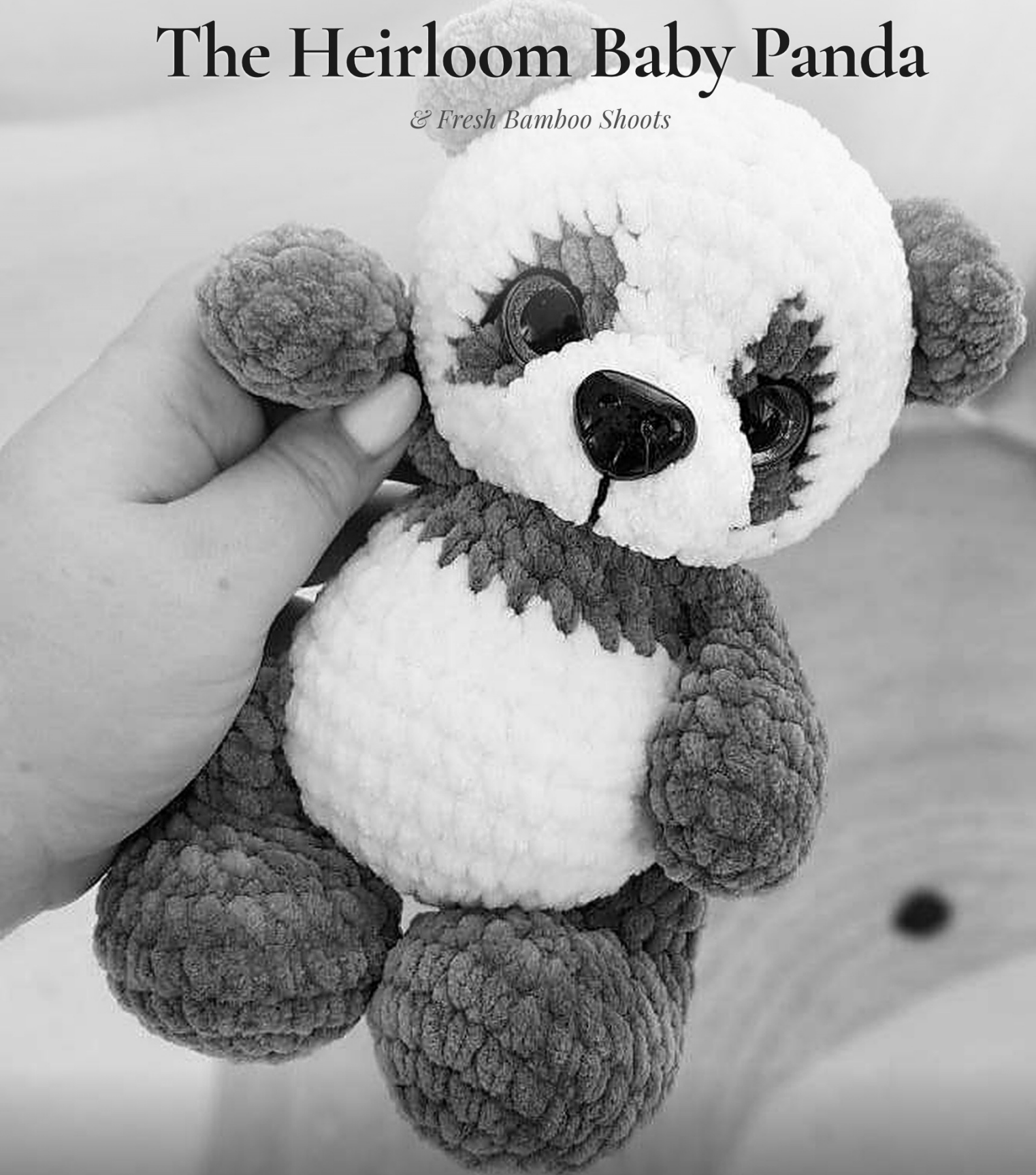


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HEIRLOOM AMIGURUMI MASTERCLASS

The Heirloom Baby Panda

& Fresh Bamboo Shoots



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Finished Size: ~16 cm · Chunky Chenille Velvet Plush

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Thank you for welcoming this heirloom amigurumi project into your creative hands.

