Large Amigurumi Patterns Free

12 big toys + full hippo pattern · mardingeziturucom

Big amigurumi are mostly a question of yarn. These free patterns are either written for big toys (in chenille or worsted yarn) or are small toys that grow to cuddle size when you make them in chenille with a 5 mm hook. Every one is on this site with the stitch count at the end of each round.

Eleven link to their own pattern. The twelfth, a big chenille hippo about 11 in / 28 cm tall, is written out in full at the end.



The big chenille hippo, the full pattern in this post.

How to make any amigurumi big

- Use 12 to 15 mm safety eyes and buy plenty of stuffing: a big plush can take 200 g / 7 oz.
- Our chenille yarn guide covers the tricks for counting and sewing chenille.

12 large amigurumi patterns

1. Big cat plush

A big grey cat in chenille with a white muzzle, a pink nose and a long tail.

Quick facts: 10 in / 25 cm tall sitting, about 4 hours.

Get the cat plush pattern →

2. Squishy cow plush

A white chenille cow with a pink muzzle, little horns and black spots.

Quick facts: 10 in / 25 cm tall sitting, about 4 hours.

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3. Chubby chenille sheep

A round cream sheep lying on its tummy, with a dark brown head and legs.

Quick facts: About 9 in / 22 cm long, about 3 hours.

Get the sheep pattern →

4. Classic teddy bear

A proper teddy in worsted yarn, big enough to hug.

Quick facts: 7.5 in / 19 cm tall sitting, about a weekend.

Get the teddy bear pattern →

5. Long snake

Not tall, but long: a striped snake that drapes over a sofa back or a shoulder.

Quick facts: About 22 in / 55 cm long.

Get the snake pattern →

6. Chenille bear head squish

A squishy round bear head, the quickest big plush on this list.

Quick facts: About 4.75 in / 12 cm wide, about 1.5 hours.

Get the bear head pattern →

7. Baby elephant, made big

Big round ears and a curled trunk. In chenille with a 5 mm hook it comes out about 7 to 8 in / 18 to 20 cm.

Quick facts: 3.5 in / 9 cm in DK cotton.

Get the elephant pattern →

8. Floppy-ear puppy, made big

Long floppy ears and a cream muzzle. In chenille with a 5 mm hook it comes out about 7 to 8 in / 18 to 20 cm.

Quick facts: 3.5 in / 9 cm in DK cotton.

Get the puppy pattern →

9. Little dragon, made big

A green dragon with a cream belly and mustard wings. In chenille with a 5 mm hook it comes out about 7 to 8 in / 18 to 20 cm.

Quick facts: 3.5 in / 9 cm in DK cotton.

Get the dragon pattern →

10. Highland cow, made big

A shaggy fringe and long cream horns; in chenille the fringe gets extra fluffy. In chenille with a 5 mm hook it comes out about 7 to 8 in / 18 to 20 cm.

Quick facts: 3.5 in / 9 cm in DK cotton.

Get the Highland cow pattern →

11. Panda, made big

Tilted black eye patches on a big white head. In chenille with a 5 mm hook it comes out about 7 to 8 in / 18 to 20 cm.

Quick facts: 4 in / 10 cm in DK cotton.

Get the panda pattern →

12. Big chenille hippo

A chubby lavender hippo with a big oval snout, tiny pink ears and stubby legs.

Quick facts: About 11 in / 28 cm tall sitting, about 5 hours, chenille yarn.

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Full pattern: big chenille hippo

Chenille (blanket yarn / 6): lavender (A) about 130 yd / 118 m, light pink (B) about 11 yd / 10 m, a little dark grey (C); a 5 mm (US H/8) hook, two 15 mm safety eyes, about 250 g / 9 oz of fiberfill. Gauge: 3 sc x 3.25 rounds = 1 in / 2.5 cm.

