Fairy Toys

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Crochet pattern

"Whale`s family"

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This crochet pattern does not contain crochet lessons.

You need to have basic crochet skills to finish the pattern!

If you have any trouble following the pattern, feel free to contact me directly from the shop.

Final size of the toys with the recommended materials and tools ~ 13 cm/5.12", ~ 7cm/2.76".

Use any materials and tools you like, but the final size of your toy may differ.

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Recommended materials and tools:

For Big Whale:

Scheepjes Catona 100% mercerized cotton yarn (Silver Blue) #528 50g/125m
Scheepjes Catona 100% mercerized cotton yarn (Old Lace) #130 25g/62,5m
Safety eyes 9 mm/0,35”

For Baby Whale:

Scheepjes Catona 100% mercerized cotton yarn (Crystalline) #385 10g/25m
Scheepjes Catona 100% mercerized cotton yarn (Bridal White) #105 10g/25m
Safety eyes 6 mm/0,24”

2,25 mm crochet hook (US B)
Fiberfill for stuffing
Tapestry needle and scissors
White embroidery thread

Fine weight yarn.
Number 2 in Standard Yarn Weight System (SPORT, BABY).
I used **Sport (5 ply)** cotton yarn.

Skill level: beginner - intermediate

Suggested substitute yarn:
“Alize Bahar”
“Alpina Anabel”
“Ice Yarns Camilla Cotton”
“Schachenmayr Catania”
“Phildar Phil Cotton 3”
“Patons Grace”

Abbreviations:

st / sts = stitch / stitches
ch = chain stitch
sc = single crochet
slst = slip stitch
inc = increase (2 single crochets in one stitch)
dec = invisible decrease (2 stitches together working on front loops only)
BLO = back loop only
(…) = repeat between () number of times indicated
[…] = total number of stitches in the round or row

- **Toy is crocheted in continuous spirals without joining the rounds, do not turn or slip stitch unless otherwise stated in the pattern!**
- **You can use a scrap of contrasting yarn instead of the stitch marker**!

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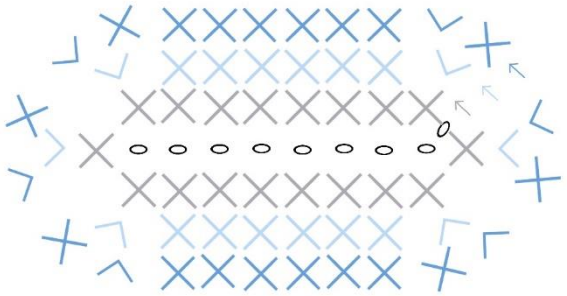
Big Whale!

Body:



Working in rounds. Start with Scheepjes Catona (Old Lace) #130.

Start with foundation chain.

Rnd 1. 9 ch [9]

Start in the 2nd chain from the hook: 7 sc, 3 sc into the last chain, (turn the crocheting and on the other side of foundation chain work) 6 sc, 2 sc into the last chain [18]

Crochet in continuous spirals!

Rnd 2. inc, 6 sc, (inc) * 3 times, 6 sc, (inc) * 2 times [24]

Rnd 3. 1 sc, inc, 6 sc, (1 sc, inc) * 3 times, 6 sc, (1 sc, inc) * 2 times [30]

Rnd 4. 30 sc [30] – 1 round

Rnd 5. (2 sc, inc) * 10 times [40]

Rnd 6. 40 sc [40] – 1 round

Rnd 7. (4 sc, inc) * 8 times [48]

Rnd 8. (5 sc, inc) * 8 times [56]

Rnd 9. 56 sc [56] – 1 round

Change yarn into Scheepjes Catona (Silver Blue) #528. *Images 2, 3*

Rnd 10. **BLO (back loop only)**: 3 sc, inc, (6 sc, inc) * 7 times, 3 sc [64] *Images 4, 5*