This document contains the authentic step-by-step masterclass and high-resolution didactic photography for The Heirloom Baby Panda (Pattern CN-016).

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1. Foundation Oval Crocheting Walkthrough: https://youtu.be/_DIMGI3D3Zc
2. Surgical 3D Face Needle Sculpting (A-F): https://youtu.be/js_sulPTYMs
3. Eyelids, Philtrum & Facial Embroidery: <https://youtu.be/BDUekkQiZEE>

HELLO!

In the far northern land, where bears roam, and 8 months a year in winter, in a small town, real miracles happen!

Here ideas and descriptions are created and scattered all over the world.

I am Katyusha Chirkova, and I create plush toys and write patterns for you.

They have already been loved by thousands of crocheters around the world.

My toys are part of my soul, and I open it to you with warmth and joy.

Uniqueness, Simplicity, Accessibility are my main principles.

Openness and sincerity are the main guidelines.

I know, there is a part of warmth and light of the person, who created it, in each toy... So tender, plush and touching.

Everything has already been calculated, weighed and written. You just have to pick up your magic wand and create!

**I wish you a creative mood,
inspiration and
pleasant crocheting!**



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VIDEO LINKS,

WHICH YOU WILL FIND IN THE PATTERN DURING YOUR WORK

Amigurumi oval crocheting: https://youtu.be/_DIMGI3D3Zc

Needle Sculpting: https://youtu.be/js_sulPTYMs

Face Decoration: <https://youtu.be/BDUekkQiZEE>

LIST OF REQUIRED MATERIALS

1. Super Bulky/Super Chunky velvet yarn Himalaya Dolphin baby 100g/120m or analogue.
Dark color 35-40 g each
White color 25-30 g each
2. Fine/4ply yarn Yarnart Jeans 50g/160m for face decoration (black);
3. Hook size 3,5 mm;
4. Safety eyes size 16 mm;
5. Safety nose size 18*15 or 16*14 mm;
6. Needle 8-10 cm long and any strong needle for needle sculpting;
7. Sewing pins for fastening small pieces before sewing on;
8. Fiberfill;
9. Needle with a wide eye for sewing pieces;
10. Stitch marker (pin) for marking a round beginning;
11. Scissors;
12. Two knitting needles or long needles for fastening the head;
13. Lighter for singeing plush ends.



ABBREVIATIONS

MR - magic ring

CH – chain

SL ST – slip stitch

SC – single crochet

INC – increase (make 2 sc in one stitch)

DEC – decrease (2 sc together)

(...)*6 – repeat instruction in brackets 6 times

..... (N) - number in brackets indicates the total number of stitches in the row/round

HOW TO CHANGE COLOR IN CROCHETING:



IMPORTANT INFORMATION!

What is the size of the toy?

It TOTALLY depends on YOUR gauge and yarn weight, as well as the size of the hook and even the crocheting technique (cross, checkmark or mixed). I crocheted in "checkmark" method. In my case, the height of the toy is 20 cm.

How much yarn will be needed?

60-70 g of yarn is enough for the entire toy. I used Himalaya Dolphin baby. If you are using yarn of another brand, the consumption may vary.

About gauge

I HIGHLY RECOMMEND you to use a hook size no larger than 3.5mm or crochet tightly enough so that there are no holes and the toy looks professional.

About stuffing with fiberfill

Pay SPECIAL attention to the stuffing of the toy, as thanks to her, you give shape, highlight the cheeks, tummy and other roundness. I stuff the toy quite tightly (without fanaticism) except for pieces where it is not required (for example arms, legs).

About singeing the ends of the thread

I recommend you lightly singe all the ends with a lighter to prevent the plush fluff from flying in different directions from the end of the thread. This prevents the plush from falling off the tip.



EARS (make 2)

Crochet with dark yarn color.

R1. 6sc in MR or ch2, 6sc in the 2nd ch from the hook (6)

R2. 6inc (12)

R3. 12sc (12)

Fold the ear in half and crochet 6sc through both sides. Fasten off and cut the yarn.

