

# 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 MR 2: 6 inc (12) 3: BLO 12 sc 4: Change yarn to brown. 12 sl st in BLO 5–7: 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 sc 11: (16 sc, inc)\*2 (36) 12–13: 36 sc (2 rows) 14: Change yarn to red – 36 sc 15–16: 36 sc 17: (16 sc, dec)\*2 (34) 18: (15 sc, dec)\*2 (32) 19: (14 sc, dec)\*2 (30) 20: 30 sc 21: (3 sc, dec)\*6 (24) 22: 24 sc 23: (4 sc, dec)\*4 (20)

Attach the arms

24: 5 sc, 3 sc (arm + body), 7 sc, 3 sc (arm + body), 2 sc 25: (dec, 8 sc)\*2 (18)

### ### □ ARMS (make 2) – Christmas Reindeer

Start with **\*\*white\*\*** yarn:

1: 5 sc in MR 2: 5 inc (10) 3: (3 sc, dec)\*2 (8) 4: Change yarn to red. 8 sl st in BLO 5–8: 8 sc (4 rows) 9: 6 sc, dec (7) 10: 7 sc 11: 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 sc Change yarn to brown 31: 48 sc 32: (10 sc, dec)\*4 (44) 33: (9 sc, dec)\*4 (40) 34: 40 sc 35: (8 sc, dec)\*4 (36) 36: 36 sc 37: (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 MR 2: 6 inc (12) 3: (1 sc, inc)\*6 (18) 4: 18 sc Leave 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\*\***

Source pattern: [amigurumibook.com](http://amigurumibook.com)