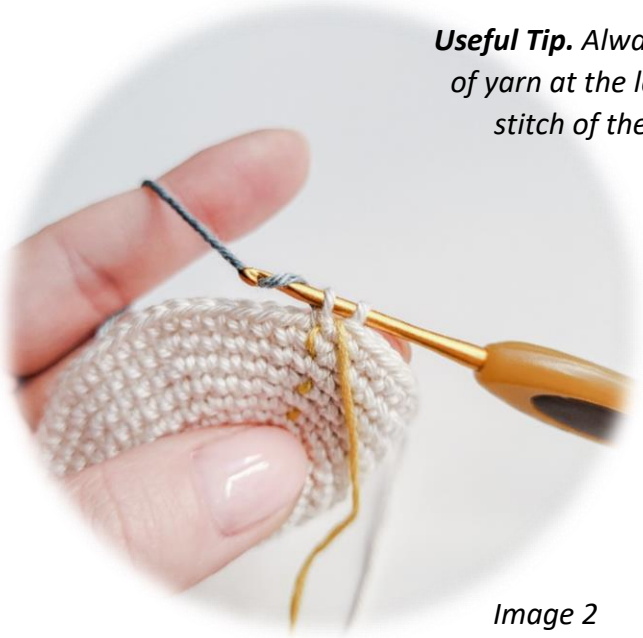
Rnd 11. 64 sc [64] – 1 round

Rnd 12. (7 sc, inc) * 8 times [72]

Rnds 13-18. 72 sc [72] – 6 rounds

Image 1

Useful Tip. *Always change the color of yarn at the last step of the last stitch of the previous color*



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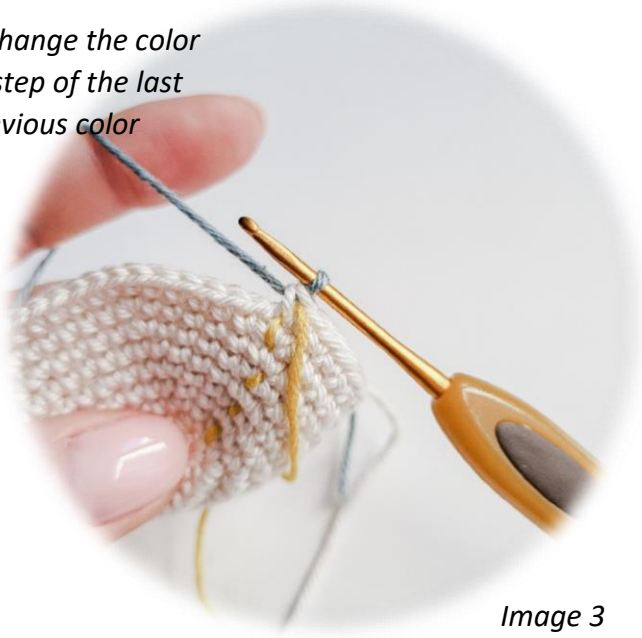

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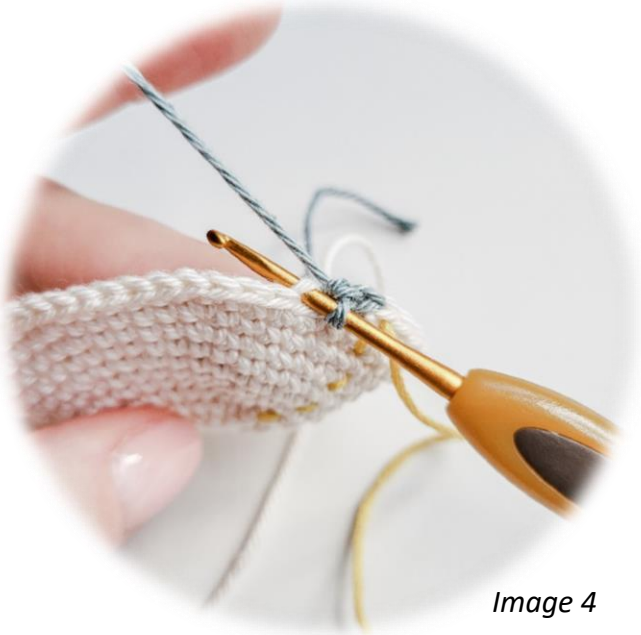
Rnd 19. 4 sc, inc, (8 sc, inc) * 7 times, 4 sc [80]

Rnds 20-24. 80 sc [80] – 5 rounds

Insert the safety eyes between rounds 13 and 14. To place them symmetrical skip different number of stitches to the left and to the right from the marker thread *Images 7-11*.