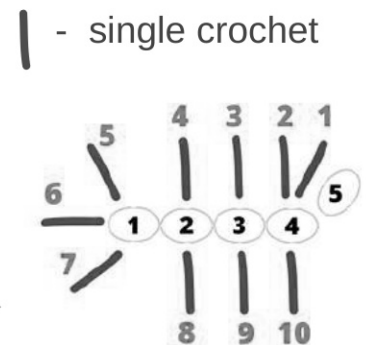


HEAD

Start crocheting with white color.

R1. 5 ch, start in the second chain from the hook:
inc, 2sc, 3sc in the last chain,
3sc on the other side of the chain (10)

See the chart of this round



*Watch the video tutorial on crocheting
an amigurumi oval at the link or QR code:*

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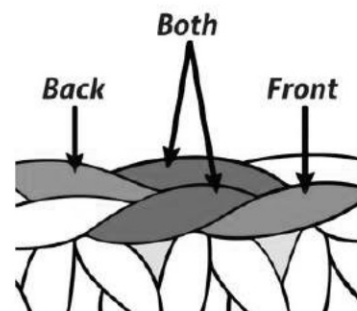
R2. 2inc, 2sc, 3inc, 2sc, inc (16)

R3. 16sc (16)

R4. 16sl st (16)



R5. Work in back loops, and also in this round crochet the dark eye spots.
 White color: 1sc, inc, **dark color: 3inc**, white color: 2inc, **dark color: 3inc**,
 white color: inc, 5sc (26)



R6. White color: 2sc, inc, **dark color: (1sc, inc)*3**, white color: (1sc, inc)*2, **dark color: (1sc, inc)*3**, white color: 1sc, inc, 5sc (36)



Cut the dark yarn, fasten off. Next, crochet in white color.

R7. 4sc, inc, 22sc, inc, 8sc (38)



R8-11. 38sc (38) 4 rounds



R12. Join the ears in this round: 8sc, 6sc with the ear, 3sc, dec, 2sc, 6sc with the ear, 9sc, dec (36)



Check this round, the ears should be evenly spaced in relation to the eyes and nose. If necessary, adjust the round, crochet again according to your pattern.

If you cannot join the ears evenly, then do not do it at all, sew them separately when you complete the head.

Insert safety eyes 16mm in round 5 at a distance of 10 sc, counting from the eye legs. The photo shows the points where we insert the leg of the eye.

Before securing the eyes with washers, check that they are even.

Insert the nose in round 2 of the snout. Not in the very center, where the foundation chain is, but a little higher, on the border of rounds 1 and 2.



R13. (4sc, dec)*6 (30)

R14. (3sc, dec)*6 (24)

R15. (2sc, dec)*6 (18)

Stuff the head with fiberfill. With a little effort, push fiberfill with your fingers into the snout so that it is convex. Pay attention to the cheeks, pull the crocheted fabric to the sides and stuff these places well to make the cheeks rounded.

NOTE! Stuff the head so that later you can easily make a good face needle sculpting.

R16. (1sc, dec)*6 (12) stuff the head completely

R17. 6dec (6)

Fasten off with sl st, cut the yarn, close up the hole with a needle.



ARMS (make 2)

Crochet with dark yarn color.

R1. 6sc in MR or ch2, 6sc in the 2nd ch from the hook (6)

R2. 6inc (12)

R3-5. 12sc (12) *3 rounds*

R6. (1sc, dec)*4 (8)

Stuff only the lower part of the arms.

R7-9. 8sc (8) *3 rounds*

Fold the detail in half and crochet 4sc through both sides. Fasten off and cut the yarn.



LEGS (make 2)

Crochet with dark yarn color.

R1. 6sc in MR or ch2, 6sc in the 2nd ch from the hook (6)

R2. 6inc (12)

R3. (1sc, inc)*6 (18)

R4. (inc, 2sc)*6 (24)

R5-6. 24sc (24)

R7. 6sc, 6dec, 6sc (18)

R8. 3sc, 6dec, 3sc (12)

R9-11. 12sc (12) *3 rounds*

R12. (4sc, dec)*2 (10)

Stuff only the lower part of the leg.

Make 1-2 extra sc. Fold the leg in half and crochet 5sc through both sides.

Fasten off and cut the yarn.



BODY

Start crocheting with white color.

