

Vintage-Inspired Crochet Bunny Pattern

Abbreviations:

- ch = chain
- sc= single crochet
- dc = double crochet
- sl st = slip stitch

Things You Will Need:

- Worsted weight, 4-ply yarn-off white
- F-hook
- Yarn needle
- (2) 5mm ivory pearl beads
- 3mm pink pearl bead
- Sewing needle and matching thread
- 1-inch gathered white lace (scrap)
- 1/4-inch-wide ribbon (scrap)
- 1/2-inch white pom pom
- Hot glue gun
- Scissors
- Ruler



Gauge: This crochet pattern does not include a gauge as it is not a pattern that requires a sized fit.

Note: The bunny is worked in rounds with the exception of the ears which are worked in rows. Do not join the rounds. Work continuous without chain ups or joining.

Head

Rnd 1: Form a magic ring. Crochet 6 sc in the ring.

Rnd 2: Sc, 2 sc around. (9 sc)

Rnd 3: *Sc, 2sc around.* Repeat between ** ending with a sc in the last st. (13 sc)

Rnd 4: 2 sc in each st around. (26 sc)

Rnds 5-7: Sc around.

Rnd 8: *Sc in two sts, dec.* Repeat between ** ending with a sc in each of the last two sts. (20 sc)

Rnd 9: *Sc in four sts, dec.* Repeat between ** ending with a sc in each of the last three sts. (18 sc)

Rnd 10: *Sc, dec.* Repeat between ** (12 sc) Stuff.

Rnd 11: Dec around. (6 sc)

Sl st in the next st. Fasten off with a tail for sewing. Thread the tail on a yarn needle and sew around the opening. Draw the opening closed. This is the back of the head. Knot and weave in the end.

Body

Rnd 1: Form a magic ring. Crochet 8 sc in the ring.

Rnd 2: 2 sc around. (16 sc)

Rnds 3-13: Sc around. (176)

Rnd 14: Dec around. (8 sc)

Sl st in the next st. Stuff. Fasten off with a tail for sewing. Sew and draw the opening closed. Do not cut the tail.

Ears (make 2)

Row 1: Ch 4. Turn. Crochet 2 sc in second ch from hook, sc in next ch, 2 sc in last ch. (5 sc) Turn.

Row 2: Ch1, 2 sc in first st, sc across, 2 sc in last st. (7 sc). Turn.

Row 3: Repeat row 2. (9 sc) Turn.

Rows 4-14: Ch 1, sc in each st across. Turn.

Row 15: Ch 1, dec, sc across, dec last two st tog. (7 sc) Turn.

Row 16: Ch 1, sc across. Turn.

Row 17: Repeat row 15. (5 sc) Turn.

Row 18: Ch 1, sc across. Turn.

Row 19: Repeat row 15. (3 sc) Turn.

Row 20: Ch 1, sc across.

Sc around the ear and finish off with a tail for sewing.

Legs (make 2)

Rnd 1: Form a magic ring. Crochet 4 sc in the ring.

Rnd 2: 2 sc around (8 sc)

Rnd 3-5: Sc around

Rnd 6: Dec, sc, 2 dc in each of next two st, sc, dec. (8 sts)

Foot formed. Stuff foot and continue to stuff as you go.

Rnds 7-18: Sc around.

Sl st in the next st. Fasten off with a tail for sewing. Finish stuffing. Sew around opening and draw closed. Do not cut the tail.

Arms (make 2)

Rnd 1: Form a magic ring. Crochet 4 sc in the ring.

Rnd 2: 2 sc around. (8sc)

Rnds 3-15: Sc around.

Sl st in the next st. Fasten off with a tail for sewing. Stuff. Sew around opening and draw closed. Do not cut the tail.



Finishing

- Place the head on top of the end of the body with the tail. Note: The position of the nose should be pointing outward. Using the tail, sew the head to the body.
- Stand the body on your work surface with the nose facing forward. Place a leg on each side of the body with the feet pointing up. The bunny will look like it is sitting. Sew the top of the legs to the body using the attached tails.
- Sew the arms to the body just below the head.
- Sew the top of the ears to the top of the head, spacing them 1/2 inch apart.
- Fasten off tails and weave in the ends.
- Using the finished face photo as your guide, sew two 5mm ivory pearl beads to the face for eyes and one 3mm pink pearl bead for the nose.
- Cut a 7-inch length from 1-inch-wide gathered white lace. Sew a running stitch along the gathered edge of the lace. Wrap the lace around the neck with the ends in the back. Cinch the running stitches until the ends of the lace meet. Knot and cut the thread. Tie a bow using 1/4-inch-wide ribbon. Sew the bow to the lace, below the bunny's face.
- Hot glue a 1/2-inch white pom pom to the back of the bunny for the tail.

