

Christmas Plush Reindeer Amigurumi – Easy Free Crochet Pattern



Looking for the perfect **Christmas reindeer amigurumi** pattern to add a festive touch to your holiday décor? This adorable plush reindeer is a beginner-friendly crochet project that brings the warm, cozy spirit of Christmas into your home. With easy stitches, step-by-step instructions, and soft plush yarn, this Christmas **reindeer amigurumi** makes a beautiful handmade gift, a cute seasonal decoration, or a special toy for little ones. If you love creating holiday-themed crochet pieces, this charming reindeer is the ideal project to brighten your Christmas crafting time.

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Materials

- Plush yarn (100 g / 120 m): milky, red, dark brown, brown
- Cotton yarn (50 g / 160 m): black, red, white, brown
- Crochet hooks: 4.0 mm and 2.5 mm
- Safety eyes: 12 mm
- Scissors
- Stitch marker
- Needle with wide eye
- Fiberfill (holofiber)

Abbreviations

- **MR** - magic ring
- **CH** - chain
- **SC** - single crochet
- **INC** - increase
- **DEC** - decrease
- **BLO** - back loop only
- **SL ST** - slip stitch

□ LEGS (make 2) – Plush Yarn

Start with **dark brown** yarn.

1: 6 sc in MR2: 6 inc (12)3: BLO 12 sc4: Change yarn to brown. 12 sl st in BLO5-7: 12 sc (3 rows)

Make a sl st in next stitch and cut yarn.

Second leg: Repeat but *do not cut yarn*. CH 2 and join the legs. Place a stitch marker — this is the first stitch of the next round.

□ Christmas Reindeer – BODY

8: 12 sc on first leg, 2 sc on chain, 12 sc on second leg, 2 sc on opposite side of chain (28)9: 4 sc, 2 inc, 4 sc, inc, 2 sc, inc, 4 sc, 2 inc, 8 sc (34)10: 34 sc11: (16 sc, inc)*2 (36)12-13: 36 sc (2 rows)14: Change yarn to red – 36 sc15-16: 36 sc17: (16 sc, dec)*2 (34)18: (15 sc, dec)*2 (32)19: (14 sc, dec)*2 (30)20: 30 sc21: (3 sc, dec)*6 (24)22: 24 sc23: (4 sc, dec)*4 (20)

Attach the arms

24: 5 sc, 3 sc (arm + body), 7 sc, 3 sc (arm + body), 2 sc25: (dec, 8 sc)*2 (18)

□ ARMS (make 2) – Christmas Reindeer

Start with **white** yarn:

1: 5 sc in MR2: 5 inc (10)3: (3 sc, dec)*2 (8)4: Change yarn to red. 8 sl st in BLO5-8: 8 sc (4 rows)9: 6 sc, dec (7)10: 7 sc11: 5 sc, dec (6)

Make a sl st, cut yarn. Stuff lightly as you close.

□ Christmas Reindeer – HEAD

Continue from the body in the round. Change yarn to **milky**.

26: 18 inc (36)27: (5 sc, inc)*6 (42)28: (6 sc, inc)*6 (48)29-30: 48 scChange yarn to brown31: 48 sc32: (10 sc, dec)*4 (44)33: (9 sc, dec)*4 (40)34: 40 sc35: (8 sc, dec)*4 (36)36: 36 sc37: (4 sc, dec)*6 (30)38: (3 sc, dec)*6 (24)39: (2 sc, dec)*6 (18)40: (1 sc, dec)*6 (12)41: 6 dec (6)

Pull to close, fasten off, cut yarn.

Insert safety eyes between rows 32-33, 6 stitches apart.Stuff firmly while crocheting.

□ Christmas Reindeer – NOSE – Milky Yarn

1: 6 sc in MR2: 6 inc (12)3: (1 sc, inc)*6 (18)4: 18 scLeave a long tail for sewing.

□ Christmas Reindeer – EARS (make 2) Brown Yarn

1: 4 sc in MR2: (1 sc, inc)*2 (6)3: (2 sc, inc)*2 (8)4: 8 sc5: (2 sc, dec)*2 (6)

Leave a long tail for sewing.

☐ HORNS (small & big)

Use **dark brown**, hook 2.5 mm.

Small Horn (make 2)

1: 6 sc in MR2: 6 inc (12)3: (3 sc, inc)*3 (15)4-7: 15 scFasten off.

Big Horn (make 2)

1: 6 sc in MR2: 6 inc (12)3: (3 sc, inc)*3 (15)4-8: 15 scDo not cut yarn after second piece.

Join small + big

Join both pieces with sl st.

9: 15 sc on big horn + 15 sc on small horn (30)10: (1 sc, dec)*10 (20)11: 20 sc12: (3 sc, dec)*4 (16)13-14: 16 sc15: dec, 14 sc (15)

Leave long tail for sewing to head.

☐ Christmas Reindeer - FINISHING

✓ Sew nose to the head✓ Attach ears✓ Attach horns✓ Embroider eyebrows, cheeks, and mouth✓ Sew head to body✓ Add sweater star embroidery✓ Shape the face by tightening threads if desired

☐ Your plush reindeer is ready!

Final height with recommended yarn: **28 cm**

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