CROCHET MUSHROOM GUY

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SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE CROCHETERS | HOOK: 2.00MM | TIME: WEEKEND PROJECT

MATERIALS & YARN SPECIFICATIONS

- Crochet hook 2.00mm (for main project)
- Cotton fingering (4 ply) yarn:
- Warm Cream: 25 g
- Pale Sage Cream: 16 g
- Terracotta Red: 25 g
- Dusty Rose: scrap (optional, for cheeks)
- Dark Brown Black: scrap (4 strands of black yarn or embroidery thread, for mouth)
- Stuffing
- Black safety eyes (10mm - **IMPORTANT: Do not use plastic eyes if intended for children under 3; this is a choking hazard. Instead you can embroider them securely using yarn.**)
- Stitch markers/scrap yarn
- Pointy yarn needle
- Scissors
- Sewing pins
- Craft glue - Optional
- Blush and brush - Optional
- For Chunky Mushroom (variation): Hobbii Honey Bunny Yarn, 5mm hook, 24mm eyes, Warm Cream: 170g, Pale Sage Cream: 70g, Terracotta Red: 130g
- For Pocket Mushroom (variation): Scheepjes Sugar Rush yarn, 0.90mm hook, 6mm eyes, Warm Cream: 16g, Pale Sage Cream: 7g, Terracotta Red: 10g

SIZING GUIDE & MEASUREMENTS

Size	To Fit Chest	Finished Dimensions
Main Project	Not applicable	18 cm (7 inches) tall
Chunky Mushroom	Not applicable	50 cm (20 inches) tall
Pocket Mushroom	Not applicable	13 cm (5 inches) tall

Gauge Swatch (Tension): Not specified in pattern.

ABBREVIATIONS & CRAFT GLOSSARY

Abbr	Meaning	Abbr	Meaning
mgc	magic circle	**sc**	single crochet
hdc	half double crochet	**dc**	double crochet
tc	triple crochet	**ch**	chain
inc	increase	**dec**	invisible decrease
rnds	rounds	**BLO**	back loop only
IMPORTANT	Do not use plastic eyes if intended for children under 3; this is a choking hazard. Instead you can embroider them securely using yarn. Close supervision is needed, as small parts/loose ends can be hazardous to children.	**dc-inc**	Work 2 double crochet stitches into the same stitch.

STEP-BY-STEP PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS

HEAD: MAIN BODY

1. Using Warm Cream, (remember to stuff as you go)
2. 1. mgc 6 (6)
3. 2. inc x 6 (12)
4. 3. (sc, inc) x 6 (18)
5. 4. (sc 2, inc) x 6 (24)
6. 5. (sc 3, inc) x 6 (30)
7. 6. (sc 4, inc) x 6 (36)
8. 7. sc all around (36)
9. 8. (sc 5, inc) x 6 (42)
10. 9. sc all around (42)
11. 10. (sc 6, inc) x 6 (48)
12. 11. sc all around (48)
13. 12. (sc 7, inc) x 6 (54)
14. 13. (sc 8, inc) x 6 (60)
15. 14. (sc all around) [4 rnds] (60)
16. 15. (sc all around) [4 rnds] (60)
17. 16. (sc all around) [4 rnds] (60)
18. 17. (sc all around) [4 rnds] (60)
19. 18. (dec, sc 8) x 6 (54)
20. 19. (dec, sc 7) x 6 (48)
21. 20. (dec, sc 6) x 6 (42)
22. 21. (dec, sc 5) x 6 (36)
23. 22. (dec, sc 4) x 6 (30)
24. 23. (dec, sc 3) x 6 (24)
25. 24. (dec, sc 2) x 6 (18)
26. Fasten off, finish stuffing and tuck in the tail.

HEAD: FACIAL FEATURES

1. Place eyes between rows 14-15, 12 stitches apart.
2. Using a pointy wool needle, embroider a little mouth with 4 strands of Dark Brown Black yarn. Place it 3 rounds down from the eyes, 2 stitches wide.

LEGS: FIRST LEG

1. Using Warm Cream, (remember to stuff as you go)
2. 1. mgc 5 (5)
3. 2. inc 4, sc (9)
4. 3. (inc, sc 2) x 3 (12)
5. 4. (inc, sc) x 3, sc 6 (15)
6. 5. (inc, sc 2) x3, sc 6 (18)
7. 6. (inc, sc 3) x 3, sc 6 (21)
8. 7. sc all around (21)
9. 8. (inc, sc 4) x 3, sc 6 (24)
10. 9. sc 10, inc, sc 10, *place stitch marker*, sc 3 (25)
11. Fasten off and tuck in the tails.

