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# CROCHET & KNITTING

Safe handling and assembling

## CONCERNING:

- The baby bed
- The pram
- Buttons and strings
- Pacifier chains
- Play area on the floor
- Activity figures
- Animals and sensory toys
- Tow carts
- Knitting/crochet tightness
- Our experience
- EN 71





#### YARN USAGE:

Colour A 30 g Colour B 30 g

#### **MATERIALS:**

Eyes: 2 pair 8 mm Squeaker: 1 pcs 25 mm Rattle ball: 2 pcs D24 mm TPE ring: D75 mm

Filling

Crochet hook: 2.5 mm - 3.0 mm

Gauge: 26 dc/ 10 cm

The given amounts of yarn are for guidance only.

## Sensory Giraffe set is available as a kit:

Please note that the contents of the kit may vary from the stated material usage in the universal pattern.

## **REQUIRED MOUNTING STEPS**

## Eyes in yarn projects (0-3 years)

For projects for children 0-3 years: Mounting of eyes requires melting of end pieces and special stitching.

Full instructions at:
www.gohandmade.net

and video on YouTube (Scan QR code)



#### ABBREVIATIONS AND DEFINITIONS

st Stitch
mr Magic ring
ch Chain stitch
dc Double crochet
sl st Slip stitch

t-ch Turn chain stitch, ch 1 then turn the work

2 dc inc Increase (2 dc in one st)

dc 2 tog Decrease (2 dc worked together)

\*...\* The instructions shown between these stars must be repeated for the whole round/row or with the number indicated after x.

(..) At the end of the round/row - indicates

the total number of stitches.



## **GIRAFFE ON HOLDER**

# **HOLDER**

Colour A		
1.)	mr with 6 dc	(6)
2.)	*2 dc inc*	(12)
3.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*	(18)
4.)	*2 dc, 2 dc inc*	(24)
5.)	*3 dc, 2 dc inc*	(30)
6 - 10.)	30 dc	(30)
Colour B	after the 8th round.	
11.)	*3 dc, dc 2 tog*	(24)
12 - 16.)	24 dc	(24)
17.)	*6 dc, dc 2 tog*	(21)
18 - 22.)	21 dc	(21)
23.)	*5 dc, dc 2 tog*	(18)

24 - 29.)	18 dc	(18)
30.)	*8 dc, 2 dc inc*	(20)
Add filling	g and squeaker.	
	with the same thread.	

HEAD		
1.)	*1 dc,2 dc inc* x 4, 4 dc,	
	*2 dc inc, 1 dc* x 4	(28)
2.)	*2 dc, 2 dc inc* x 4, 4 dc,	10.41
2.1	*2 dc inc, 2 dc* x 4	(36)
3.)	*4 dc, 2 dc inc* x 4, 4 dc, *2 dc inc, 2 dc* x 4	(44)
4 8.)	44 dc	(44)
9.)	8 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	()
,	dc 2 tog, 16 dc, dc 2 tog,	
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 8 dc	(40)
10.)	40 dc	(40)
11.)	7 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	
	dc 2 tog, 14 dc, dc 2 tog,	12.41
12.)	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 7 dc 36 dc	(36) (36)
13.)	6 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	(30)
10.,	dc 2 tog, 12 dc, dc 2 tog,	
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 6 dc	(32)
Place the	eyes after rnd 11 with 8 sts in betwe	
14.)	5 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	
	dc 2 tog, 10 dc, dc 2 tog,	
15.	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 5 dc	(28)
15.)	4 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	
	dc 2 tog, 8 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc, dc 2 tog, 4 dc	(24)
Add fillin	g and rattle ball.	(24)
16.)	3 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	
	dc 2 tog, 6 dc, dc 2 tog,	
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 3 dc	(20)
17.)	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	
	dc 2 tog, 4 dc, dc 2 tog,	

Add filling.

Cut the yarn and finish.

#### Shape the head/eye sockets:

Insert the needle beneath the head and up the inner side of the eye. Sew over a stitch at the eye stem, and lead the needle out beneath the head. Then, insert the needle through the next stitch and up the inner side of the other eye. Again, sew over a stitch at the eye stem, and once again, lead the the needle out beneath the head. Tighten the thread, allowing the tension to create indentations.

