

Bison Amigurumi Crochet Pattern



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Approximate measurements: 10 cm (~3.9 inches) tall, 16 cm (~6.3 cm) from head to tail

Materials/Tools

- **Medium/worsted (4) weight yarn:**
brown (B), dark brown (D), cream (C), taupe (T), black (BL)
- Crochet hooks: size G (4.0 mm), size B (2.0 mm)
- Yarn needle
- Two 8.0 mm safety eyes
- Polyester stuffing, weighted beads
- Pet slicker brush

Abbreviations (US Terminology)

ch – chain

sc – single crochet

st – stitch

sl st – slip stitch

inc – increase by working 2 single crochet in the same stitch

dec – decrease with single crochet 2 stitches together (or use invisible decrease)

R# - round number

“(sc 1, inc) # times” – repeat instructions in parentheses the indicated number of times

(#) – number of stitches in current round

Videos for basic techniques can be found at

shorturl.at/dpKQZ



LEFT FRONT LEG (L)

Use taupe (T) and brown (B) yarn.

pm – place marker (use a strand of yarn or stitch marker)

- R1** With T, sc 6 in magic ring (6)
- R2** (inc, inc, sc 1) two times (10)
- R3** With B, sc 3, dec, dec, sc 3 (8)
- R4-6** sc in each st around (8)
- R7** (sc 1, inc) four times (12)
- R8** (sc 2, inc) four times (16)
- R9** sc 7, inc, sc 5, pm, sc 2, inc (18)

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a short yarn tail and weave in to hide the yarn tail.

RIGHT FRONT LEG (R)

Use taupe (T) and brown (B) yarn.

- R1** With T, sc 6 in magic ring (6)
- R2** (inc, inc, sc 1) two times (10)
- R3** With B, sc 3, dec, dec, sc 3 (8)
- R4-6** sc in each st around (8)
- R7** (sc 1, inc) four times (12)
- R8** (sc 2, inc) four times (16)
- R9** (sc 7, inc) two times (18)

For the right front leg (**R**), do not cut the yarn. In the next step, you will be joining the two front legs together.

JOINING FRONT LEGS

(**L**) – left front leg, (**R**) – right front leg

- R10** On leg **R**, sc 2, insert hook into the stitch to the left of the marker (see image below) on leg **L**, sc 14.



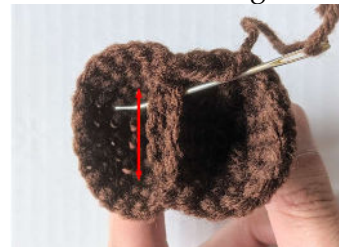
Skip the next four stitches and skip the four stitches from where the legs are joined initially (see image below).



Insert hook into the stitch to the left of the skipped stitches, and sc 14 on leg **R**.

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. This is the back of the front legs. Cut a short yarn tail for sewing.

Sew the skipped stitches in the middle together with the yarn tail.



LEFT BACK LEG (L)

Use taupe (T) and dark brown (D) yarn.

pm – place marker (use a strand of yarn or stitch marker)

R1 With T, sc 6 in magic ring (6)

R2 (inc, inc, sc 1) two times (10)

R3 With D, sc 3, dec, dec, sc 3 (8)

R4-5 sc in each st around (8)

R6 dec, sc 1, inc, inc, sc 1, dec (8)

R7 (sc 3, inc) two times, pm (10)

R8 (sc 4, inc) two times (12)

Finish with a sl st into the next stitch. Cut a short yarn tail for sewing.

RIGHT BACK LEG (R)

Use taupe (T) and dark brown (D) yarn.

R1 With T, sc 6 in magic ring (6)

R2 (inc, inc, sc 1) two times (10)

R3 With D, sc 3, dec, dec, sc 3 (8)

R4-5 sc in each st around (8)

R6 dec, sc 1, inc, inc, sc 1, dec (8)

R7 (sc 3, inc) two times (10)

R8 (sc 4, inc) two times (12)

For the right back leg (**R**), do not cut the yarn. In the next step, you will be joining the two back legs together.

JOINING BACK LEGS

(**L**) – left front leg, (**R**) – right front leg

R10 On leg **R**, sc 2, insert hook into the stitch to the left of the marker (see image below) on leg **L**, sc 10.