LEGS: SECOND LEG

1. Using Warm Cream, (remember to stuff as you go)
2. 1. mgc 5 (5)
3. 2. inc 4, sc (9)
4. 3. (inc, sc 2) x 3 (12)
5. 4. (inc, sc) x 3, sc 6 (15)
6. 5. (inc, sc 2) x3, sc 6 (18)
7. 6. (inc, sc 3) x 3, sc 6 (21)
8. 7. sc all around (21)
9. 8. (inc, sc 4) x 3, sc 6 (24)
10. 9. sc 10, inc, sc 10. There will be 3 stitches left in the round. Keep loop on hook.

BODY: MAIN CONSTRUCTION

1. 1. With the loop still on your hook, create a ch. Insert your hook into the marked stitch in the 1st leg. sc all around the 1st leg, sc into the ch, then sc all around the 2nd leg, end the round by sc into the ch again. (52)
2. 2. inc, sc 18, (inc, sc 5) x 3, sc 10, inc, sc 4 (57)
3. 3. sc all around (57)
4. 4. sc all around (57)
5. 5. (inc, sc 18) x 3 (60)
6. 6. sc all around (60)
7. 7. (inc, sc 9) x 6 (66)
8. 8. sc all around (66)
9. 9. sc all around (66)
10. 10. sc all around (66)
11. 11. sc all around (66)
12. 12. sc all around (66)
13. 13. (dec, sc 3) x 3, sc 46, dec, sc 3 (62)
14. 14. sc all around (62)
15. 15. (sc 4, dec) x 2, sc 38, (sc 4, dec) x 2 (58)
16. 16. (sc 5, dec) x 2, sc 30, (sc 5, dec) x 2 (54)
17. 17. sc all around (54)
18. 18. sc all around (54)
19. 19. (dec, sc 7) x 6 (48)
20. 20. sc all around (48)
21. 21. sc all around (48)
22. 22. sc 14, (dec, sc 3) x 6, sc 4 (42)
23. 23. sc all around (42)
24. 24. sc all around (42)
25. 25. (inc, sc 3) x 2, sc 9, (dec, sc 3) x 3, sc 6, inc, sc 3 (42)
26. 26. sc all around (42)
27. 27. sc all around (42)
28. 28. (dec, sc 5) x 6 (36)
29. 29. sc all around (36)
30. 30. sc 10, (dec, sc) x 3, sc 8, (sc, dec) x 3 (30)
31. 31. dec, sc 6, (dec, sc) x 3, sc 7, (dec, sc) x 2 (24)
32. 32. (dec, sc 2) x 6 (18)
33. 33. sc all around (18)
34. 34. sc all around (18)
35. 35. sc all around (18)
36. 36. sc all around (18)
37. 37. (dec, sc) x 6 (12)
38. 38. dec 6 (6)
39. Finish stuffing, leave a long tail for attaching the head later, and fasten off.

ARMS: MAIN BODY (MAKE 2)



1. Using Warm Cream, (stuff lightly):
2. 1. mgc 6 (6)
3. 2. inc 6 (12)
4. 3. (inc, sc) x 6 (18)
5. 4. sc all around (18)
6. 5. sc all around (18)
7. 6. sc all around (18)
8. 7. sc all around (18)
9. 8. (dec, sc 7) x 2 (16)
10. 9. sc all around (16)
11. 10. sc all around (16)
12. 11. (dec, sc 6) x 2 (14)
13. 12. sc all around (14)
14. 13. (dec, sc 5) x 2 (12)
15. 14. sc all around (12)
16. 15. sc all around (12)
17. 16. sc all around (12)
18. 17. sc all around (12)
19. Fasten off and leave a long tail — you'll use this to attach the arm to the body.

ARMS: ATTACHMENT

1. Using your yarn needle and the yarn tail, position the arms around Round 27 of the body. Once you're happy with the placement, stitch them in place flat against the body using a simple running stitch.
2. Take your time with this step and adjust as needed before securing the stitches. Small adjustments here can make a big difference in how everything comes together.

FRILL: RUFFLE CREATION

1. Using Pale Sage Cream, working in rows, turning chains not counted:
2. 1. ch 28, turn (26)
3. 2. skip first 2 ch then dc-inc into each stitch, ch 2, turn (52)
4. 3. skip both ch, dc-inc 52 (104)

FRILL: ASSEMBLY & HEAD ATTACHMENT

1. You will end up with a squiggly thing, line the two ends up and sew together to create a circle. Then, place it on the neck.
2. Now we will attach the head to the body; make sure there isn't too much stuffing in the head so that the neck has enough room.
3. Thread the long tail from the body and bring it up through the top of the head; bring the needle back down and thread it through the neck. Repeat this a couple of times then fasten off, now your head can turn!