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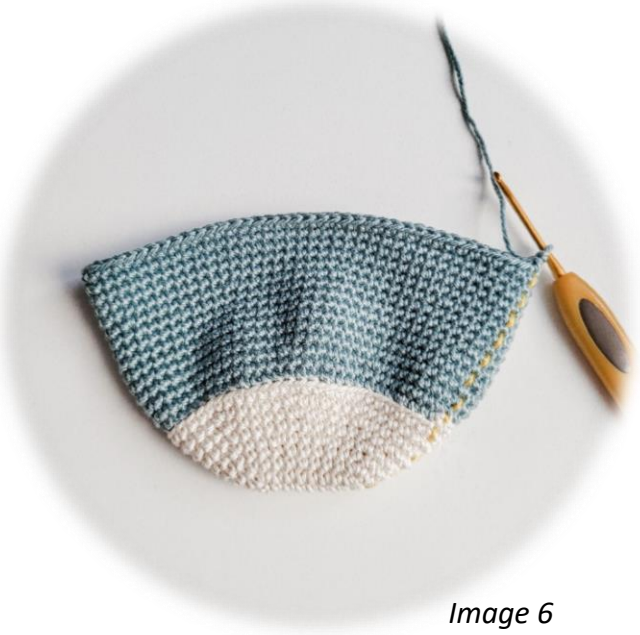

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Image 8

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Image 10

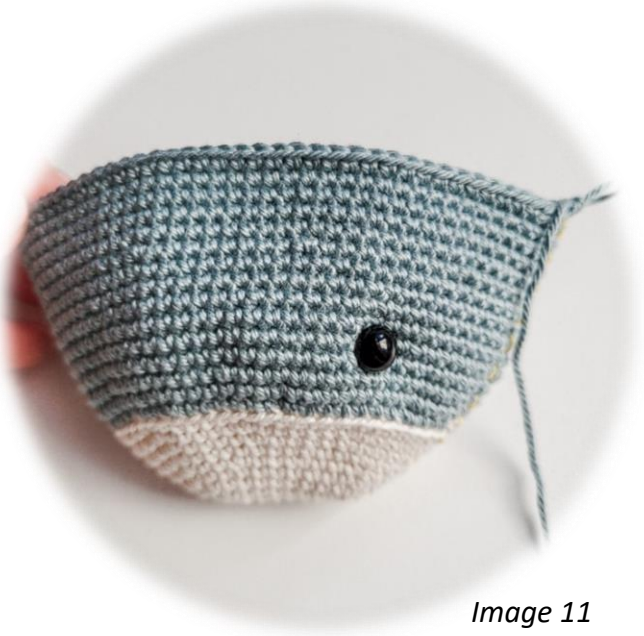

Image 11

Tail:

Rnd 1. Work 8 sc to *marker 1* *Image 12*, skip 62 sts of body for the head and closing, insert the hook into the next stitch with *marker 2* *Image 13* and crochet 10 sc [18]

Rnds 2-3. 18 sc [18] – 2 rounds

Rnd 4. (4 sc, dec) * 3 times [15]

Rnd 5. 15 sc [15] – 1 round

Rnd 6. (3 sc, dec) * 3 times [12]

Rnd 7. 12 sc [12] – 1 round

Stuff the body and tail with fiberfill.

Rnd 8. (2 sc, dec) * 3 times [9]

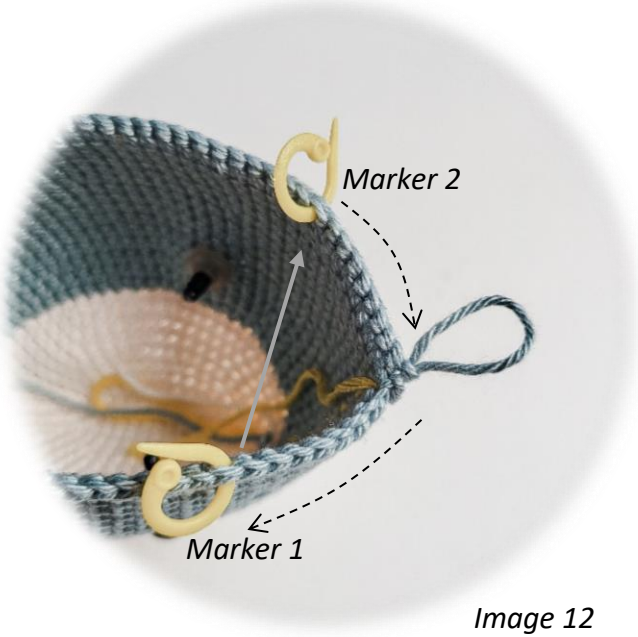

Image 12

Image 13

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Rnd 9. (1 sc, dec) * 3 times [6]

Using a needle or crochet hook thread the yarn tail through the front loops and pull to tighten! *Images 15,16*

Weave in the yarn end.

