Black embroidery thread
Stuffing
Scissors
Needle
14GA wire (Optional for arms)

Abbreviations

ch-chain
sc-single crochet
inc-increase
dec-decrease



Head & Body

Rnd 1: Starting at the top of your monster's head with A - Medium Grey Yarn sc x 6 in a magic ring (6). Or you can also ch x 2 and do 6sc in the second chain from your hook (6).

Rnd 2: Inc x 6 (12)

Rnd 3: [Sc, inc] x 6 (18)

Rnd 4: [Sc x 2, inc] x 6 (24)

Rnd 5: [Sc, inc] x 12 (36)

Rnd 6: Sc x 36 (36)

Rnd 7: [Sc x 5, inc] x 6 (42)

Rnd 8-10: Sc x 42 (42)

Rnd 11: Sc, [sc x 9, inc] x 4, sc (46)

Rnd 12-13: Sc x 46 (46)

Rnd 14: Sc x 20, insert your first safety eye in the last stitch you just did (or you can also place a stitch marker and come back and insert your safety eyes later), sc x 6, place your second safety eye in the last stitch you just did, sc x 20 (46)

Rnd 15: Sc x 46 (46)

Rnd 16: You will now start decreasing to create the neck area. Sc, [sc x 7, dec] x 5 (41)

Rnd 17: Sc x 41 (41)

Rnd 18: Sc, [sc x 6, dec] x 5 (36)

Rnd 19: Sc x 36 (36)

Rnd 20: Make sure that the washers are attached to the back of your safety eyes. Dec x 18 (18)

Rnd 21: Dec x 9, stuff the head of your monster firmly (9)

Rnd 22: Sc x 9 (9)

Rnd 23: You will now start the body of your monster, and you will start to increase to create the torso. Change to B - Emerald Yarn and sc x 9 (9)

Rnd 24: [Sc, inc] x 4, sc (13)

Rnd 25: Sc x 13 (13)

Rnd 26: Sc, [sc, inc] x 6 (19)

Rnd 27: Sc x 19 (19)

Rnd 28: Sc x 2, [sc x 2, inc] x 5, sc x 2 (24)

Rnd 29: Sc x 24 (24)

Rnd 30: Sc x 12, [sc, inc] x 3, sc x 6 (27)

Rnd 31-32: Sc x 27 (27)

Rnd 33: Sc x 3, change to A - Medium Grey Yarn and sc x 24 (27)

Rnd 34: Sc x 2, [sc x 2, dec] x 6, sc (21)

Rnd 35-37: Sc x 21 (21)

Rnd 38: You will now start to decrease and finish off this portion of the pattern. Make sure you stuff your Monster firmly. Sc, dec x 10 (11)

Rnd 39: Dec x 5, sc (6)

Ears

Rnd 1: Starting at the tip of the ear with A - Medium Grey Yarn sc x 6 in a magic ring (6). Or you can also ch x 2 and do 6sc in the second chain from your hook (6).

Rnd 2-3: Sc x 6 (6)

Rnd 4: [Inc, sc] x 3 (9)

Rnd 5: Sc x 9 (9)

Rnd 6: Sc, [inc, sc] x 4 (13)

Rnd 7: Sc, [inc, sc] x 6 (19)

Rnd 8-9: Sc x 19 (19)

Rnd 10: Sc, dec x 9 (10)

Rnd 11-12: Sc x 10, fasten off at the end of Rnd12 (10)

Horns & Nose

Horns (make 2)

Rnd1: Starting at the tip of the horn with C - Aran Yarn sc x 6 in a magic ring (6). Or you can also ch x 2 and do 6sc in the second chain from your hook (6).