Hold the tension and tie two knots to preserve the indentations.

The eye sockets are done.

The shaping of the head/eye sockets can also be done before the eyes are mounted.

## STRENGTHEN AND SHAPE THE AREA AROUND THE EYES

#### Instructions:

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#### SNOUT

#### Colour B

1.)	mr with 6 dc	(6)
2.)	*2 dc inc*	(12)

3.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*	(18)

The snout is sewn onto the head between the 4th and 9th rounds

Embroider the nostrils with color A between the 1st and 2nd rounds

## EARS X 2

#### Colour B

l .)	mr with 4 dc	(4)
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Cut the yarn 20 cm from the work.

Fold the ear in half and sew the end of the ear together with 2 stitches.

The ears are sewn onto the head after the 11th - 12th rounds, 4 stitches from the eyes.

Colour A		
1.)	mr with 4 dc	(4)
2.)	*2 dc inc*	(8)
3.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*	(12)
4 6.)	12 dc	(12)
7.)	*4 dc, dc 2 tog*	(10)
8.)	10 dc	(10)

The horns are sewn on between the 12th and 15th rounds.

#### HAIR

#### Top row

- 1.) 13 ch
- 2.) Start in the 2nd ch with a sl st, sl st in the next 6 ch.

  \*7 ch, make a sl st in the 2nd ch, 6 sl st back along the ch row, 1 sl st in the first ch row\* x 5

#### Bottom row

- 1.) 17 ch
- 2.) Start in the 2nd ch with a sl st, sl st in the next 10 ch.

  \*10 ch, make a sl st in the 2nd ch, 9 sl st back along the ch row, 1 sl st in the first ch row\* x 5

The bottom row hair is sewn onto the head after the 17th round, between the horns.

The top row hair is sewn onto the head after the

The top row hair is sewn onto the head after the 18th round, between the horns.

## SPOTS X 3

#### Colour A

1.) mr with 6 dc

(6) (12)

2.) \*2 dc inc\*

The spots are sewn onto the holder. First: 10th round.

Second: 15th round. Third: 19th round.

#### **TAIL**

#### Colour A

Cut 10 pieces of yarn, each 25 cm long. Each strand is pulled halfway under/through 2 stitches, at the color change on the back of the shaft. This is easiest done with a crochet hook. Each strand is attached under the same 2 stitches. Braid a section of 4 cm. Finish by tying a knot.

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## **GIRAFFE ON RING**

## HEAD

Colour A		
1.)	mr with 6 dc	(6)
2.)	*2 dc inc*	(12)
3.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*	(18)
4.)	*8 dc, 2 dc inc*	(20)
5.)	*1 dc,2 dc inc* x 4, 4 dc,	
	*2 dc inc, 1 dc* x 4	(28)
6.)	*2 dc, 2 dc inc* x 4, 4 dc,	
	*2 dc inc, 2 dc* x 4	(36)
7.)	*4 dc, 2 dc inc* x 4, 4 dc,	
	*2 dc inc, 2 dc* x 4	(44)
812.)	44 dc	(44)
13.)	8 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	
	dc 2 tog, 16 dc, dc 2 tog,	
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 8 dc	(40)
14.)	40 dc	(40)

15.)	7 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,		
	dc 2 tog, 14 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc, dc 2 tog, 7 dc	(36)	
16.)	36 dc	(36)	
1 <i>7</i> .)	6 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,	` '	
	dc 2 tog, 12 dc, dc 2 tog,		
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 6 dc	(32)	
Place the	eyes after rnd 15 with 8 sts in betwee	en.	
18.)	5 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,		
	dc 2 tog, 10 dc, dc 2 tog,		
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 5 dc	(28)	
19.)	4 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,		
	dc 2 tog, 8 dc, dc 2 tog,		
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 4 dc	(24)	
	g and rattle ball.		
20.)	3 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,		
	dc 2 tog, 6 dc, dc 2 tog,		
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 3 dc	(20)	
21.)	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc,		
	dc 2 tog, 4 dc, dc 2 tog,		
	2 dc, dc 2 tog, 2 dc	(16)	
22.)	2 dc, dc 2 tog x 2,		
	4 dc, dc 2 tog x 2, 2 dc	(12)	
Add filling			
Cut the yo	arn and finish.		
Shape the head/eye sockets:			
	needle beneath the head and up the		
side of the eye. Sew over a stitch at the eye stem,			
and lead	and lead the needle out beneath the head. Then,		