Head:

Skip 3 sts from both sides of the tail. And in the 4th sts insert the markers *Image 18*. Insert the hook across two stitches with the markers and pick up the yarn *Image 19* and

Image 14

Image 15

Image 16

Image 17

Image 18

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pull it through *Image 20*. Make a sc to connect both sides. Leave a long tail of yarn, we are going to use it later to close the hole *Image 20*.

The 1st sc of* Rnd 1 *work in the same stitch Images 21, 22. This will be the 1st stitch of the next round Images 23, 24.

Rnd 1. 56 sc [56] – 1 round

Rnd 2. (5 sc, dec) * 8 times [48]

Rnd 3. 48 sc [48] – 1 round

Rnd 4. 2 sc, dec, (4 sc, dec) * 7 times, 2 sc [40]

Rnd 5. 40 sc [40] – 1 round

Rnd 6. (3 sc, dec) * 8 times [32]

Rnd 7. 1 sc, dec, (2 sc, dec) * 7 times, 1 sc [24]

Stuff the head firmly with filler! Insert small amounts at a time until you get the right shape (more stuffing material insert in the front side of the head) *Image 26*. Take your time with this step.

Rnd 8. (1 sc, dec) *8 times [16]

Rnd 9. (dec) * 8 times [8]

Using a needle or crochet hook thread the yarn tail through the front loops and pull to tighten *Image 27*!

Image 19

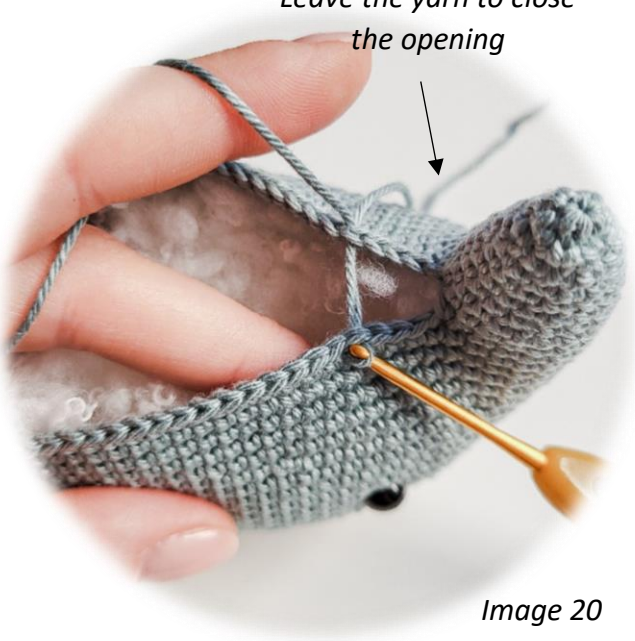

Image 20

Image 21

Image 22

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Weave in the yarn end.

Close the opening of the body by going across each stitch *Images 28-31*. Weave in the yarn end.

Image 23

Image 24

Image 25

Image 26

Image 27

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Image 28

Image 29

Image 30

Turn the body upside down and reattach yarn (Old Lace) #130 to round 10 where we completed the stitches in Back Loop Only (BLO) *Image 32*. Insert your hook into the Front Loop of the first stitch of round 10 and work slst. Continue to slst around *Images 33-35*, weave in the yarn end.

Image 31

Image 32

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Image 33

Image 34

Image 35

Fins (make 2):

Working in rounds. Using Scheepjes Catona (Silver Blue) #528.

Rnd 1. 4 sc in magic ring [4]

Rnd 2. (inc, 1 sc) * 2 times [6]

Rnd 3. 6 sc [6] - 1 round

Rnd 4. (inc, 1 sc) * 3 times [9]

Rnd 5. 9 sc [9] – 1 round

Rnd 6. (inc, 2 sc) * 3 times [12]

Rnd 7. 12 sc [12] – 1 round

Rnd 8. (inc, 3 sc) * 3 times [15]

Rnd 9. (dec, 3 sc) * 3 times [12]