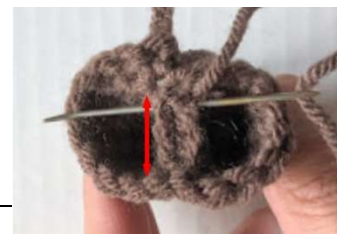
Skip the next two stitches and skip the two stitches from where the legs are joined initially (see image below).



Insert hook into the stitch to the left of the skipped stitches, and sc 10.

Do not cut the yarn. In the next step, you will be joining the back legs and front legs together and then forming the body.

Sew the skipped stitches in the middle together with the yarn tail from the left back leg.



BODY

Use brown (B) and dark brown (D) yarn.

Starting from where you left off in the middle of the back legs, place marker.

- R1** With D, sc 6, dec, dec.
With B, connect to back of the front leg piece, dec, sc 22, dec.



Starting
marker

With D, connect to the back leg piece, dec, dec, sc 6. (42)



There should be no gaps between the stitches. All the stitches from the legs should be used. If there are any gaps, they can be sewn together after.

For the remainder of the piece, you will be crocheting clockwise around the entire body.

- R2** sc 8, with B, sc 26, with D, sc 8 (42)
R3 dec, sc 6, with B, sc 26, with D, sc 6, dec (40)
R4 dec, dec, sc 3, with B, sc 26, with D, sc 3, dec, dec (36)
R5 dec, dec, sc 1, with B, sc 27, dec, dec (32)

Place weighted beads in the back legs and rear before we begin closing the body.

- R6** dec, dec, sc 22, dec, dec (28)
R7 dec, dec, sc 20, dec, dec (24)
R8 (sc 2, dec) six times (18)
R9 (sc 1, dec) six times (12)

Finish stuffing the body with polyfill

- R10** dec six times (6)

Finish with a sl st into the next st. Cut a short yarn tail for sewing.

Sew the opening closed.

HEAD

Use dark brown (D) yarn.

With D, chain 6.

R1 Skip first ch, sc 4, inc, turn to work the other side of the chain,



sc 4, inc (12)

R2 (sc 1, inc) six times (18)

R3 (sc 2, inc) six times (24)

R4-7 sc in each st around (24)

R8 (sc 4, dec) four times (20)

R9 sc in each st around (20)

R10 (sc 3, dec) four times (16)

R11 (sc 2, dec) four times (12)

Insert the safety eyes below R7 and six stitches apart.

Stuff the head.

R12 dec six times (6)

Finish with a sl st into the next st. Cut a short yarn tail for sewing.



SNOUT

Use dark brown (D) yarn.

R1 With D, sc 6 in magic ring (6)

R2 inc in each st around (12)

R3 sc 1, inc, sc 8, inc, sc 1 (14)

Finish with a sl st into the next st. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

Sew the snout to the face as shown.



NOSE

Use black (BL) yarn.

R1 With BL, sc 8 in magic ring (8)

Finish with a sl st into the next st. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

Sew the nose near the bottom of the snout as shown.



HORN (Make 2)

Use cream (C) yarn.

R1 With C, sc 6 in magic ring (6)

R2 sc 5, inc (7)

R3 sc 6, inc (8)

Finish with a sl st into the next st. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

EAR (Make 2)

Use dark brown (D) yarn.

With D, chain 3.

R1 Skip first ch, sc 2

Yarn over and draw through loop on hook to fasten off. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

Sew the horns and ears to the head as shown.



ATTACHING THE HAIR

Cut 18 to 20 strands of dark brown yarn approximately 10 cm in length.

You will attach these strands to the top of the head using the latch hook method.

Fold a strand of yarn in half, and using the smaller 2.0 mm hook, insert the hook into a stitch on the forehead. Draw the strand of yarn through the stitch.

Yarn over and then draw the ends of the yarn through the loop on the hook.



The strand of yarn should now be secure.

Continue attaching the strands of yarn to the forehead.

Then fray each strand of yarn to be brushed out with a pet slicker brush.



TAIL

Use dark brown (D) yarn.

With D, chain 4.

R1 Skip first ch, sc 3

Yarn over and draw through loop on hook to fasten off. Cut a long yarn tail for sewing.

Cut a strand of black yarn about 10 cm long. Fold the strand in half and attach it with the latch hook method to the end of the tail.

Brush out the tail with a pet slicker brush.



ASSEMBLY

Sew the head to the body so that the top of the head is below the hump on the back.

Sew the tail to the back of the body.

