

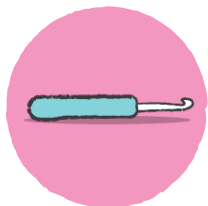
MEET CLINT



THE WOOBLES

SETUP

MATERIALS



4mm crochet hook



10mm safety eyes



Tapestry needle



Scissors
(not included)



Stuffing



Green medium-weight
yarn, with 3 stitch
markers in it (50 yds)



Brown medium-weight
yarn (25 yds)

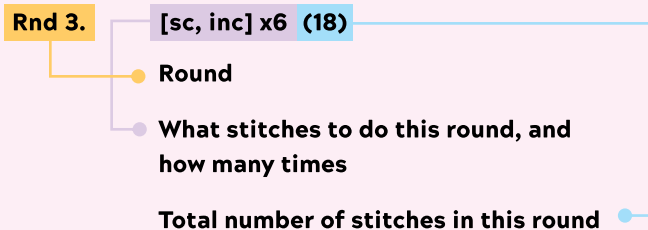


Pink medium-weight
yarn (2 yds)



Black medium-weight
yarn (1 yd)

HOW TO READ A WOOBLES PATTERN



For round 3, repeat the pattern in the brackets 6 times. The pattern is: single crochet in 1 stitch, then increase stitch in the next stitch. Because an increase is actually 2 single crochet stitches in the same stitch of the previous round, the total number of stitches in this round is 18.

ABBREVIATIONS

This pattern is written in US terminology, and crocheted in continuous rounds. Watch video tutorials at thewobles.com/tutorials

blo	back loop only
dc	double crochet
dec	(invisible) decrease
flo	front loop only
inc	increase (2 sc in the same hole)
rnd	round
sc	single crochet

PATTERN

HEAD & BODY

With green yarn.

TIP Keep track of where you are by placing a stitch marker in the first stitch of the current round.

Rnd 1. start 6 sc in a magic loop (6)

Rnd 2. 6 inc (12)

Rnd 3. [sc, inc] x 6 (18)

Rnd 4. [2 sc, inc] x 6 (24)

Rnd 5. 24 sc (24)

TIP Your piece might start curling - that's totally normal. For a neater final look, push the middle of your piece until it curves the other way. This makes the "right side" face out. Then keep crocheting to the left. If you're a lefty, keep crocheting to the right.

Rnd 6. [5 sc, inc] x 4 (28)

Rnds 7-9. 28 sc (28)

Rnd 10. [6 sc, inc] x 4 (32)

Rnds 11-13. 32 sc (32)

Rnd 14. [2 sc, dec] x 8 (24)

Rnd 15. 24 sc (24)

Rnd 16. [sc, dec] x 8 (16)

Rnd 17. 16 sc (16)

Attach the eyes between rounds 7 and 8 with a 6-stitch space between them. If this amigurumi is for a baby or pet, embroider the eyes instead. Stuff the piece, shaping it like an egg.

Rnd 18. 8 dec (8)

Fasten off leaving a long tail. Thread a needle with the tail; then use it to pull the yarn tail through the front loops of each stitch. Pull tight to close the remaining gap.

ARMS

With green yarn (make two).

Rnd 1. start 4 sc in a magic loop (4)

Rnd 2. 4 inc (8)

Rnds 3-4. sc, 2 dc, sc, 4 sl st (8)

TIP dc means double crochet.

Rnd 5. 8 sc (8)

Invisible fasten off, leaving a long tail. Stuff lightly with yarn scraps. Use the yarn tail to sew the arms to either side of the body spanning rounds 8 to 10. The arms should curve up.

Start here if you're using the pre-made piece

MOUTH

Thread a needle with an arm's length of black yarn. Embroider a curve between the eyes, spanning round 9 and two stitches wide:

Step 1.

Insert the needle somewhere on right side of the body, and out between rounds 8 and 9, where you want the right end of the curve to be. Leave a 6-inch tail.

Step 2.

Insert the needle two stitches to the left, where you want the left side of the curve to be. Pull it out between the two ends of the curve and one round down. This is the bottom of the curve.

Step 3.

Pull the yarn just tight enough so that the curve looks like you want it. Make sure the needle and yarn came out below the curve.

Step 4.

Bring the needle up and over the curve, and insert the needle into the same hole it just came out of. Pull the needle out of the same hole in the body that it originally went into, so that both yarn tails are coming out of the same hole. Pull tight to secure the curve.

Step 5.

Tie a knot with both yarn tails, as close to the surface of the body as possible. Hide the yarn in the body.



RIBS

Thread a needle with two arm's length of green yarn. Embroider six evenly spaced vertical lines down the sides of the cactus:

Step 1.

Insert the needle through the center bottom of the cactus and up out the top. Leave a 6-inch tail.

Step 2.

To embroider the first line, draw the yarn down the body of the cactus between one eye and the nearest corner of the smile. Then insert the needle back through the center bottom of the cactus and pull it out of the top.

Step 3.

