

# "Halloween gnome"

*Pumpkin  
by RNata*



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The pattern is written in English using US crochet terminology. Instructions are easy to follow if you are familiar with basic crochet techniques.

## Materials:

- 2.5 mm hook
- Cotton yarn

I used Catona from Scheepjes in:

- white (106), beige (263), silver (172),
- black (110), colonial rose (398),
- cream (130), orange (410)

and plush yarn Samt from myboshi in violet, white, black, cream, silver and orange color.

- Stuffing
- Yarn needle
- Stitch marker

I used the black thread

The toys are approximately 16-17 cm tall. It may vary though depending on the kind of yarn and hook size used.

You can also use any color of yarn.

Feel free to add accessories to your very own Halloween toys.

## Abbreviations:

- ch – chain
- sc – single crochet
- st/sts - stitch/stitches
- inc – increase
- dec – decrease
- slst - slip stitch
- BLO – use the back loop only
- FLO – use the front loop only



## BODY

Use silver (172) yarn.

**Rnd 1:** 6 sc in magic ring, slst in first st [6]

**Rnd 2:** ch 1, (inc) x6, slst in first st [12]

**Rnd 3:** ch 1, (inc, sc) x6, slst in first st [18]

**Rnd 4:** ch 1, (2 sc, inc) x6, slst in first st [24]

**Rnd 5:** ch 1, (inc, 3 sc) x6, slst in first st [30]

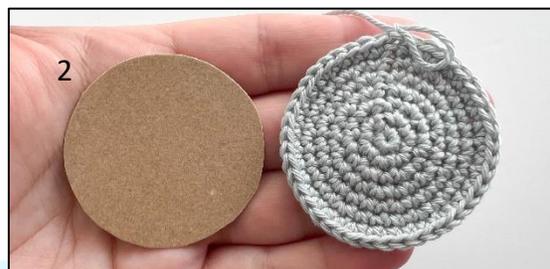
**Rnd 6:** ch 1, 2 sc, (inc, 4 sc) x5, inc, 2 sc, slst in first st [36]

**Rnd 7:** ch 1, 4 sc, (inc, 5 sc) x5, inc, sc, slst in first st [42]

**Rnd 8:** ch 1, **BLO (use only back loops):** 42 sc, slst in first st [42]

**Rnd 9:** ch 1, 42 sc, slst in first st [42]

To make the standing position of gnome:  
Lay your crochet oval on the cardboard. Then use the pencil, underline it around and cut an oval 2-3 mm smaller than the crocheted one. Put it inside after round 10 (fig 1, 2 and 3).



**Edging:** lay the body so that the bottom will be on the top and facing away. Find the last front loop of round 8. Insert your hook in this loop, pick up the yarn and pull it through (fig 4). Make a slst in each front loop of this round (fig 5, 6).

•see a short video in my Instagram page:

<https://www.instagram.com/p/Cw-D3LBsd7D/>





Continue to crochet the body:

**Rnd 10:** ch 1, (6 sc, inc) x6, slst in first st [48]

**Rnd 11-12:** ch 1, 48 sc, slst in first st [48], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 13:** ch 1, (7 sc, inc) x6, slst in first st [54]

**Rnd 14-21:** ch 1, 54 sc, slst in first st [54], **8 rounds**

**Rnd 22:** ch 1, (dec, 7 sc) x6, slst in first st [48]

**Rnd 23-28:** ch 1, 48 sc, slst in first st [48], **6 rounds**

**Rnd 29:** ch 1, (dec, 6 sc) x6, slst in first st [42]

**Rnd 30-32:** ch 1, 42 sc, slst in first st [42], **3 rounds**

**Rnd 33:** ch 1, (dec, 5 sc) x6, slst in first st [36]

Start to stuff the body.

**Rnd 34-35:** ch 1, 36 sc, slst in first st [36], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 36:** ch 1, (dec, 4 sc) x6, slst in first st [30]

**Rnd 37:** ch 1, (dec, 3 sc) x6, slst in first st [24]

**Rnd 38:** ch 1, (dec, 2 sc) x6, slst in first st [18]

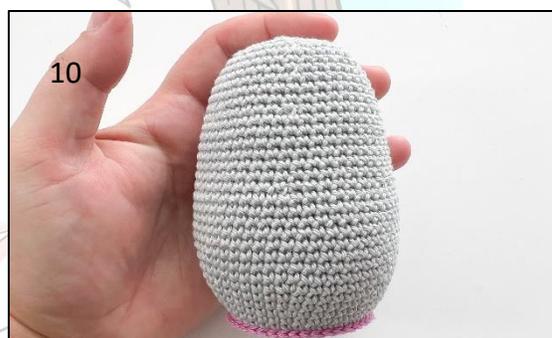
**Rnd 39:** ch 1, (dec, sc) x6, slst in first st [12]

Stuff the body firmly (fig 10).

Invisible fasten off.

How to close the end of the round: with a darning needle, insert the remaining yarn through all the front loops of the stitches on the last round (fig 8). Pull all together at

once and hide the yarn inside of the body (fig 9).



## BEARD

Use white (106) yarn.

