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**"Poppy"**  
*The little penguin*  
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**Materials:**

- 2.5 mm hook
- Soft baby wool yarn  
(I used Schachenmayr Merino "Extrafine 120")
  - dark grey
  - light bleu
  - cream
  - yellow
- Black embroidery thread
- Safety eyes 8.00 mm
- Stuffing
- Yarn needle
- Stitch marker

The pattern is written in English using US crochet terminology. Instructions are easy to follow if you are familiar with basic crochet techniques.

The size of the penguin toy is approximately 17-18 cm from head to bottom. It may vary though depending on the kind of yarn and hook size used.

You can also use any color of yarn.

Feel free to add accessories to your very own penguin.

**Abbreviations:**

- ch – chain
- dc – double crochet
- sc – single crochet
- st/sts - stitch/stitches
- Inc – increase
- dec – decrease
- dc – double crochet
- FO – fasten off

## HEAD

*Use the grey yarn.*

**Rnd 1:** 6 sc in magic ring [6]

**Rnd 2:** (inc) x6 [12]

**Rnd 3:** (inc, sc) x6 [18]

**Rnd 4:** (2 sc, inc) x6 [24]

**Rnd 5:** (inc, 3 sc) x6 [30]

**Rnd 6:** sc around [30]

**Rnd 7:** 2 sc, (inc, 4 sc) x5, inc, 2 sc [36]

**Rnd 8:** 4 sc, (inc, 5 sc) x5, inc, sc [42]

**Rnd 9:** (6 sc, inc) x6 [48]

**Rnd 10:** sc around [48]

**Rnd 11:** (inc, 7 sc) x6 [54]

**Rnd 12-14:** sc around [54], 3 rounds

**Rnd 15:** (8 sc, inc) x6 [60]

*How to change the color of yarn:*

With the two loops from the previous yarn on the hook (fig 1), wrap the new yarn around the hook, then pull the new yarn through the two loops of the stitch (fig 2).



**Rnd 16:** grey yarn: 18 sc, cream yarn: 3 sc, grey yarn: 9 sc, cream yarn: 3 sc, grey yarn: 27 sc, (fig 4) [60]



**Tip:** fix the previous yarn, after the changing color of yarn, to crochet one stitch together on back side (fig 3).



**Rnd 17:** grey yarn: 17 sc, cream yarn: 5 sc, grey yarn: 7 sc, cream yarn: 5 sc, grey yarn: 26 sc [60]

**Tip:** to avoid the holes, crochet the cream yarn two – three stitches together before the changing the color of yarn (fig 5).



Give the tail of the previous yarn a nice tug when changing yarn colors, to prevent loose stitches. You will notice the big loops at the back. Make sure the loops are loose enough to stretch when you stuff the head. Otherwise, you will have a scrunched penguin face.



**Rnd 18:** grey yarn: 16 sc, cream yarn: 7 sc, grey yarn: 5 sc, cream yarn: 7 sc, grey yarn: 25 sc [60]

**Rnd 19:** grey yarn: 15 sc, cream yarn: 9 sc, grey yarn: 3 sc, cream yarn: 9 sc, grey yarn: 24 sc [60]

**Rnd 20:** grey yarn: 14 sc, cream yarn: 11 sc, grey yarn: 1 sc, cream yarn: 11 sc, grey yarn: 23 sc, (fig 8) [60]



Attach the safety eyes between rounds 19 and 20 with 11 st in-between (fig 8, 9)

**Tip:** skip the 20 stitches from the beginning (you should count the stitches of round 19), attach the first eye, skip next 11 stitches and attach second eye. I used safety eyes 8.00 mm.

**Rnd 21-22:** grey yarn: 14 sc, cream yarn: 23 sc, grey yarn: 23 sc [60]

• **Tip:** I used invisible decrease for the next rounds.

**Rnd 23:** dec, 8 sc, dec, 2 sc, cream yarn: 6 sc, dec, 8 sc, dec, 5 sc, grey yarn: 3 sc, (dec, 8 sc) x2 [54]

**Rnd 24:** dec, 7 sc, dec, sc, cream yarn: 6 sc, dec, 7 sc, dec, 4 sc, grey yarn: 3 sc, (dec, 7 sc) x2 [48]

**Rnd 25:** dec, 6 sc, dec, cream yarn: (6 sc, dec) x2, 3 sc, grey yarn: 3 sc, (dec, 6 sc) x2, (fig 10) [42]

Start to stuff the head.



**Rnd 26:** grey yarn: dec, 5 sc, dec (insert the hook in front loop, grey yarn over and pull it through (fig 11)). Then insert the hook in second front loop, cream yarn over and pull it through (fig 12). Cream yarn over and pull through the 2 remaining loops), cream yarn: (5 sc, dec) x2, 2 sc, grey yarn: 3 sc, (dec, 5 sc) x2 [36]





**Rnd 27:** grey yarn: dec, 4 sc, dec (make the decrease in the same way as previous), cream yarn: (4 sc, dec) x2, sc, grey yarn: 3 sc, (dec, 4 sc) x2, (fig 13, 14 and 15) [30]



**Rnd 28:** grey yarn: dec, 3 sc, dec (make the decrease in the same way as previous), cream yarn: (3 sc, dec) x2, grey yarn: 3 sc, (dec, 3 sc) x2, [24]

Cut the yarn leaving a long tail for sewing.  
Stuff the head firmly.

