

# Crochet Pattern Duck



## Model Information:

### Size:

Approx. 12 cm high and 7 cm wide.

### Materials:

- Yarn (e.g.):

- ✧ Friends Cotton 8/4 (100% Cotton, 50 g, 160 m)  
Colors: white (01), cappuccino (10), dark yellow (26), black (124)

- Crochet hook 2.5
- Yarn needle, sewing needle
- Scissors
- Stuffing/Fiberfill
- Blush or red fabric marker

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## Instructions

The head and body of the duck are crocheted in one piece. Then, the wings, beak, feet, hat, and bow tie are crocheted and sewn on.

If a different needle size or yarn is used, the duck will be correspondingly larger or smaller.

*Tip:* Do not always make the increases and decreases in the same place as in the previous round, otherwise the animals will become somewhat "angular."

The pattern uses US terms.

## Head and Body

The work begins at the top of the head. It is crocheted in single crochet stitches in spiral rounds.



**Round 1:** crochet 6 sc in a magic ring (= 6 sts)



**Round 2 (Increase):** 2 sc in each stitch (each stitch doubled) (= 12 sts)

**Round 3 (Increase):** inc every 2nd stitch (= 18 sts)

**Round 4 (Increase):** inc every 3rd stitch (= 24 sts)

**Round 5 (Increase):** inc every 4th stitch (= 30 sts)

**Round 6 (Increase):** inc every 5th stitch (= 36 sts)

**Round 7 (Increase):** inc every 6th stitch (= 42 sts)

**Round 8 (Increase):** inc every 7th stitch (= 48 sts)

**Round 9 - 15:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 48 sts)

**Round 16 (Decrease):** dec every 7th and 8th stitch together (= 42 sts)

**Round 17 (Decrease):** dec every 6th and 7th stitch together (= 36 sts)

**Round 18 (Decrease):** dec every 5th and 6th stitch together (= 30 sts)

**Round 19 (Decrease):** dec every 4th and 5th stitch together (= 24 sts)

**Round 20 (Decrease):** dec every 3rd and 4th stitch together (= 18 sts)

**Round 21:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 18 sts)



**Round 22 (Increase):** inc every 3rd stitch (= 24 sts)

**Round 23:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 24 sts)

**Round 24 (Increase):** inc every 4th stitch (= 30 sts)

Fill the head firmly with stuffing.

In the next round, the body is shaped.



**Round 25 (Increase):** 1 sc in each of the first 15 sts, 11 ch (incl. 1 tch), work 1 sc into each st of the chain (10 sc) and 1 sc into each of the last 15 sts (= 50 sts)



So, a chain is created in the middle of the round, which will be incorporated into the following rounds. This forms the back and tail of the duck.



**Round 26 (Increase):** 1 sc in each of the first 25 sts, then work 2 sc into the tip of the tail (tch from previous round), 1 sc in each of the last 25 sts (= 52 sts)



**Round 27 (Increase):** inc every 5th stitch (= 62 sts)

**Round 28:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 62 sts)

The following decreases should always be made at the tail end.



**Round 29 (Decrease):** 30 sc, dec 2 x 2 sts together, 28 sc (= 60 sts)

**Round 30 (Decrease):** 29 sc, dec 2 x 2 sts together, 27 sc (= 58 sts)

**Round 31 (Decrease):** 26 sc, dec 4 x 2 sts together, 26 sc (= 54 sts)



**Round 32 (Decrease):** 23 sc, dec 5 x 2 sts together, 21 sc (= 49 sts)

**Round 33 (Decrease):** 21 sc, dec 5 x 2 sts together, 18 sc (= 44 sts)

**Round 34 (Decrease):** 21 sc, dec 2 x 2 sts together, 19 sc (= 42 sts)



**Round 35 (Decrease):** dec every 6th and 7th stitch together (= 36 sts)

**Round 36 (Decrease):** dec every 5th and 6th stitch together (= 30 sts)

**Round 37 (Decrease):** dec every 4th and 5th stitch together (= 24 sts)



Firmly stuff the body with filling.

