No-Sew Amigurumi Patterns

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No-sew amigurumi are crocheted in one piece, so there is nothing to pin and nothing to sew on at the end. Details are either worked in as you go (color changes, front-loop rounds, legs chained straight off the body) or added with safety eyes and a few embroidered stitches.

Below are eight one-piece toys. The mushroom is written out in full at the end. The other seven list their rounds as stitch counts, so 6, 12, 18 means 6 sc in a magic ring, then inc x6, then (sc, inc) x6. Every one of those sequences was checked so it adds up.



Four of the eight one-piece toys.

How no-sew amigurumi work

- **Front and back loops:** a round worked in front loops only leaves a ridge you can come back to later, for a ghost's hem, a mushroom's underside or an octopus's legs.
- **Shaping in one go:** decreasing to a narrow neck and increasing again gives a snowman's two balls in a single piece.
- **Color changes:** a penguin's white belly is worked in, a few stitches of white in every round.
- **Stuff as you go:** you can't stuff at the end, so stuff each section before the opening gets small.

Any of them can get a face: two small safety eyes and a stitched smile, put in before you close the piece. DK cotton and a 2.5 mm hook were used for all of them. See our stuffing guide for an even, lump-free fill.

8 free no-sew amigurumi patterns

1. Mushroom



Starts at the bottom of the stem and finishes at the top of the cap. A front-loop round flares out to make the white underside. The full pattern is below.

Rounds: 6, 12, 12 (back loops), 12 for four rounds, 24 (front loops), 36, 36 for three rounds, 30, 24, 18, 12, 6 (full pattern)

2. Ghost

A dome worked from the top down. The hem is a front-loop round of (sc, inc) that ruffles out; then you go back to the back loops of round 10 and decrease to close the bottom.

Rounds: 6, 12, 18, 24, 30, then 30 for five rounds; hem 45 (front loops), 45; bottom 24, 18, 12, 6 into the back loops

3. Snowman

The body decreases to a narrow neck and the head increases straight out of it. Stuff the body before the neck gets small. The scarf is a chain tied on, not sewn.

Rounds: body 6, 12, 18, 24, 30, then 30 for four rounds, 24, 18, 12; head 18, 24, then 24 for three rounds, 18, 12, 6

4. Penguin

An egg in black with a white belly worked in: change to white for 8 stitches in every round from round 6. The wings are 4 hdc worked into front loops of round 7 on each side; the beak is three straight stitches.

Rounds: 6, 12, 18, 24, then 24 for eight rounds, 18, 12, 6

5. Apple

A plain ball. Before closing, chain 6 in brown for the stem and slip stitch back down it; the leaf is crocheted straight onto the top in green (ch 6, then sc, hdc, dc, hdc, sc back along the chain).

Rounds: 6, 12, 18, 24, 30, then 30 for five rounds, 24, 18, 12, 6

6. Octopus

A tall ball with eight curly legs worked into the front loops of round 9: (ch 12, 2 sc in each chain back, sl st in the next 3 front loops) x8.

Rounds: 6, 12, 18, 24, then 24 for five rounds, 18, 12, 6

7. Bean pet

The simplest one: a capsule with two tiny safety eyes and a stitched smile. A good pocket worry pet.

Rounds: 6, 12, 18, then 18 for seven rounds, 12, 6

8. Cactus in a pot

The pot comes first, with a back-loop round for a flat base and a front-loop round for the rim. Switch to green, decrease to 12 and keep going up for the cactus.

Rounds: pot 6, 12, 18, 18 (back loops), 18 for three rounds, 18 (front loops); cactus 12 (back loops), then 12 for eight rounds, 6

Free pattern: no-sew mushroom

- **Size:** about 1.9 in / 4.9 cm across the cap and 2 in / 5 cm tall
- **Yarn:** DK cotton, white (A) about 7 yd / 7 m, red (B) about 10 yd / 10 m
- **Hook:** 2.5 mm (US B/1–C/2), plus a tapestry needle and fiberfill
- **Abbreviations:** MR magic ring, sc single crochet, inc 2 sc in one stitch, dec invisible decrease, blo / flo back / front loop only

Mushroom

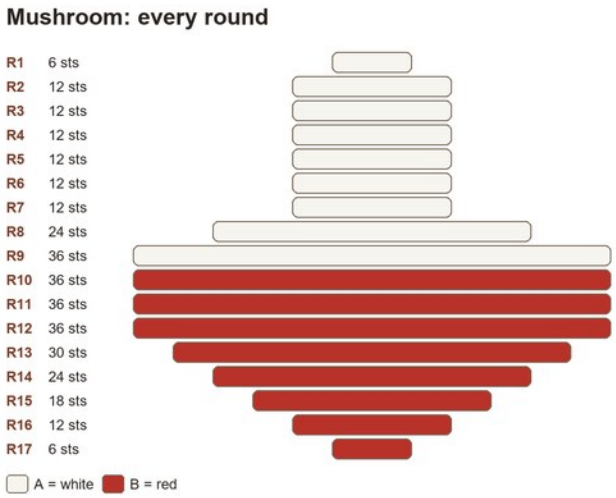
Color: start with A (white).

One piece from the bottom of the stem up. Round 3 in back loops makes a flat base; round 8 in front loops flares the underside out.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** Inc ×6. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** BLO sc around. (12)
- [ ] **Rnds 4–7:** Sc around. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 8:** FLO inc ×12. (24)
- [ ] **Rnd 9:** (sc, inc) ×12. (36)
- [ ] **Rnd 10:** Switch to B (red). Sc around. (36)
- [ ] **Rnds 11–12:** Sc around. (36)
- [ ] **Rnd 13:** (4 sc, dec) ×6. (30)
- [ ] **Rnd 14:** (3 sc, dec) ×6. (24)
- [ ] **Rnd 15:** Sc, dec, (2 sc, dec) ×5, sc. (18)
- [ ] **Rnd 16:** (sc, dec) ×6. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 17:** Dec ×6. (6)

Placement: Spots in A: 6 to 8 French knots over R12-R16 of the cap.

Finish: Stuff the stem firmly after R7, then the cap after R15; FO and close the hole.



The whole mushroom in one piece: stem, underside and cap.

FAQ

Are safety eyes allowed in no-sew patterns?

Yes. "No-sew" means no separate pieces to sew together. Eyes, small embroidered details and a tied scarf are fine.

Which one is easiest?

The bean pet, then the apple. The ghost and the octopus are the best way to learn front-loop rounds.

Want a few pieces to sew after all? Try our amigurumi cat or the mini keychains.