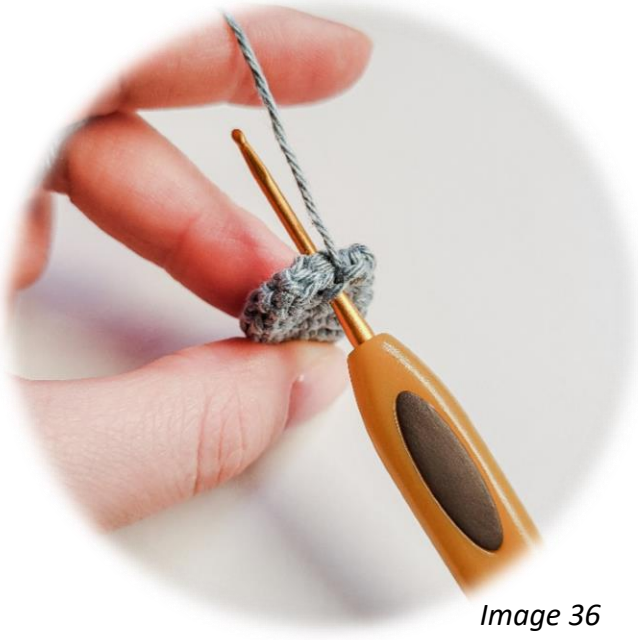

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Image 37

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Rnd 10. (dec, 2 sc) * 3 times [9]

Fold the fin in half and crochet through two layers 4 sc *Image 36*.

Fasten off and leave long thread for sewing.

Tail fin:

Working in rows. Using Scheepjes Catona (Silver Blue) #528.

13 chains

Row 1. in the 2nd chain from the hook: 12 sc, 3 ch and turn

Row 2. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 14 sc, 3 ch and turn

Row 3. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 16 sc, 3 ch and turn

Row 4. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 18 sc, 3 ch and turn

Row 5. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 20 sc, 4 ch and turn

Row 6. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 23 sc, 4 ch and turn

Row 7. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 13 sc

Fasten off and leave long thread for sewing.

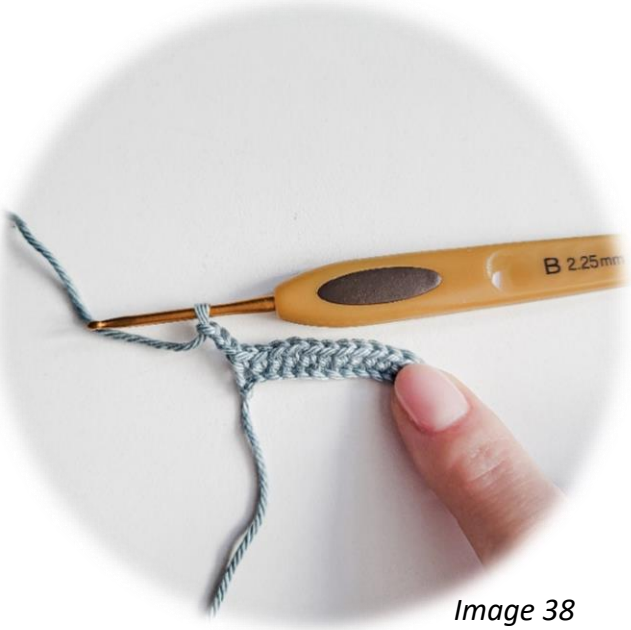

Image 38

Image 39

Image 40

Weave in the smaller tail using the needle

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Thread the yarn tail through the visible loops in the middle and pull to tighten

Image 42

Image 43

Wrap the yarn tail around the middle several times, secure the yarn tail at the bottom of the Tail fin!

Image 44

Assembling:

Sculpting!

Take the yarn (Silver Blue) #528 and long needle!

Insert the needle with a long piece of yarn in **point 1**. Leave there a long piece of yarn (8-10 cm). Pull out the needle from **point 2**, insert the needle in the **point 3**, pull out from **point 1**. Pull well both of threads and tie them tightly *Images 45, 46*. (You can repeat this action one more time!)

Image 45

Image 46

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Repeat sculpting with another eye! Weave in the ends. Cut them.

How to make sculpting, watch here!

https://youtu.be/zdAqllq7QZY

Using 6 strands of white embroidery thread embroider the highlights as shown on *Images 47, 48*! Weave in the ends.

Image 47

Image 48

Using same yarn, we crocheted the body embroider the eyelids as shown on the *Images 49, 50*! Work as many stitches as you like, to be satisfied with the thickness of the eyelid. Weave in the ends.