HEAD: OPTIONAL FACE SHAPING

1. With a long piece of Warm Cream and your yarn needle, bring your needle up under one of the eyes. Insert your needle under the same eye a few stitches away, do the same with the other eye then tighten the two ends and tie a knot on the inside of the head.

CHEEKS: CREATING CHEEKS (MAKE 2)

1. Create a circle with Dusty Rose
2. 1. mgc 6 (6)
3. 2. inc 6 (12)
4. Fasten off and leave a long tail. Pin the cheeks placing them at a diagonal angle under each eye.

CAP: UNDER CAP

1. Using Pale Sage Cream, working in BLO rows, turning ch not counted:
2. 1. ch 14, turn (13)
3. 2. BLO skip ch, sc 4, hdc 3, dc 3, tc 3, ch then turn (13)
4. 3. BLO skip ch, sc 13, ch then turn (13)
5. Repeat row 02 and 03, 28 times in total. In the end there should be 56 rows in total. Fasten off and leave a tail. Place the two sides together then sew together using a running stitch.

CAP: MAIN MUSHROOM CAP

1. Using Terracotta Red:
2. 1. Insert your hook and create a sc into the row of sc, then sc three times along the row of tc. Repeat this all around until you have 112 stitches all around.
3. 2. (sc 6, inc) x 16 (128)
4. 3. sc all around (128)
5. 4. sc all around (128)
6. 5. sc all around (128)
7. 6. (sc 14, dec) x 8 (120)
8. 7. (sc 10, dec) x 10 (110)
9. 8. sc all around (110)
10. 9. (sc 8, dec) x 11 (99)
11. 10. sc all around (99)
12. 11. sc all around (99)
13. 12. (sc 9, dec) x 9 (90)
14. 13. (sc 13, dec) x 6 (84)
15. 14. sc all around (84)
16. 15. (sc 12, dec) x 6 (78)
17. 16. (sc 11, dec) x 6 (72)
18. 17. sc all around (72)
19. 18. (sc 10, dec) x 6 (66)
20. 19. (sc 9, dec) x 6 (60)
21. 20. sc all around (60)
22. 21. (sc 8, dec) x 6 (54)
23. 22. (sc 7, dec) x 6 (48)
24. 23. sc all around (48)
25. 24. (sc 6, dec) x 6 (42)
26. 25. (sc 5, dec) x 6 (36)
27. 26. (sc 4, dec) x 6 (30)
28. 27. (sc 3, dec) x 6 (24)
29. 28. (sc 2, dec) x 6 (18)
30. 29. (sc, dec) x 6 (12)
31. 30. dec 6 (6)
32. Fasten off and close the hole, tuck in the tail.

TOADSTOOL SPOTS: SMALL (CREATE 5)



1. Create a circle with Warm Cream
2. 1. mgc 6 (6)
3. Fasten off and leave a long tail.

TOADSTOOL SPOTS: MEDIUM (CREATE 8)

1. Create a circle with Warm Cream
2. 1. mgc 6 (6)
3. 2. inc 6 (12)
4. Fasten off and leave a long tail.

TOADSTOOL SPOTS: ATTACHMENT

1. Place the circles randomly around the mushroom cap, using their tails to sew them in place.

CAP: FINAL ATTACHMENT

1. Line the inside of the mushroom cap with a thin layer of fluff, do not overstuff otherwise it won't sit nicely on his head.
2. You have different options to attach the cap:
3. 1. Sew: With some Pale Sage Cream and your needle, place the cap at an angle with it draping around his head like an umbrella. Once you position it where you like it, mark the position with pins so you don't lose track as you attach it. Sew all around using a running stitch through the row of sc of the under cap, then through the head, repeating all around.
4. 2. Glue: You can glue it on by placing glue around the inside of the under cap, then placing it on his head.

✨ FINISHING, BLOCKING & GARMENT CARE

✨ Weaving Ends & Assembly

Weave in all remaining yarn tails securely on the wrong side of your adorable crochet mushroom guy. Take your time to ensure all seams are neatly closed and tails are hidden for a professional finish. If adding the optional blush, apply gently with a brush now for a rosy glow.