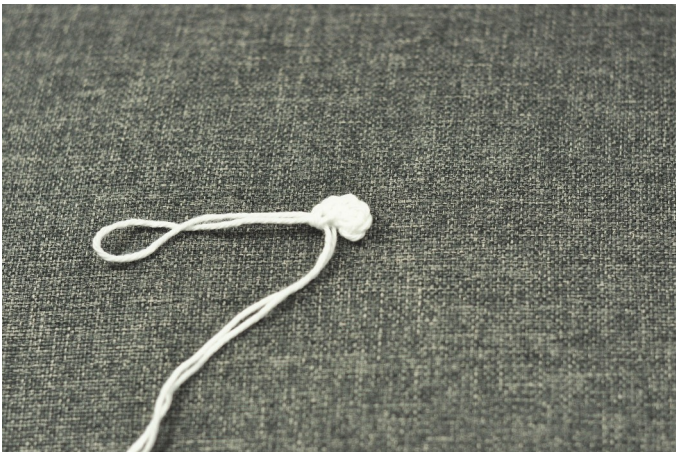


**Round 38 (Decrease):** dec every 3rd and 4th stitch together (= 18 sts)  
**Round 39 (Decrease):** dec every 2nd and 3rd stitch together (= 12 sts)  
**Round 40 (Decrease):** dec every 2 sts together (= 6 sts)

Cut the yarn and thread it through the front loops of the last 6 stitches. Pull tight to close the opening and weave in the end on the inside.

## Wings

The wings are crocheted in spiral rounds using single crochet stitches.



**Round 1:** crochet 6 sc in a magic ring (= 6 sts)



**Round 2 (Increase):** inc each stitch (= 12 sts)



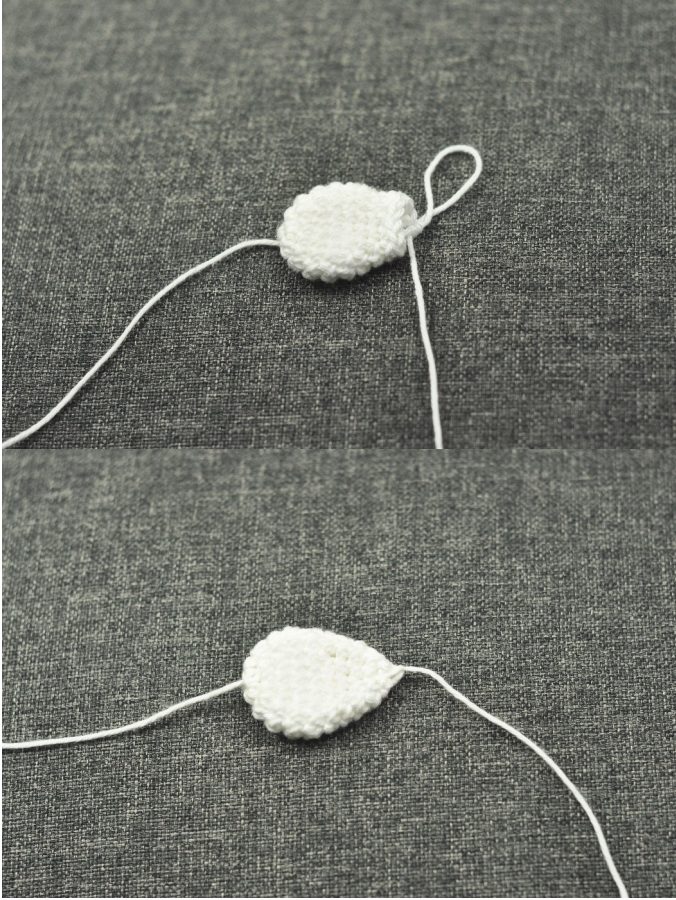
**Round 3 (Increase):** inc every 2nd stitch (= 18 sts)

