

# Anchor<sup>®</sup>



## Mr & Mrs amigurumi zebra



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Anchor Organic cotton – 50 g – Art. N° 4660004 (\* colour)  
Anchor Stranded Cotton - 8 m - Art. N° 4635000 \*\* (colour n°)

intermediate



14 cm tall



1x \*00105 (A), 1x \*06041 (B) , 1x \*03722 (C), 1x \*06523 (D), 1x \*03610 (E), 1x \*00249 (F)



1x \*\*00403



2,5 mm



N° 18

#### EXTRAS:

70 g stuffing toys

Pins

safety eyes 7 mm (if you do not embroider them)

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### STITCHES AND ABBREVIATIONS

**st(s)** stitch(es)

**ch** chain

**sl st** - slip stitch

**dc** - double crochet

**htr** - half treble

**MR** - magic ring

**rnd** - round

**R** - row

**inc** - increase

**dec** - decrease

**(xxx)\*x** - repeat the instruction in brackets x times

**\*x\*** - indication x crochet into one stitch

**tch** - turning chain

**blo** - back loops only

**flo** - front loops only

**tog** - together

**Picot** - 3 ch + 1 sl st in 1. ch

**fpht** - front post half treble

**bpht** - back post half treble

### NOTES

This design is crocheted in spiral rounds unless otherwise indicated.

Crochet arms and legs first before you start with the body. These will be crocheted in.

The highlighted bold/blue stitches bellow are made with yarn colour B (grey) to make Zebra's stripes effect.

### ARMS X2

With yarn colour A.

1. MR, 6 dc (6 sts in total)

2. (inc)\*6 (12 sts in total)

3. (1 dc, inc)\*6 (18 sts in total)

4. blo - (7 dc, dec)\*2 (16 sts in total)

5. (6 dc, dec)\*2 (14 sts in total)

6. 14 dc

7. 5 dc, (dec)\*2, 5dc (12 sts in total)

8. 4 dc, (dec)\*2, 4dc (10 sts in total) -Stuff- Crochet 3 dc.

9. 1 ch, crochet opposite sites tog with 4 dc (4 sts in total)

10. 1 ch, flo - 4 dc, blo - 4 dc (8 sts in total)

11. 8 dc

12. **2 dc**, 4 dc, **2 dc**

13. 8 dc -Stuff lightly- Crochet the crook of the arm at 180° offset to the wrist tog.

14. 1 ch, crochet opposite sites tog with 4 dc (4 sts in total)

15. 1 ch, flo - 4 dc, blo - 4 dc (8 sts in total)

16. 4 dc, **4 dc**

17. 8 dc

18. 4 dc, **4 dc**

19. 8 dc -Stuff lightly- Crochet the next rnd in the same line as the crook of the arm tog.

20. 1 ch, crochet opposite sites tog with 4 dc (4 sts in total)

Fasten off.

Note the following changes for the second arm:

12. 2 dc, **4 dc**, 2 dc

16. **4 dc**, 4 dc

18. **4 dc**, 4 dc

### LEGS X2

With yarn colour A.

1. MR, 6 dc (6 sts in total)

2. (inc)\*6 (12 sts in total)

3. (1 dc, inc)\*6 (18 sts in total)

4. (2 dc, inc)\*6 (24 sts in total)

5. blo - (4 dc, dec)\*4 (20 sts in total)

6. 20 dc

7. 8 dc, (dec)\*2, 8 dc (18 sts in total)

8. 18 dc

9. 5 dc, (dec)\*4, 5 dc (14 sts in total)

10. flo - 5 dc, (dec)\*2, 5 dc (12 sts in total) In the next rnd crochet in the blo of rnd 10.

11. blo - 5 dc, (dec)\*2, 5 dc (12 sts in total)

12. (1 dc, dec)\*4 (8 sts in total)

13. 5 dc, **3 dc**

14. -15. 8 dc (2 rnd) -Stuff-

16. 1 ch, crochet opposite sites tog with 4 dc (4 sts in total)

17. 1 ch, flo - **4 dc**, blo - 4 dc (8 sts in total)

18. 2 dc, 4 dc, 2 dc

19. 8 dc

20. 2 dc, 4 dc, 2 dc

21. 8 dc -Stuff lightly-

22. 1 ch, crochet opposite sites tog with 4 dc (4 sts in total)

Fasten off.

Note the following changes for the second leg:

12. **3 dc**, 5 dc

18. **2 dc**, 4 dc, **2 dc**

20. **2 dc**, 4 dc, **2 dc**



### BODY

With yarn colour A.

1. MR, 6 dc (6 sts in total)

2. (inc)\*6 (12 sts in total)

3. (1 dc, inc)\*6 (18 sts in total)

4. (**2 dc**, inc)\*2, (2 dc, inc)\*2, (**2 dc**, inc)\*2 (24 sts in total)

In the next round the legs will be crocheted in. Note that you place the dark stripes to the outer side.