✨ Blocking for Perfect Drape

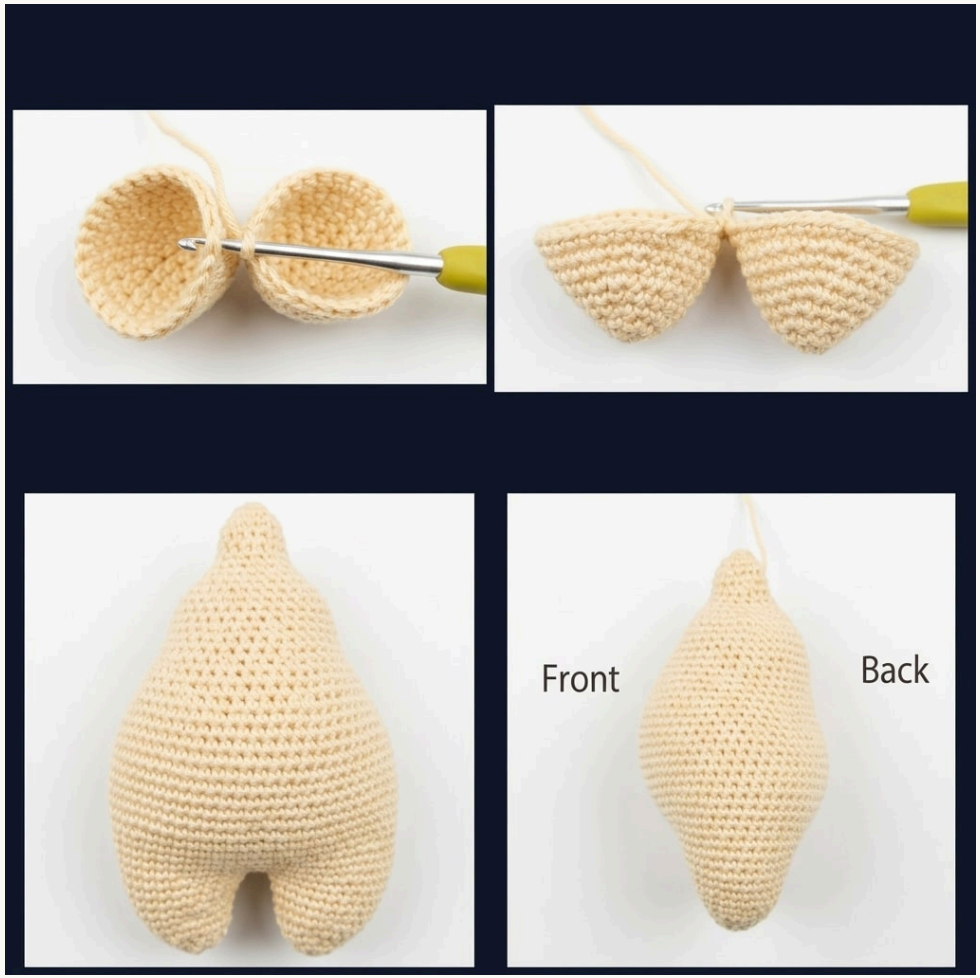
For amigurumi, blocking isn't about drape as much as shaping. Gently mist your finished mushroom with water and carefully shape all parts – head, body, arms, and cap – to their desired form. Allow it to air dry completely to help it maintain its structure and finish.

✨ Washing & Garment Care

To keep your charming crochet mushroom guy looking his best, hand-wash in cool water using a gentle, wool-safe detergent. Carefully squeeze out excess water (do not wring!). Roll your amigurumi in a clean towel to absorb more moisture, then lay it flat on a dry surface to air dry completely, away from direct sunlight.

VISUAL GUIDES, CHARTS & TECHNICAL SCHEMATICS







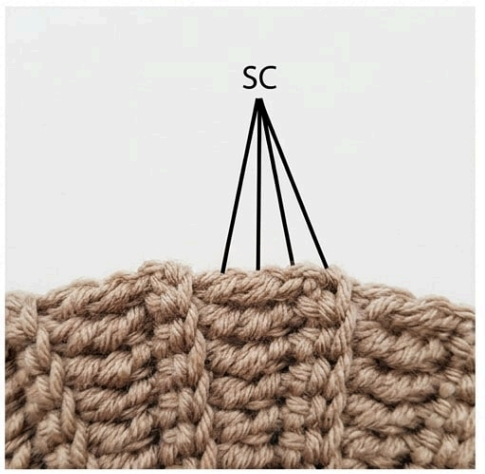











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