To embroider the second line, repeat step 2 between the other eye and other corner of the smile.

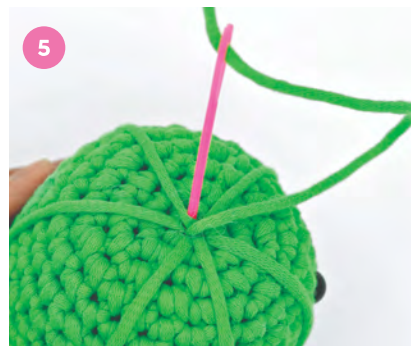
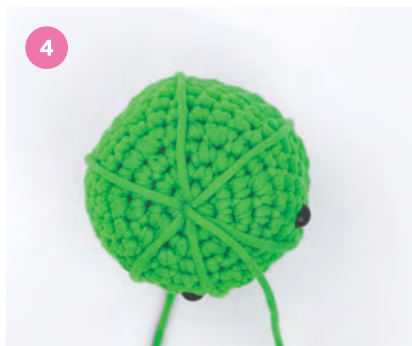
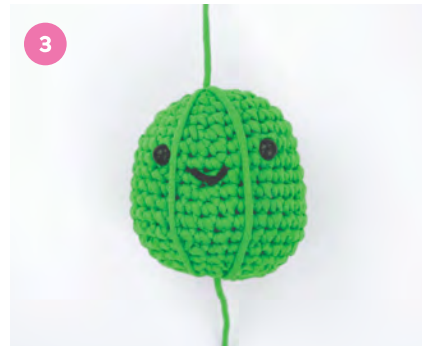
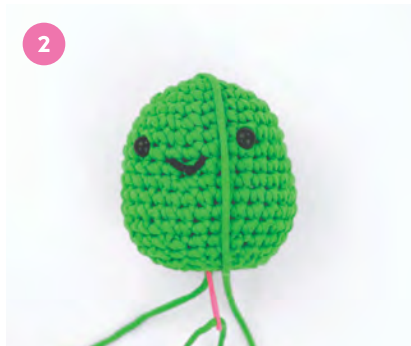
Step 4.

Repeat the same motion to embroider four more evenly spaced lines around the body of the cactus. From above, the lines should look like a six-sided asterisk.

Step 5.

When you've embroidered all six lines, bring the needle over one of the lines at the very top of the cactus. Then insert the needle through the top center of the cactus and out the bottom through the same hole it first came in, so that both yarn tails are coming out of the same hole.

Tie a knot with both yarn tails, as close to the surface of the body as possible. Hide the yarn in the body.



FLOWER

With pink yarn.

Step 1.

Ch 5. Mark the first chain with a stitch marker

Step 2.

Fold the chain in half and sl st into the chain marked by the stitch marker.

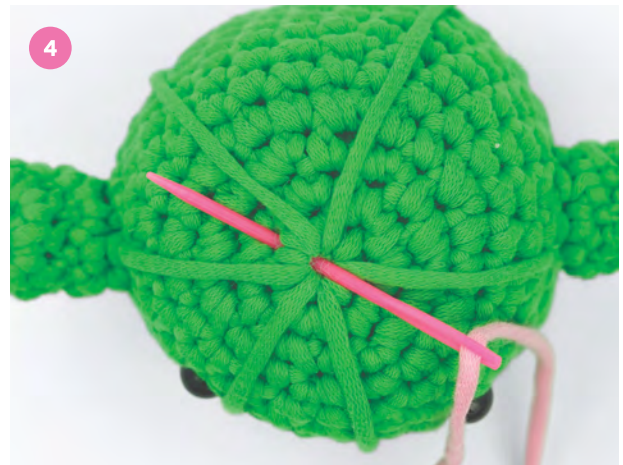


Step 3.

[Ch 4, sl st into the chain marked by the stitch marker] x4.

Step 4.

Fasten off leaving a long tail. Thread a needle with the tail. Use it to sew the flower to the top of the cactus.



POT

With brown yarn.

- Rnd 1.** start 6 sc in magic loop (6)
- Rnd 2.** 6 inc (12)
- Rnd 3.** [sc, inc] x 6 (18)
- Rnd 4.** [inc, 2 sc] x 6 (24)
- Rnd 5.** [3 sc, inc] x 6 (30)
- Rnd 6.** 30 sc blo (30)

TIP *blo* means to do the stitch through the back loop only.

- Rnd 7.** [inc, 9 sc] x 3 (33)
- Rnd 8.** 33 sc (33)
- Rnd 9.** [10 sc blo, inc blo] x 3 (36)
- Rnd 10.** 36 sc (36)
- Rnd 11.** 36 sc flo (36)

TIP *flo* means to do the stitch through the front loop only.

- Rnd 12.** 36 sc (36)

Invisible fasten off leaving a long tail. Thread a needle with the tail. Fold the top of the pot over so the top edge matches up with the leftover front loops of round 9. Whip stitch the edge of round 12 and front loops of round 9 together. Place the cactus inside the pot.