**Round 4 - 5:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 18 sts)



**Round 6 (Decrease):** dec every 2nd and 3rd stitch together (= 12 sts)

**Round 7:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 12 sts)



**Round 8 (Decrease):** dec every 3rd and 4th stitch together (= 9 sts)

**Round 9:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 9 sts)

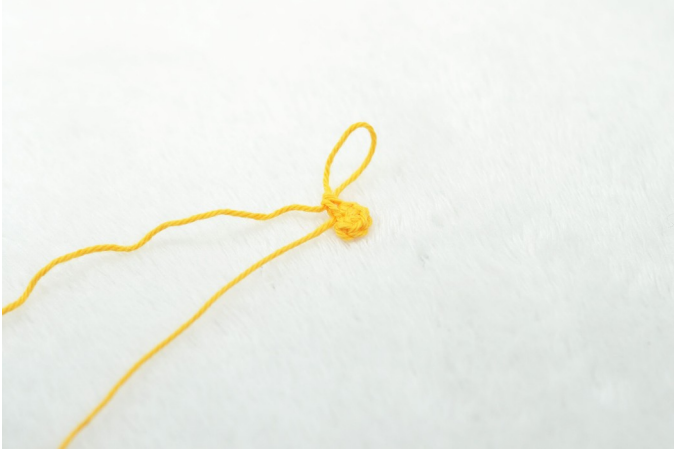
**Round 10 (Decrease):** dec every 2nd and 3rd stitch together (= 6 sts)

Cut the thread and pass it through all 6 front loops of the last 6 stitches. Pull the thread tight and bring it back to the beginning.

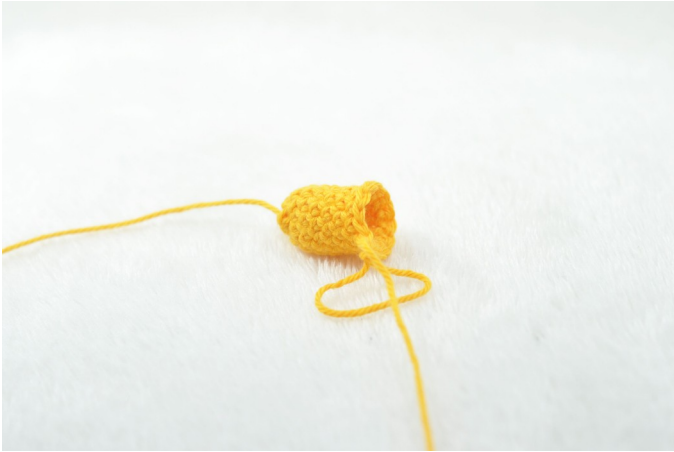
Repeat the same for the second wing.

## Feet

The feet are crocheted in spiral rounds.



**Round 1:** crochet 6 sc in a magic ring (= 6 sts)



**Round 2 (Increase):** inc each stitch (= 12 sts)

**Round 3 - 8:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 12 sts)

Press the circle together at the top and close the end by crocheting the next stitches at the top.





In the first stitch, crochet 1 sc, 1 hdc, 1 ch, 1 hdc, and 1 sc. In the next stitch, crochet 1 sl st. Repeat this two more times.

**Round 9:** [(1 sc, 1 hdc, 1 ch, 1 hdc, 1 sc), 1 sl st] x 3

At the end, cut the thread a bit longer for later sewing and bring it back to the beginning.

Repeat the same for the second foot.



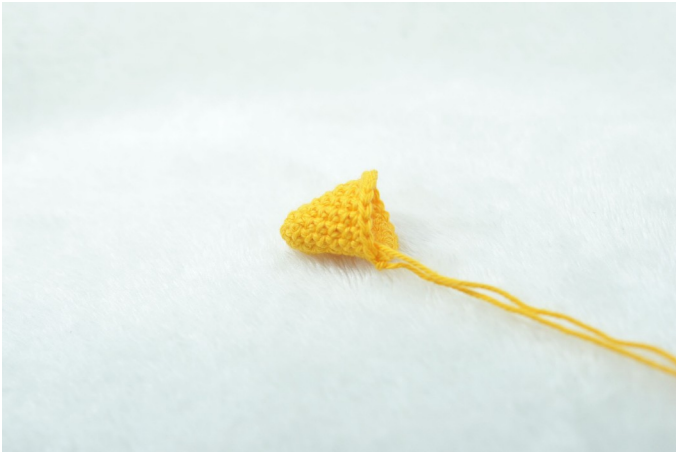
## Beak

The beak is crocheted in spiral rounds using single crochet stitches.