5. 4 dc, 1 dc, 4 dc with leg 1, 6 dc, 4 dc with leg 2, 1 dc, 4 dc
  6. 9 ch, crochet back from the 2. st seen from hook 8 sl st, (3 dc, inc)\*6 (30 sts in total)
  7. (4 dc, inc)\*2, (4 dc, inc)\*2, (4 dc, inc)\*2 (36 sts in total)
  8. (5 dc, inc)\*6 (42 sts in total)
  9. 42 dc
  10. (6 dc, inc)\*2, (6 dc, inc)\*2, (6 dc, inc)\*2 (48 sts in total)
  11. 18 dc, 12 dc, 18 dc
  12. 48 dc
  13. 8 dc, 5 dc, 22 dc, 5 dc, 8 dc
  14. 16 dc, 16 dc, 16 dc
  15. 11 dc, 26 dc, 11 dc
  16. -17. 48 dc (2 rnd)
  18. (6 dc, dec)\*2, (6 dc, dec)\*2, (6 dc, dec)\*2 (42 sts in total)
  19. (5 dc, dec)\*6 (42 sts in total)
  20. 4 dc, 4 dc, 20 dc, 4 dc, 4 dc
  21. (4 dc, dec)\*2, (4 dc, dec)\*2, (4 dc, dec)\*2 (36 sts in total)
  22. (3 dc, dec)\*6 (30 sts in total)
- In the next round the arms will be crocheted in. Note that you place the dark stripes to the outer side and that they are placed above the legs.
23. 6 dc, 4 dc with arm 1, 1 dc, 4 dc, 1 dc, 4 dc with arm 2, 4 dc
  24. (2 dc, dec)\*6 (18 sts in total)
  25. -27. 18 dc (3 rnd)
- Fasten off leaving long tail for sewing.



### HEAD

1. MR, 6 dc (6 sts in total)
  2. (inc)\*6 (12 sts in total)
  3. (1 dc, inc)\*6 (18 sts in total)
  4. (2 dc, inc)\*6 (24 sts in total)
  5. 10 dc, 3 ch - 1 htr + 1 sl st into 1. ch, 4 dc, 3 ch - 1 htr + 1 sl st into 1. ch, 10 dc
  6. -10. 24 dc (5 rnd)
  11. blo - (3 dc, inc)\*6 (30 sts in total)
  12. 12 dc, (inc)\*6, 12 dc (36 sts in total)
  13. 12 dc, (1 dc, inc)\*3, (inc, 1 dc)\*3, 12 dc (42 sts in total)
  14. 20 dc, 2 dc, 20 dc
  15. 6 dc, inc, (6 dc, inc)\*4, 6 dc, inc (48 sts in total)
  16. 16 dc, 16 dc, 16 dc
  17. -18. 48 dc (2 rnd)
  19. 10 dc, 4 dc, 10 dc, 1 dc, 10 dc, 4 dc, 9 dc
  20. 9 dc, 2 dc, 2 dc, 2 dc, 8 dc, 3 dc, 8 dc, 2 dc, 2 dc, 2 dc, 8 dc
  21. 8 dc, 2 dc, 4 dc, 2 dc, 6 dc, 2 dc, 1 dc, 2 dc, 6 dc, 2 dc, 4 dc, 2 dc, 7 dc
  22. 6 dc, dec, 2 dc, 1 dc, dec, 1 dc, 2 dc, 6 dc, dec, 1 dc, dec, 6 dc, 2 dc, 1 dc, dec, 1 dc, 2 dec, 5 dc, dec (42 sts in total)
- if you have safety eyes place them between rnd 12-13 in a distance of 15 visible st.
23. 5 dc, dec, 1 dc, 3 dc, dec, 1 dc, 5 dc, dec, 1 dc, dec, 5 dc, 1 dc, dec, 3 dc, 1 dc, dec, 4 dc (36 sts in total)
  24. (4 dc, dec)\*6 (30 sts in total)
  25. (3 dc, dec)\*6 (24 sts in total)
  26. (2 dc, dec)\*2, (2 dc, dec)\*2, (2 dc, dec)\*2 (18 sts in total)
  27. (1 dc, dec)\*6 (12 sts in total)
  28. (dec)\*6 (6 sts in total)
- Fasten off and sew remaining thread.

Deepen the eyes or the places where the eyes will be embroidered later. Cut a long thread of the head colour. Stitch in the center under the head, come out to the left of a safety eye. Stitch to the right of the eye again and come

out from under the head with one stitch gap. Repeat the process for the second eye with a new thread. Tighten the threads evenly per eye and secure them with knots. Cut the thread slightly above the knot. The knots will not be visible later when head is sewn to body. The eyes can also be deepened before you embroider them on. Start the deepening as written above, come out of the head at the level of the first eye and stitch in again 2 stitches offset. Then you can embroider the eyes on top of it.



Sew the head onto the body. Make sure it sits straight with arms and legs pointing in the same direction. Stuff the neck area again if necessary.

### MANE

Crochet this with yarn colour B. From rnd 19 to the neck transition, mark the center of the head with pins for the mane. Start in rnd 19.

1. Crochet 20 dc along the pins, 1 tch (20 sts in total)
- Note:** If you need more or less dc to the neck transition, it doesn't matter, but adjust the following rows accordingly.
2. (htr inc)\*20, 1 tch (40 sts in total)
  3. (dc inc)\*40 (80 sts in total)
- Fasten off and sew remaining thread.



