

## Elliot the Elephant

Yarn: Kartopu Extra Soft, 1 ball Beige K855 from HobiumYarns.
Hook size: 3,5 mm.
Finished size: appr. 29 cm.
Extra: Black safetyeyes, 14 mm from HobiumYarns, filling.

## Abbreviations US

st - stitch
sc - single crochet
2in1 - 2 sc in next st (increase)
sc2tog - singel crochet next two stitches together (decrease)


## Good to know

- The parts are crocheted in a spiral, without closing each round with a slipstitch.
- The trunk and the head are made in one piece, beginning with the trunk.
- Use a stitch marker or a piece of yarn in another color to keep track of the beginning/end of each round.
- Total number of stitches is between (-) at the end of each round.
- Instructions between *-* is repeated around if nothing else is told.



## Pattern

## Body

1. 6 sc in a magic circle. (6)
2. *2in1*, repeat *-* around. (12)
3. *1 sc, 2in1*, repeat *-* around. (18)
4. *2 sc, 2in1*, repeat *-* around. (24)
5. *3 sc, 2in1*, repeat *_* around. (30)
6. *4 sc, $2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (36)

7-9. 1 sc in each st around. (36)
10. *4 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *_* around. (30)

11-12. 1 sc in each st around. (30)
13. *3 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (24)

14-15. 1 sc in each st around. (24)
16. *2 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (18)

17-18. 1 sc in each st around. (18)
19. *1 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (12)
20. 1 sc in each st around. (12)

Cut the yarn, leave a longer end to attach the head to the body. Fill the body firmly.

## Heaad

1. 6 sc in a magic circle. (6)

2-10. 1 sc in each st. (6)
11. *2in1 in each st*, repeat *_* around. (12)
12. *2in1 in each st*, repeat *_* around. (24)
13. 1 sc in each st around. (24)
14. *3 sc, $2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (30)

15-17. 1 sc in each st around. (30)
18. *4 sc, $2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (36)
19. 1 sc in each st around. (36)
20. ${ }^{*} 5 \mathrm{sc}, 2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (42)

21-22. 1 sc in each st around. (42)

Begin filling the trunk and the head. Don't fill the trunk all the way, so you can turn it upwards. Don't forget to place the safety-eyes before filling the head all the way. I placed mine 3 cm from the top of the head and 2 cm in. See picture to the right for reference.


23. *sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (21)
24. *sc2tog*, repeat *-* around, skip the last st. (10)
25. *sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (5)

Cut the yarn. Fill the rest of the head firmly. Close the hole and secure the end.

## Leg (make 2)

1. 6 sc in a magic circle. (6)
2. *2in1*, repeat *-* around. (12)
3. ${ }^{*} 1 \mathrm{sc}, 2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (18)
4. ${ }^{*} 2 \mathrm{sc}, 2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (24)

5-6. 1 sc in each st around. (24)
7. *2 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *_* around. (18)


8-10. 1 sc in each st around. (18)
11. *1 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (12)

12-18. 1 sc in each st around. (12)
Fill the foot firmly and half the leg lightly. Cut the yarn, leave a long end to attach the leg to the body.

## Arm (make 2)

1. 6 sc in a magic circle. (6)
2. *2in1*, repeat *-* around. (12)
3. *1 sc, $2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (18)

4-7. 1 sc in each st around. (18)
8. *1 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (12)

9-15. 1 sc in each st around. (12)
Fill the hand but leave the arm empty. Cut the yarn, leave a long end to attach the arm to the body.

## Ear (make 2)

1. 6 sc in a magic circle. (6)
2. *2in1*, repeat *-* around. (12)
3. *1 sc, 2in1*, repeat *-* around. (18)
4. *2 sc, 2in1*, repeat *-* around. (24)
5. ${ }^{*} 3 \mathrm{sc}, 2 \mathrm{in} 1^{*}$, repeat *-* around. (30)

6-9. 1 sc in each st around. (30)
10. *3 sc, sc2tog*, repeat *-* around. (24)

11. 1 sc in each st around. (24)

Flatten the ear, chain 1 and crochet across the opening with 12 sc . Cut the yarn, leave a long end to attach the ear to the head.

## Assembly

Place the head above the opening of the body, make sure the trunk is facing forward. Pin it in place and atttach the head. Before closing completely make sure you have filled the body/neck firmly. Secure the end.


Attach the legs to the body.


Attach the arms to the side of the body, about two rounds below the head.

Attach the ears on the sides of the back of the head.



The tail is done by cutting 3 pieces of the yarn, appr. 15 cm each. With a needle put them around one stitch on the lower back of the body. Make sure both ends are the same length. Do this with all three pieces, around the same stitch. Braid the tail, make a knot and cut the yarn below.


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