**Round 1:** crochet 6 sc in a magic ring (= 6 sts)

The increases in the next rounds are always made at the same spot.



**Round 2 (Increase):** 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc (2 sc in 1 st), 2 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 1 sc (= 8 sts)

**Round 3 (Increase):** 2 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 3 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 1 sc (= 10 sts)

**Round 4 (Increase):** 3 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 4 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 1 sc (= 12 sts)

**Round 5 (Increase):** 4 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 5 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 1 sc (= 14 sts)

**Round 6 (Increase):** 5 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 6 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 1 sc (= 16 sts)

**Round 7 (Increase):** 6 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 7 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 1 sc (= 18 sts)

**Round 8 (Increase):** 7 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 8 x 1 sc, 1 x 2 sc, 1 sc (= 20 sts)

Close with a sl st and cut the yarn, leaving a longer tail.

Stuff the beak with a little filling.

# Hat

The hat is crocheted with single crochets in spiral rounds.



Leave the starting yarn about 50 cm long before beginning to crochet the hat.

**Round 1:** crochet 6 sc in a magic ring (= 6 sts)



**Round 2 (Increase):** inc each stitch (= 12 sts)



**Round 3 (Increase):** inc every 2nd stitch (= 18 sts)

**Round 4 (Increase):** inc every 3rd stitch (= 24 sts)

**Round 5 (Increase):** inc every 4th stitch (= 30 sts)

**Round 6 (Increase):** inc every 5th stitch (= 36 sts)



**Round 7 (Increase):** inc every 6th stitch (= 42 sts)

**Round 8 (Increase):** inc every 7th stitch (= 48 sts)

**Round 9 (Increase):** inc every 8th stitch (= 54 sts)

**Round 10 - 11:** 1 sc in each stitch (= 54 sts)

**Round 12 (Decrease):** dec every 8th and 7th stitch together (= 48 sts)

**Round 13 (Decrease):** dec every 7th and 8th stitch together (= 42 sts)

**Round 14 (Decrease):** dec every 6th and 7th stitch together (= 36 sts)

Close the end with a sl st and cut the yarn, leaving a long tail.

With the starting yarn, you can now crochet a small detail at the top of the hat: Make a loop and crochet 5 ch.



Skip one ch (tch), crochet 1 sc into the next stitch, and then crochet 1 sl st into each of the remaining 3 chain stitches.

Pull the end through to the inside and weave in the end.

## **Bow tie**

The bow tie is crocheted from two parts: the band and the bow tie itself.

### ***Band***

The band is crocheted in rows with slip stitches and chain stitches.

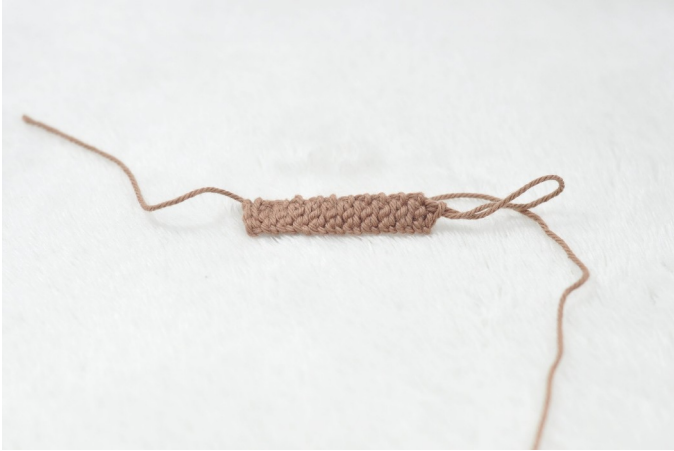


**Row 1:** Crochet 3 ch (incl. 1 tch)



In the following rows, you will only crochet into the front loop of the stitches.