**Rnd 1:** 6 sc in magic ring [6]

**Rnd 2:** sc around [6]

**Rnd 3:** (inc, 2 sc) x2 [8]

**Rnd 4:** (sc, inc) x4 [12]

**Rnd 5:** (2 sc, inc) x4 [16]

**Rnd 6:** (3 sc, inc) x4 [20]

**Rnd 7:** (4 sc, inc) x4 [24]

**Rnd 8:** (inc, 3 sc) x6 [30]

**Rnd 9-13:** sc around [30], **5 rounds**

**Rnd 14:** (dec, 4 sc) x5 [25]

**Rnd 15:** sc around [25]

**Rnd 16:** (dec, 3 sc) x5 [20]

**Rnd 17:** sc around [20]

**Rnd 18:** (dec, 2 sc) x5 [15]

Cut the yarn, leave a tail for sewing.

Don't stuff the beard (fig 11).



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## NOSE

*Use beige (263) yarn.*

**Rnd 1:** 6 sc in magic ring [6]

**Rnd 2:** (inc) x6 [12]

**Rnd 3:** (inc, sc) x6 [18]

**Rnd 4-5:** sc around [18], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 6:** (dec, 4 sc) x3 [15]

**Rnd 7:** (dec, 3 sc) x3 [12]

Stuff the nose lightly (fig 12, 13).

Invisible fasten off.



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## ARMS (make 2)

*Use beige (263) yarn.*

**Rnd 1:** 6 sc in magic ring [6]

**Rnd 2:** (inc) x6 [12]

**Rnd 3-6:** sc around [12], **4 rounds**

**Change the yarn to silver.**

*How to change the color of yarn:*

With the two loops from the previous yarn on the hook (fig 14), wrap the new yarn around the hook, then pull the new yarn through the two loops of the stitch (fig 15).



**Rnd 7-14:** sc around [12], **8 rounds**

Cut the yarn, leave a tail for sewing.

Don't stuff the arms (fig 16).



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## HAT

*Use colonial rose (398) and black (110) yarn.*

*Start with colonial rose:*

**Rnd 1:** 6 sc in magic ring [6]

**Rnd 2:** (inc) x6 [12]

**Rnd 3-4:** sc around [12], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 5:** (sc, inc) x6 [18]

**Rnd 6-7:** sc around [18], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 8:** (2 sc, inc) x6 [24]

**Rnd 9-10:** sc around [24], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 11:** (3 sc, inc) x6 [30]

**Rnd 12-13:** sc around [30], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 14:** (4 sc, inc) x6 [36]

**Rnd 15-16:** sc around [36], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 17:** (5 sc, inc) x6 [42]

**Rnd 18-19:** sc around [42], **2 rounds**

**Rnd 20:** (6 sc, inc) x6 [48]

**Rnd 21:** sc around [48]

**Rnd 22:** (7 sc, inc) x6 [54]

**Rnd 23:** sc around [54]

**Rnd 24:** (8 sc, inc) x6 [60]

**Rnd 25:** sc around [60]

**Change the yarn to black and don't cut the colonial rose.**

**Rnd 26:** (9 sc, inc) x6 [66]

**Rnd 27-28:** sc around [66], **2 rounds**

**Change the yarn to colonial rose and cut the black.**

**Rnd 29-31:** sc around [66], **3 rounds**

Invisible fasten off (fig 17, 18).



Lay the hat so that the top is up and away from your face. Insert your hook in next stitch of last round from inside to outside (fig 19) and pick up the yarn and pull it through. Insert your hook in next stitch and

make a chain stitch (fig 20-22). Make a chain stitch in each stitch of the hat.

•see a short video in my Instagram page:

<https://www.instagram.com/p/CxXmtH2MIF/>



## BOW

*Use black yarn (110) yarn.*

**Chain 21.** Make sure that your chains are not twisted.

**Row 1:** start in second chain from the hook: 20 sc, turn [20]

**Row 2-4:** 20 sc, turn [20], **3 rows**

**Row 5:** 20 sc [20]

Cu the yarn, leave a tail for sewing (fig 23).



Use the needle, sew two sides together (fig 24, 25). Then wrap the colonial rose yarn around the bow few times. Secure the tail making two knots (fig 26). Lieve a tail for sewing to hat.



## PUMPKIN

*Use cream (130) yarn.*

**Chain 7.** Make sure that your chains are not twisted.

**Row 1:** start in second chain from the hook: 6 sc, turn [6]

**Row 2-18: BLO (use only back loops):** 6 sc, turn, (fig 27) [6], **17 rows**

**Row 19: BLO:** 6 sc [6]

Lay the two sides of the stripe together (fig 28), then insert your hook in first stitch of last row and first chain loop of another side of stripe, make a slst (fig 29), again, insert your hook in next two stitches and make a slst, again...tot end.

Cut the yarn, leave a long tail. Use the needle, insert it in each top loop of second row, tight the yarn well to close the opening (31-33).

Stuff the pumpkin, then close the opening of the other side in the same way as the first (fig 34, 35).





**Stem:** ch 3, start in second chain from hook:  
sc in each chain st [2]

Sew the stem on the top of the pumpkin.



#### ASSEMBLING:



Sew the arms to the body between rounds 23 and 24 (fig 38, 39).

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Sew the beard to the body between rounds 24 and 25 (fig 40).

Sew the nose on the beard as shown on photo 41 and 42.



Sew the bow and pumpkins on the hat. You should sew them on the right or on the left side.