Video tutorial watch here!

https://youtu.be/AsfzNw36avk

Image 49

Image 50

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Using Scheepjes Catona (Old Lace) #130 embroider the spots (make 4-5 stitches for each spot) on the head`s top randomly *Images 51, 52*.

Image 51

Image 52

Sew the tail fin to the whale`s tail *Images 53, 54*. Weave in the yarn end.

Image 53

Image 54

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Sew the fins onto either side of the body to round 12. Skip 2 sts from the eye. Sew the fin in the diagonal to Rnd 12 *Images 55, 56*.

Image 55

Image 56

Image 57

Image 58

Image 59

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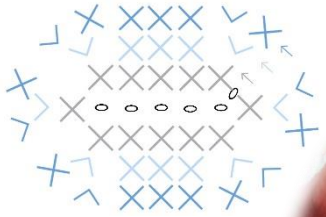
Baby Whale!



Body:

Working in rounds. Start with Scheepjes Catona (Bridal White) #105.

Start with foundation chain.

Rnd 1. 6 ch [6]

Start in the 2nd chain from the hook: 4 sc, 3 sc into the last chain, (turn the crocheting and on the other side of foundation chain work) 3 sc, 2 sc into the last chain [12]

Crochet in continuous spirals!

Rnd 2. inc, 3 sc, (inc) * 3 times, 3 sc, (inc) * 2 times [18]

Rnd 3. 1 sc, inc, 3 sc, (1 sc, inc) * 3 times, 3 sc, (1 sc, inc) * 2 times [24]

Rnd 4. 24 sc [24] – 1 round

Rnd 5. (2 sc, inc) * 8 times [32]

Change yarn into Scheepjes Catona (Crystalline) #385.

Rnd 6. **BLO (back loop only)**: 32 sc [32] – 1 round

Rnd 7. (3 sc, inc) * 8 times [40]

Rnds 8-10. 40 sc [40] – 3 rounds

Image 60

Image 61

Image 62

Image 63

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Rnd 11. 2 sc, inc, (4 sc, inc) * 7 times, 2 sc [48]

Rnds 12-13. 48 sc [48] – 2 rounds

Insert the safety eyes between rounds 8 and 9. To place them symmetrical skip different number of stitches to the left and to the right from the marker thread. Refer to the *Image 61*.

Tail:

Rnd 1. Work 5 sc to **marker 1**, skip 37 sts of body for the head and closing, insert the hook into the next stitch with **marker 2** and crochet 6 sc *Image 64* [11]

Rnd 2. 11 sc [11] – 1 round

Rnd 3. 3 sc, (dec) * 2 times, 4 sc [9]

Rnd 4. 9 sc [9] – 1 round

Stuff the body and tail with fiberfill.

Rnd 5. (1 sc, dec) * 3 times [6]

Using a needle or crochet hook thread the yarn tail through the front loops and pull to tighten!

Weave in the yarn end.

Head:

Skip 1 sts from both sides of the tail. And in the 2nd sts insert the markers *Image 67*.

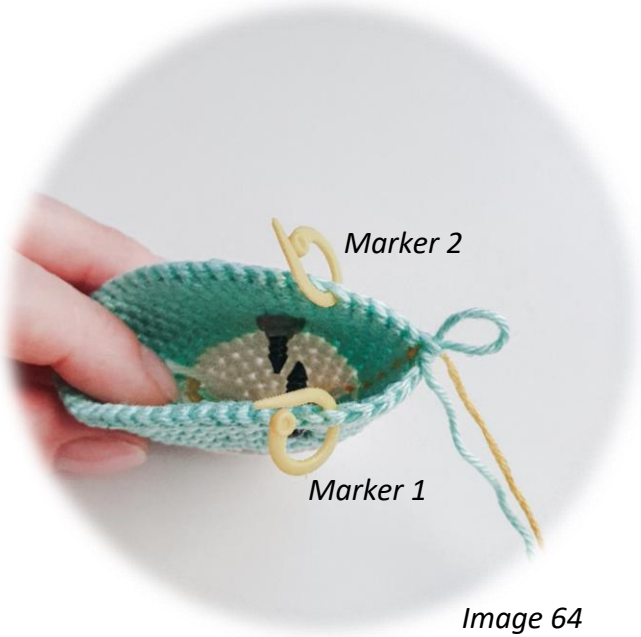

Image 64

Image 65

Image 66

Image 67

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Insert the hook across two stitches with the markers and pick up the yarn and pull it through. Make a sc to connect both sides. Leave a long tail of yarn, we are going to use it later to close the hole *Image 68*.