Rnd2-4: Sc x 6, fasten off at the end of Rnd4 (6)

Nose

Row 1: With A - Medium Grey Yarn ch x 4 (4)

Row 2: Turn, sc x 3 (3)

Rnd 3: Do not turn sc x 3 down the opposite side of your work (3)

Rnd 4: Sc around the entire piece x 6 (6)

Rnd 5: Sc x 6, fasten off (6)



Arms & Legs

Arm (make 2)

Rnd 1: Starting at the tip of your monsters hand with A - Medium Grey Yarn sc x 6 in a magic ring , or ch x 2 and sc x 6 in the second chain from your hook (6)

Rnd 2: [Inc, sc x 2] x 2 (8)

Rnd 3: Sc x 8 (8)

Rnd 4: Now you will create the thumb, do a puff stitch (or also known as a popcorn stitch) x 1, sc x 7 (8)

Rnd 5-6: Sc x 8 (8)

Rnd 7: Dec, sc x 6 (7)

Rnd 8-13: Sc x 7(7)

Rnd 14: Change to B - Emerald Yarn and sc x 7 (7)

Rnd 15-17: Sc x 7, fasten off at the end of Rnd17 (7)

Leg (make 2)

Rnd 1: Starting at the bottom of your foot with A - Medium Grey Yarn sc x 6 in a magic ring , or ch x 2 and sc x 6 in the second chain from your hook (6)

Rnd 2: Inc x 6 (12)

Rnd 3: [Sc, inc] x 6 (18)

Rnd 4: [Sc x 2, inc]x 6 (24)

Rnd 5: Please do this entire round in the back loops, [sc x 4, dec] x 4 (20)

Rnd 6: Sc x 20 (20)

Rnd 7: [Sc x 3, dec] x 4 (16)

Rnd 8: Sc x 16 (16)

Rnd 9: Sc, [sc x 3, dec] x 3 (13)

Rnd 10: Sc x 13 (13)

Rnd 11: Sc, [sc x 4, dec] x 2 (11)

Rnd 12: Sc x 11 (11)

Rnd 13: sc, [sc x 3, dec] x 2 (9)

Rnd 14-22: Sc x 9 (9)

Rnd 23: Dec, sc x 7 (8)

Rnd 24: Dec, sc x 6 (7)

Rnd 25: Sc x 7, fasten off (7)

Finishing Touches

Collar

Row 1: With B - Emerald Yarn ch x 16 (16)

Row 2: Turn, ch, sc x 15, fasten off (15)

Heart

Rnd 1: Starting at the bottom of your heart with E - Cardinal Yarn sc x 6 in a magic ring, or ch x 2 and sc x 6 in the second chain from your hook (6)

Rnd 2-4: Sc x 6 (6)

Rnd 5: [Sc, inc] x 3 (9)

Rnd 6: Sc, [sc, inc] x 4 (13)

Rnd 7: Sc, [sc, inc] x 6 (19)

Rnd 8: Sc x 19 (19)

Rnd 9: You will now be creating the top two halves of the heart, Skip 9 stitches, sc x 10 (10)

Rnd 10-11: Sc x 10 (10)

Rnd 12: You will now start decreasing and finishing the first top of the heart, stuff your heart as you are working, dec x 5 (5)

Rnd 13: Dec x 2, slip stitch in last stitch, fasten off and weave in ends (3)

Second Top Half Of The Heart

Rnd 1: Insert your hook into the first stitch to the left of the completed first top half of your heart and sc, sc x 7, inc (10)

Rnd 2-3: Sc x 10, stuff the whole heart, from this point on you will be crocheting the heart closed (10)

Rnd 4: Dec x 5 (5)

Rnd 13: Dec x 2, slip stitch in last stitch, fasten off and weave in ends (3)

Assembly

Stuff your Monster's head and body firmly and weave in all loose ends. Sew on the ears, just about level with your monsters eyes. I like to use dress making pins to keep the pieces in place before attaching them to my amigurumi. You can add wire through the body and arms if you would like to make him posable. Sew the arms and legs in place, and sew on the nose and collar. Weave in all of your ends and trim them. And that's it, you now have your very own sweet little monster!



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