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Amigurumi is a Japanese knitting technique used to create adorable threedimensional stuffed animals, characters, and objects. Amigurumi kittens are a popular choice for knitters of all levels, as they are relatively easy to make and can be customized to your child's liking.

In this article, we will provide step-by-step instructions on how to knit an amigurumi kitten. We will also include diagrams and tips to help you create a perfect kitten for your child.

Materials:

- Worsted weight yarn in two colors (one for the body and one for the details)
- Size H (5.00mm) crochet hook

- Yarn needle
- Scissors
- Embroidery thread or floss
- Stuffing

Step-by-Step Instructions:

Head:

- 1. Make a magic ring with the main color yarn.
- 2. Chain (ch) 6 and join with a slip stitch (sl st) to the first ch.
- 3. Round 1: Single crochet (sc) 6 in the ring. Join with a sl st to the first sc.
- 4. Round 2: Ch 2, *sc 2, inc 1 (2 sc in next st)* 6 times. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (12 sc)
- 5. Round 3: Ch 2, *sc 3, inc 1* 6 times. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (18 sc)
- 6. Round 4-10: Ch 2, sc in each st around. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (18 sc)
- 7. Round 11: Ch 2, sc 2, dec 1 (sc 2 together) * 6 times. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (12 sc)
- 8. Round 12: Ch 2, *sc 2, dec 1* 6 times. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (6 sc)
- 9. Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Body:

- 1. Make a magic ring with the main color yarn.
- 2. Ch 6 and join with a sl st to the first ch.
- 3. Round 1: Sc 6 in the ring. Join with a sl st to the first sc.
- 4. Round 2: Ch 2, *sc 2, inc 1* 6 times. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (12 sc)
- 5. Round 3-8: Ch 2, sc in each st around. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (12 sc)
- 6. Round 9: Ch 2, *sc 3, dec 1* 6 times. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (6 sc)
- 7. Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Tail:

- 1. Ch 3 with the main color yarn.
- 2. SI st to the first ch to form a ring.
- 3. Ch 2, sc 5 in the ring. Join with a sl st to the first sc.
- 4. Ch 2, sc in each st around. Join with a sl st to the first sc.
- 5. Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Ears:

- 1. Make 2.
- 2. Ch 3 with the main color yarn.
- 3. SI st to the first ch to form a ring.
- 4. Ch 2, sc 4 in the ring. Join with a sl st to the first sc.

- 5. Ch 2, inc 1, sc 3, inc 1, sl st.
- 6. Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Legs:

- 1. Make 4.
- 2. Ch 3 with the main color yarn.
- 3. SI st to the first ch to form a ring.
- 4. Ch 2, sc 5 in the ring. Join with a sl st to the first sc.
- 5. Ch 2, sc in each st around. Join with a sl st to the first sc.
- 6. Ch 2, sc 6 in the round. Join with a sl st to the first sc.
- 7. Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Assembly:

- 1. Sew the head to the body.
- 2. Sew the tail to the back of the body.
- 3. Sew the ears to the top of the head.
- 4. Sew the legs to the bottom of the body.
- 5. Embroider the eyes, nose, and mouth with embroidery thread or floss.
- 6. Stuff the kitten with stuffing.

Tips:

- Use a smaller hook size for a tighter stitch.
- Be careful not to overstuff the kitten, as this can make it difficult to sew.

- You can use different colors of yarn to create different variations of the kitten.
- Add a scarf, hat, or other accessories to customize your kitten.
- Amigurumi kittens make great gifts for children of all ages.

We hope that you have enjoyed this tutorial on how to knit an amigurumi kitten. With a little practice, you will be able to create beautiful and unique kittens for your children.

Please share your finished kittens with us on social media using the hashtag #amigurumikitten.

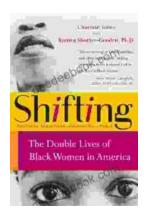


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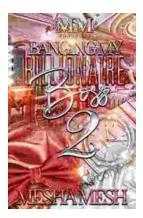
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