and lead the needle out beneath the head. Then, insert the needle through the next stitch and up the inner side of the other eye. Again, sew over a stitch at the eye stem, and once again, lead the the needle out beneath the head. Tighten the thread, allowing the tension to create indentations. Hold the tension and tie two knots to preserve the indentations.

The eye sockets are done.

The shaping of the head/eye sockets can also be done before the eyes are mounted.

#### SNOUT

Colour B		
1.)	mr with 6 dc	(6)
2.)	*2 dc inc*	(12)
3.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*	(18)
4.)	*2 dc, 2 dc inc*	(24)
5.)	24 dc	(24)
6.)	*2 dc, dc 2 tog*	(18)

The snout is sewn onto the head between the 4th and 9th rounds.

Embroider the nostrils with color A between the 1st and 2nd rounds.

#### EARS X 2

Colou	ır B
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1.)	mr with 4 dc	(4)
2.)	*2 dc inc*	(8)
3.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*	(12)
4 6.)	12 dc	(12)
7.)	*4 dc, dc 2 tog*	(10)
8.)	10 dc	(10)

Cut the yarn 20 cm from the work.

Fold the ear in half and sew the end of the ear together with 2 stitches.

The ears are sewn onto the head after the 11th - 12th rounds, 4 stitches from the eyes.

#### HORNS X 2

#### Colour A

1.)	mr with 4 dc	(4)
2.)	*2 dc inc*	(8)
3.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*	(12)
4 6.)	12 dc	(12)
7.)	*4 dc, dc 2 tog*	(10)
8.)	10 dc	(10)

The horns are sewn on between the 12th and 15th rounds.

#### HAIR

#### Top row

- 1.) 13 ch
- 2.) Start in the 2nd ch with a sl st, sl st in the next 6 ch.
  - \*7 ch, make a sl st in the 2nd ch, 6 sl st back along the ch row, 1 sl st in the first ch row\* x 5

#### Bottom row

- 1.) 17 ch
- 2.) Start in the 2nd ch with a sl st,
  - sl st in the next 10 ch.
  - \*10 ch, make a sl st in the 2nd ch, 9 sl st back along the ch row,
  - 1 sl st in the first ch row\* x 5

The bottom row hair is sewn onto the head after the 17th round, between the horns.

The top row hair is sewn onto the head after the 18th round, between the horns.

## **COLLAR FOR RING**

Colour A		
1.)	13 ch	(13)
2.)	Start in 2nd ch, 12 dc, 1 t-ch	(12)
3.)	12 dc, 1 t-ch	(12)
4.)	*1 dc, 2 dc inc*, 1 t-ch	(18)
5 - 9.)	18 dc, 1 t-ch	(18)
10.)	*1 dc, dc 2 tog*, 1 t-ch	(12)
11.)	12 dc, 1 t-ch	(12)
12.)	12 dc	(12)

12.) 12 dc, Then The collar is sewn around the ring. The head is sewn onto the collar.

## ARMS X 2

Colour B		
1.) m	nr with 5 dc	(5)
2.) *	2 dc inc*	(10)
3 4.) 1	0 dc	(10)
Colour A.		
5 12.) 1	0 dc	(10)
Add filling.		
The arms are	e sewn on between the collar and	

the head.

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# Good to know

## Crochet hook size & Tension

Crocheters crochet very differently: some crochet with a hook size 2,0 mm and obtain the same size of design and quality as a person who crochets with a hook size 4,0 mm. We owe this knowledge to the team of crocheters who join us.

The key to crochet a specific size is a lot about the crochet style/hands/skills, rather than the size of hook. Therefore, we will recommend a range of hook sizes.



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