Abbreviations (US terms)

- **MR** magic ring · **sc** single crochet · **inc** 2 sc in one stitch · **dec** invisible decrease · **FO** fasten off
- **blo / flo** back loop only / front loop only · **ch** chain · **sl st** slip stitch · **hdc / dc** half double / double crochet

Head

Color: start with A (lavender).

Start at the top.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** Inc ×6. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** (sc, inc) ×6. (18)
- [ ] **Rnd 4:** Sc, inc, (2 sc, inc) ×5, sc. (24)
- [ ] **Rnd 5:** (3 sc, inc) ×6. (30)
- [ ] **Rnd 6:** 2 sc, inc, (4 sc, inc) ×5, 2 sc. (36)
- [ ] **Rnds 7–11:** Sc around. (36)
- [ ] **Rnd 12:** (4 sc, dec) ×6. (30)
- [ ] **Rnd 13:** 2 sc, dec, (3 sc, dec) ×5, sc. (24)

Placement: Eyes: 15 mm safety eyes between R6 and R7, 7 sts apart.

Placement: Snout: under the eyes, top edge on R8.

Placement: Ears: on top on R3-R4, 10 sts apart.

Finish: Start at the top; stuff firmly, FO and sew onto the body.

Snout

Color: start with A (lavender).

An oval around a chain of 7.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** Sc around. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** Inc, 4 sc, inc ×2, 4 sc, inc. (16)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** Inc, 6 sc, inc ×2, 6 sc, inc. (20)
- [ ] **Rnd 4:** Inc, 8 sc, inc ×2, 8 sc, inc. (24)
- [ ] **Rnds 5–8:** Sc around. (24)

Placement: Nostrils in C: two short vertical stitches on R2, 6 sts apart.

Finish: Ch 7, 12 sc around the chain (an oval); stuff and sew on.



All the pieces before sewing.

Ear (make 2)

Color: start with B (light pink).

Make two.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** (sc, inc) ×3. (9)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** Sc around. (9)

Finish: FO, pinch and sew on.

Body

Color: start with A (lavender).

Start at the bottom.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** Inc ×6. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** (sc, inc) ×6. (18)
- [ ] **Rnd 4:** Sc, inc, (2 sc, inc) ×5, sc. (24)
- [ ] **Rnd 5:** (3 sc, inc) ×6. (30)
- [ ] **Rnd 6:** 2 sc, inc, (4 sc, inc) ×5, 2 sc. (36)
- [ ] **Rnd 7:** (5 sc, inc) ×6. (42)
- [ ] **Rnds 8–14:** Sc around. (42)
- [ ] **Rnd 15:** (5 sc, dec) ×6. (36)
- [ ] **Rnds 16–17:** Sc around. (36)
- [ ] **Rnd 18:** 2 sc, dec, (4 sc, dec) ×5, 2 sc. (30)
- [ ] **Rnds 19–20:** Sc around. (30)
- [ ] **Rnd 21:** (3 sc, dec) ×6. (24)

Finish: Start at the bottom; stuff firmly, FO and sew under the head.

Leg (make 4)

Color: start with A (lavender).

Make four. Start with pink for the sole.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** Switch to B (light pink). 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** Switch to B (light pink). Inc ×6. (12)

- [ ] **Rnd 3:** Switch to A (lavender). BLO sc around. (12)
- [ ] **Rnds 4–7:** Sc around. (12)

Finish: Stuff; sew the front legs at the sides of the body and the back legs at the bottom front so the hippo sits.

Assembly

1. Embroider two nostrils on the snout, stuff it and sew it under the eyes, top edge on round 8.
2. Pinch the ears and sew them on top, 10 stitches apart.
3. Sew the head onto the body, stuffing the neck firmly; then the front legs at the sides and the back legs at the bottom front so the hippo sits.

FAQ

How much does a big plush cost to make?

About 2 to 3 balls of chenille and a bag of fiberfill for the hippo, cats and cows here.

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