R1. 6sc in MR or ch2, 6sc in the 2nd ch from the hook (6)

R2. 6inc (12)

R3. (1sc, inc)*6 (18)

R4. (inc, 2sc)*6 (24)

R5. (3sc, inc)*6 (30)

R6. 1sc, inc, (4sc, inc)*5, 3sc (36)

R7. Join the legs in this round (the marker passes at the back): 6sc, 5sc with the leg, 14sc, 5sc with the leg, 6sc (36)



R8. 36sc (36)

R9. (4sc, dec)*6 (30)

R10. 30sc (30)

R11. 10sc, 6dec, 8sc (24)

Check this round, 6 decreases should be even in relation to the legs, because we should get a bulging tummy. Adjust this round if it shifted. Differences are possible because everyone has a different gauge and incline of crocheting and yarn weight.



Cut the white yarn, fasten off, continue crocheting in dark color.

R12. 24sc (24)

R13. (2sc, dec)*6 (18)

R14. Join the arms in this round: 4sc, 4sc with the arm, 5sc, 4sc with the arm, 1sc (18)

Check this round: the arms should be located exactly in relation to the legs. If necessary, adjust the round, crochet again according to your pattern.

Crochet 1 sl st, cut the yarn, leaving a long end for sewing pieces. Stuff the body with fiberfill.



TAIL

Crochet with dark yarn color.

R1. 6sc in MR or ch2, 6sc in the 2nd ch from the hook (6)

R2. 6inc (12)

R3. 12sc (12)

R4. 6dec (6)

Crochet 1 sl st, cut the yarn, leaving a long tail for sewing pieces. Stuff the tail.



ASSEMBLY

Start from the face needle sculpting. Take a needle that is suitable in length and a nylon thread (or any other strong thread). The stronger you make the tightening, the more the cheeks of the toy will stand out.

Watch the video tutorial on how to make needle sculpting at the link or QR code

https://youtu.be/js_sulPTYMs



Insert the needle in round 4 at point **A** and exit it through point **B**, next to the eye, then insert it at point **C**, also next to the eye, and exit it through point **D** (at a distance of 1 sc from point B). Next, insert the needle at point **A** and exit at point **E**, next to the other eye, then insert the needle at point **F**, next to the eye, and return to point **A**.

Take both ends of the thread, tighten each end, and at the same time press your fingers on the eyes, muzzle, so that the tightening is properly formed. When you like the look of the face, tie a couple of knots and hide them in the head of the toy..



BEFORE needle sculpting



AFTER needle sculpting

Face Decoration

Using black 4ply yarn YarnArt Jeans and a suitable needle, embroider the eyelids and mouth.

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Sew the head to the body.

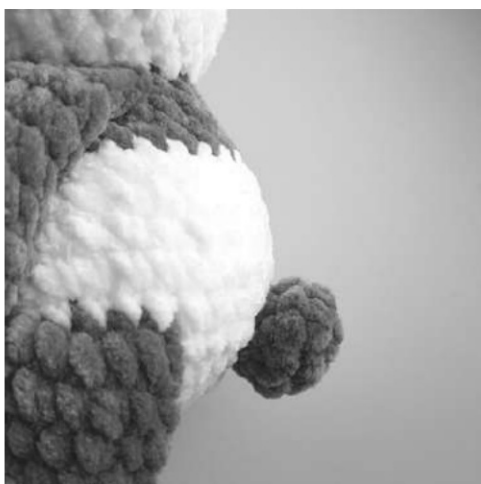
Outline the even location of the head with two knitting needles. Fix the head so that the neck line is very close to the place where the muzzle was tightened (see photo).

Sew with the remaining yarn tail from the body or with any other strong thread. Strengthen the neck area by stuffing with fiberfill.



Sew on the tail

Sew the tail at the level of rounds 5-6, using a needle and the yarn end that remained after crocheting the tail.





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Complete Amigurumi Velvet Plush Masterclass

Designed with timeless proportions and velvety textures, this masterclass brings to life a cherished childhood companion. Each step—from seamless jacquard eye patches to surgical 3D needle sculpting—is meticulously documented in 68 high-resolution didactic photographs and dedicated video tutorials.

FINISHED SIZE
~16 cm (6.3 in)

YARN WEIGHT
Chunky Chenille

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