**Row 2:** 2 sl st, 1 ch (= 2 sts)



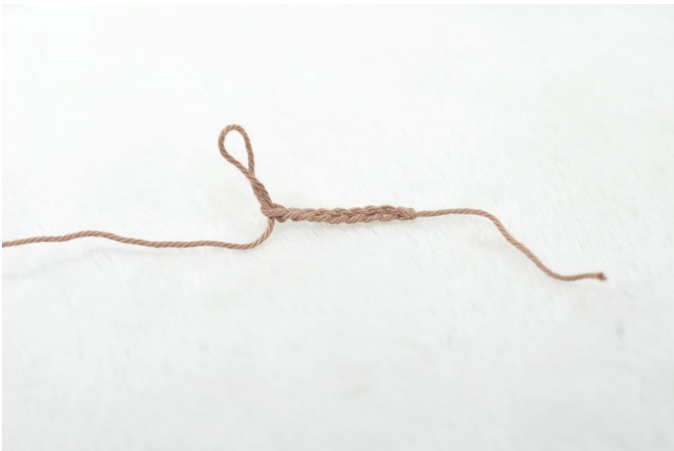
**Row 3 - 50:** 2 sl st, 1 ch (= 2 sts)

The band is about 11.5 cm long and should sit loosely around the neck of the duck.

Close the end with a slip stitch and cut the yarn a bit longer.

## ***Bow tie***

The bow tie is crocheted in rows using single crochet and chain stitches. Two pieces are crocheted, placed on top of each other, and crocheted together before a band shapes the bow tie.



**Row 1:** Crochet 9 ch (incl. 1 tch)



**Row 2:** 1 sc each, 1 ch (= 8 sts)



**Row 3 - 5:** 1 sc each, 1 ch (= 8 sts)

Cut the yarn, pull the end through, and repeat the same process once more.  
Do not cut the yarn at the end of the second piece.



Place both pieces on top of each other with the right sides facing out.  
Crochet them together around the edges.

Crochet 6 sc stitches along the long side.



Crochet 3 sc into the corner.

Crochet 3-4 sc along the short side until the next corner, then crochet 3 sc into the corner again.



Along the bottom long side, crochet 6 sc to the corner, 3 sc into the corner, and 3-4 sc along the short side. Crochet 3 sc into the last corner again.



Crochet 2-3 sl st on the back to the center.

Then, crochet a chain of 7 ch (incl. 1 tch).



Crochet 1 sc into each of the 6 stitches and finish with a sl st to the square.



Wrap the band around the front of the square, close it at the back with a sl st, and pull it tight. This creates the bow shape.



## Sew the individual pieces together



Now all the individual parts are complete and can be sewn together.



First, sew the feet onto the body. You can use the tail and the final round as a guide to ensure the feet are centered.



Then, sew the wings onto the left and right sides (the upper part of the wing should be approximately at the level of the 25th row of the body).



If there is a small hole at the back where the body transitions to the tail, it can be closed with a thread end from the wing.



The beak is sewn onto the center of the face. The upper part of the beak lies between the 11th and 12th round of the head.



Sew the two eyes on with a bit of black. First, sew them with one stitch to check if the spacing is correct (Row 11 of the head, about 8 stitches apart).





Sew the eyes with 8-10 stitches to make them a bit thicker. Then, sew lightly downward with a short horizontal stitch.



Sew the two eyebrows above the eyes.



A bit of white can be sewn into the eyes to create light reflections.



The band for the bow tie is placed around the neck and sewn together with 2 stitches.



The bow tie is sewn on with a few stitches about 2 rows away from the edge.



Next, the hat is sewn on. The thread is run all the way through the bottom part of the hat, making it fit a bit more snugly.



The last round of the hat is sewn at the top. The hat is lightly stuffed with filling cotton.



In the end, the cheeks can be colored with a bit of blush or red fabric paint.

And the sweet duck is ready! :-)



## Abbreviations

st = stitch  
ch = chain stitch  
sc = single crochet  
sl st = slip stitch  
tch = turning chain  
hdc = half double crochet  
inc = increase  
dec = decrease

Enjoy the pattern!

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