### EARS X2

With yarn colour A.

1. MR, 4 dc (4 sts in total)
  2. (1 dc, inc)\*2 (6 sts in total)
  3. 6 dc
  4. (1 dc, inc)\*3 (9 sts in total)
  5. (2 dc, inc)\*3 (12 sts in total)
  6. (2 dc, inc)\*4 (16 sts in total)
  7. 16 dc
  8. 1 ch, crochet opposite sides with 8 dc tog (8 sts in total)
  9. 1 ch, crochet opposite sides with 4 dc tog (4 sts in total)
- Fasten off and leave a long thread for sewing.



### FINISHING OFF

Sew the ears to the head over rnds 19-21 at the level of the eyes. Embroider eyes over rounds 12-13 over 2 sts. Add lash line and eye whites if you used safety eyes: Eyebrows are 3 sts above eyes over 2 sts. Knot 3-4 short strands in your darker shade at the tail end and comb them up a bit. Afterwards you can trim them.

### EMIL'S VEST

Start with yarn colour D: 34 ch + 1 tch

1. 34 htr, 1 tch
2. (fpht, bpht)\*17, 1 tch
3. (fpht, bpht)\*17, 1 tch Change to yarn colour C.
4. -7. 34 dc, 1 tch (4 Rh)
8. inc, 1 dc, 8 ch - skip 6 st, 18 dc, 8 ch - skip 6 st, 1 dc, inc, 1 tch (41 sts in total)
- 9.-10. 41 dc, 1 tch (2 r)
11. inc, 39 dc, inc, 1 tch (43 sts in total)
12. 43 dc, 1 tch
13. inc, 41 dc, inc, 1 tch (45 sts in total)
14. 45 dc, 1 tch Change to yarn colour D.
15. 45 htr, 1 tch
16. (fpht, bpht)\*22, 1 fpht, 1 tch



17. (bpht, fpht)\*22, 1 bpht Fasten off and sew the threads. Start new with yarn colour C on the right side below the collar.

- 1.-2. 14 dc, 1 tch (2 r)
3. 5 dc, 3 ch - skip 1 st, 8 dc, 1 tch
4. 8 dc, 1 dc in the middle of ch, 5 dc



Fasten off and sew the threads. Start new with yarn colour C on the left side below the collar.

1. 14 dc, 1 tch
2. 14 dc

Fasten off and sew the threads. Sew a small button on the opposite side of the hole. Fold the collar down and sew it in place with a few stitches. For a neat sleeve end, cast on each sleeve in pistachio and crochet 16 sl st. Then cut the thread and sew it.

### EMMA'S SKIRT

Start with yarn colour E.

1. MR, 6 dc (6 sts in total)
  2. (inc)\*6 (12 sts in total)
  3. (1 dc, inc)\*6 (18 sts in total)
  4. (2 dc, inc)\*6 (24 sts in total)
  5. 5 dc, 8 ch - skip 4 st, 6 dc, 8 ch - skip 4 st, 5 dc (32 sts in total)
  6. 2 ch - skip 1 st, 31 dc (33 sts in total)
  7. (10 dc, inc)\*3 (36 sts in total)
  8. (3 dc, inc)\*9 (45 sts in total)
  9. (8 dc, inc)\*5 (50 sts in total)
  10. blo - 50 dc
  11. 50 dc
  12. blo - 50 dc
- Change to yarn colour F.

12. 50 dc

Change back to yarn colour E.

13. (1 dc, 1 sl st)\*4, 27 ch - crochet from the second st from the hook 26 sl st, (1 ch, 1 sl st)\*42, 27 ch - crochet from the second st from the hook 26 sl st, (1 ch, 1 sl st)\*4

Fasten off and sew the thread.

### RUFFLES

Start with yarn colour F in the 1. front loop of round 10. Stitch into the stitch from the top.

1. 1 ch, (htr inc)\*50, 1 sl st into the 1. st (100 sts in total)
2. 1 ch, (htr inc)\*100, 1 sl st into the 1. st (200 sts in total)
3. 1 ch, 200 htr, 1 sl st into the 1. st

Fasten off and sew the thread.

Start with yarn colour E in the 1. front loop of rnd 12. Stitch into the stitch from the top.

1. 1 ch, (htr inc)\*50, 1 sl st into the 1. st (100 sts in total)
2. 1 ch, 100 htr, 1 sl st into the 1. st
3. 1 ch, (1 ch, 1 dc)\*100

Fasten off and sew the thread. Sew the straps on with a few stitches over rnd 13.



### WASHING ADVICE

Always wash in as warm a water temperature as possible - up to the temperature recommended, with a short spin. Use a lot of water if hand washing. For darker colours we recommend the use of discolouration sheets.

Do not bleach.

Do not tumble dry. Drip-dry on a horizontal surface.

Iron on a hot temperature setting using a damp cloth.

Professional dry cleaning in tetrachloroethylene.

Do not use optical brighteners (or any detergent containing optical brighteners). We recommend to use a softener to preserve the natural softness of the yarn.