## BODY

*Use the grey yarn.*

**Ch 9.** Stitches are worked around both sides of the foundation chain.

**Rnd 1:** start in second ch from the hook, inc in this st, 6 sc, 3 sc in last st. Continue on the other side of the foundation chain: 7 sc [18]

**Rnd 2:** 2 inc, 6 sc, 3 inc, 6 sc, inc [24]

**Rnd 3:** (sc, inc) x2, 6 sc, (sc, inc) x3, 7 sc, inc, [30]

**Rnd 4:** (2 sc, inc) x2, 6 sc, (2 sc, inc) x3, 8 sc, inc [36]

**Rnd 5:** (3 sc, inc) x2, 6 sc, (3 sc, inc) x3, 9 sc, inc [42]

**Rnd 6:** 3 sc, (inc, 4 sc) x2, 6 sc, (inc, 4 sc) x3, 6 sc, inc, sc [48]

**Rnd 7:** 4 sc, (inc, 5 sc) x2, 6 sc, (inc, 5 sc) x3, 6 sc, inc, sc, (fig 16) [54]



**Rnd 8-11:** sc around [54], 4 rounds

Change the color of yarn to blue.

**Rnd 12:** sc around [54]

**Rnd 13:** BLO: sc around, (fig 17) [54]



**Rnd 14:** (dec, 7 sc) x6 [48]

**Rnd 15-17:** sc around [48], 3 rounds

Rnd 18: (dec, 6 sc) x6 [42]  
 Rnd 19-21: sc around [42], 3 rounds  
 Rnd 22: (dec, 5 sc) x6 [36]  
 Rnd 23-25: sc around [36], 3 rounds  
 Rnd 26: (dec, 4 sc) x6 [30]  
 Rnd 27-28: sc around [30], 2 rounds  
 Rnd 29: (dec, 3 sc) x6 [24]  
 Stuff the body firmly, (fig 18).

Fasten off.



## SKIRT

Go back to front loops of round 12. Insert your hook in last loop, pick up the blue yarn and pull it through (fig 19). Crochet 2 ch (the 1<sup>st</sup> dc of the round will be 2chs), crochet 2 dc in the same loop (fig 20).



Crochet 3 dc in each front loops (fig 21).  
 Fasten off.



## WINGS

*(make 2, use the grey yarn)*

Rnd 1: start 6 sc in a magic ring [6]  
 Rnd 2: (sc, inc) x3 [9]  
 Rnd 3: (2 sc, inc) x3 [12]  
 Rnd 4: (3 sc, inc) x3 [15]  
 Rnd 5-9: sc around [15], 5 rounds  
 Rnd 10: (3 sc, dec) x3 [12]  
 Rnd 11: sc around [12]  
 Rnd 12: (2 sc, dec) x3 [9]

FO. Cut the yarn leaving a long tail for sewing (fig 22).



## BEAK

*(use the yellow yarn)*

Rnd 1: start 7 sc in a magic ring [7]  
 Rnd 2: (inc) x7 [14]

*How to Invisible Fasten off:*

Using a needle, insert it in both loops of the second stitch after the last stitch. Then, insert it only in the back loop of the last stitch. Secure the yarn and use the remaining yarn tail for sewing (fig 23).



## LEGS

*(make 2, use the yellow yarn)*

Ch 6. Stitches are worked around both sides of the foundation chain.

**Rnd 1:** start in second ch from the hook, inc in this st, 3 sc, 3 sc in last st. Continue on the other side of the foundation chain: 4 sc [12]

**Rnd 2:** (inc, 5 sc) x2 [14]

**Rnd 3-5:** sc around [14], 3 rounds

**Rnd 6:** sc, dec, 5 sc, dec, 4 sc [12]

Crochet sc and slst in next 2 stitches. Cut the yarn leaving a long tail for sewing.

## Assembling:

Sew the head to body using the remaining yarn of head.



Insert the needle in 5th stitch from the ending of last round (fig 24).

Then go to head and insert the needle in the last stitch of head (fig 25).

Sew the head to body by going across each stitch of head and body (fig 26).



Sew the wings between rounds 27 and 28 of body (fig 27, 28).



Place the beak between eyes. Sew the beak to head on the right and left sides (fig 29, 30, 31).





Sew the legs to body between rounds 1 and 2 (fig 32).



Connect the leg to body, see the photo tutorials (fig 33, 34 and 35).



## SCARF

*(Use the blue yarn)*

Crochet Ch 46.

Start in 3<sup>rd</sup> chain, dc in each stitch [44].

Turn your work: (inc dc, dc) x22, (fig 33) [66]

Fasten off.



## HAT

*(use the blue yarn)*

Rnd 1: 6 sc in magic ring [6]

Rnd 2: (inc) x6 [12]

Rnd 3: (inc, sc) x6 [18]

Rnd 4: (2 sc, inc) x6 [24]

Rnd 5-6: sc around [24]

FO. Cut the yarn leaving a long tail for sewing.

Lace:

Ch 4, start in second chain from hook: 3 slst. Turn the hat wrong side outside.

Insert your hook in magic ring (fig 38) and pick up the tails of yarn to inside (fig 39). Make the few knots to fix the lace (fig 40).





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