The 1st sc of Rnd 1 work in the same stitch. This will be the 1st stitch of the next round.

Rnd 1. 35 sc [35] – 1 round

Rnd 2. (3 sc, dec) * 7 times [28]

Rnd 3. 28 sc [28] – 1 round

Rnd 4. 1 sc, dec, (2 sc, dec) * 6 times, 1 sc [21]

Stuff the head firmly with filler! Insert small amounts at a time until you get the right shape. Take your time with this step.

Rnd 5. (1 sc, dec) * 7 times [14]

Rnd 6. (dec) * 7 times [7]

Using a needle or crochet hook thread the yarn tail through the front loops and pull to tighten *Image 70*!

Weave in the yarn end.

Close the opening of the body by going across each stitch. Weave in the yarn end.

Turn the body upside down and reattach (Bridal White) #105 yarn to round 6 where

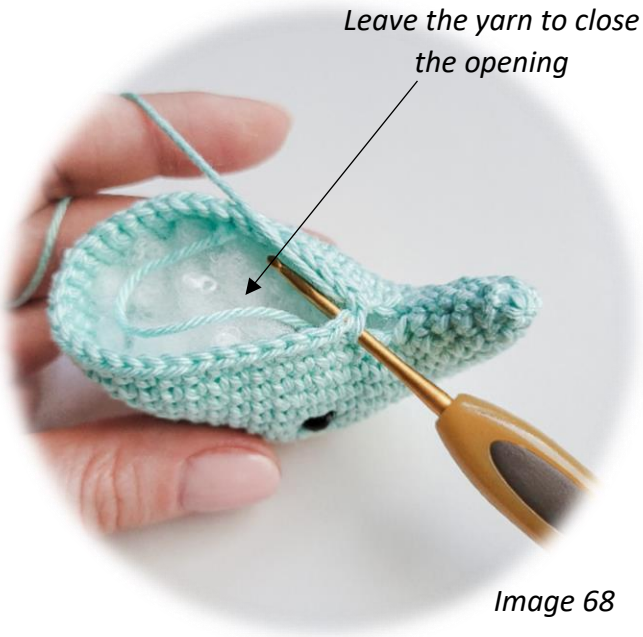

Image 68

Image 69

Image 70

Image 71

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we completed the stitches in Back Loop Only (BLO). Insert your hook into the Front Loop of the first stitch of round 6 and work slst. Continue to slst around and weave in the yarn end *Image 71*.

Fins (make 2):

Working in rounds. Using Scheepjes Catona (Crystalline) #385.

Rnd 1. 4 sc in magic ring [4]

Rnd 2. (inc, 1 sc) * 2 times [6]

Rnd 3. 6 sc [6] - 1 round

Rnd 4. (inc, 1 sc) * 3 times [9]

Rnd 5. 9 sc [9] – 1 round

Rnd 6. (dec, 1 sc) * 3 times [6]

Fold the fin in half and crochet through two layers 2 sc.

Fasten off and leave long thread for sewing.

Image 72

Tail fin:

Working in rows. Using Scheepjes Catona (Crystalline) #385.

7 chains

Row 1. in the 2nd chain from the hook: 6 sc, 3 ch and turn

Row 2. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 8 sc, 3 ch and turn

Row 3. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO** 10 sc, 4 ch and turn

Image 73

Image 74

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Row 4. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO**
13 sc, 4 ch and turn

Row 5. in the 2nd chain from the hook: **BLO**
7 sc

Fasten off and leave long thread for sewing.

Image 75

Image 76

Assembling:

Using 6 strands of white embroidery thread
embroider the highlights *Image 75*. Weave in the ends!

Using same yarn, we crocheted the body embroider the eyelids as shown on the *Image 75*! Weave in the ends!

Using Scheepjes Catona (Bridal Whire) #105 embroider the spots on the head`s top randomly *Image 76*.

Sew the tail fin to the whale`s tail *Image 77*. Weave in the yarn end.

Image 77

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Sew the fins onto either side of the body to round 9. Skip 2 sts from the eye. Sew the fin in the diagonal to Rnd 9 *Images 78, 79*.

Image 78

Image 79

YOUR TOY IS FINISHED!

I hope you enjoyed while making this cute Whale`s family pattern.

I will really appreciate if you leave a review in my Etsy shop about this Whale`s family Crochet Pattern.

Best regards,

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