The Yuti



About the Yeti:

The Yeti, also known as the Abominable Snowman, is a mythical creature said to inhabit the snowy mountains of the Himalayas. Often described as a large, ape-like being covered in white or gray fur, the Yeti has captured the imagination of adventurers and folklore enthusiasts for centuries. While no scientific evidence has confirmed its existence, stories of sightings and mysterious footprints continue to fuel fascination and debate. The Yeti remains a powerful symbol of nature's mysteries and the enduring allure of the unknown.

Size:

7 inches tall x 6 inches wide

Materials:

- Caron One Pound worsted (100% acrylic; 812 yards (742 m) / 454 g) in White
- Caron One Pound in Pale Green
- Caron One Pound in Black (small amount for mouth)
- US 7 (4.5 mm) crochet hook
- 14 mm black safety eyes
- Polyester fiberfill
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch markers
- Scissors

Stitches Used:

- Magic ring
- Single crochet (sc)
- Double crochet (dc)
- Popcorn stitch (pc)
- Increase (inc)
- Invisible decrease (dec)

Head and Body

Make 1 in White Make a magic ring. Round 1: Sc 6 in magic ring. [6 sts] **Round 2**: Inc in each st around. [12 sts] Round 3: *Sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [18 sts] Round 4: *Sc in the next 2 sts, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [24 sts] Round 5: *Sc in the next 3 sts, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [30 sts] **Round 6**: *Sc in the next 4 sts, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [36 sts] Round 7: *Sc in the next 5 sts, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [42 sts] Rounds 8–15: Sc in each st around. [8 rounds @ 42 sts] Round 16: *Sc in the next 5 sts, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [36 sts] **Round 17**: *Sc in the next 4 sts, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [30 sts] **Round 18**: *Sc in the next 3 sts, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [24 sts] You've now finished the head and will begin increasing to make the body. Round 19: *Sc in the next 3 sts, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [30 sts] Round 20: *Sc in the next 4 sts, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [36 sts] Rounds 21-24: Sc in each st around. [4 rounds @ 36 sts] **Round 25**: *Sc in the next 5 sts, inc in the next st; rep from * 5 more times. [42 sts] Rounds 26–30: Sc in each st around. [5 rounds @ 42 sts] Stuff the head fully and begin stuffing the shoulders; continue stuffing as you work the remaining rounds. **Round 31**: *Sc in the next 5 sts, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [36 sts] Round 32: *Sc in the next 4 sts, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [30 sts] Round 33: *Sc in the next 3 sts, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [24 sts] Round 34: *Sc in the next 2 sts, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [18 sts] **Round 35**: *Sc in the next st, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [12 sts] Finish stuffing the body before working the last round. Round 36: Dec in each pair of st around. [6 sts]

Fasten off the yarn, leaving a short tail of 6 to 8 inches for closing the body. Add any extra stuffing before using a tapestry needle to weave the tail through the front loops of the last round. Pull the tail tight to close the body and weave in the end, then set aside.

□ Face

Make 1 in Pale Green

Make a magic ring.

Round 1: Sc 6 in magic ring. [6 sts]

Round 2: *Sc 3 in the next st, inc in the next st, sc in the next st; rep from * 1 more time. [12 sts] **Round 3**: Sc in the next st, inc in the next 3 sts, sc in the next 3 sts, inc in the next 3 sts, sc in the next 2 sts. [18 sts]

Round 4: Sc in the next st, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 3 sts, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 2 sts. [24 sts]

Round 5: Sc in the next 2 sts, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 6 sts, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 4 sts. [30 sts]

Round 6: Sc in the next 3 sts, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 9 sts, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 6 sts. [36 sts]

Fasten off the yarn, leaving a long tail of 20 to 22 inches for attaching to the head. With the oval positioned so the longer side is horizontal and the shorter side is vertical, insert 14 mm safety eyes between Rounds 4 and 5 on either side of the face so they line up with the magic ring. Find the center point between the eyes and count 4 rounds down to locate where the center of the smile should be. Take a medium strand of Black yarn and use a tapestry needle to embroider the mouth by making 2 diagonal lines that meet in the center to form a wide V. Set aside the face.

□ Horns

Make 2 in Pale Green
Make a magic ring.
Round 1: Sc 4 in magic ring. [4 sts]
Round 2: Sc in the next st, inc in the next 2 sts, sc in the next st. [6 sts]
Round 3: Sc in each st around. [6 sts]
Round 4: Sc in the next 2 sts, inc in the next 2 sts, sc in the next 2 sts. [8 sts]
Round 5: Sc in each st around. [8 sts]
Fasten off the yarn, leaving a medium tail of 14 to 16 inches for attaching to the head, then set aside.

Arms

Make 2 Make a magic ring in Pale Green. **Round 1:** Sc 6 in magic ring. [6 sts] Round 2: Inc in each st around. [12 sts]
Round 3: Sc in each st around. [12 sts]
On the last st of Round 3, change to White.
Rounds 4–7: Sc in each st around. [4 rounds @ 12 sts]
Round 8: *Sc in the next 4 sts, dec; rep from * 1 more time. [10 sts]

Fasten off the yarn, leaving a medium tail. Using the handle end of your hook, add a small amount of stuffing to the bottom half of the arm. Press the top of the arm flat and stitch it closed, leaving the tail for attaching to the body, then set aside.

□ Feet

Make 2 in Pale Green

Make a magic ring.

Round 1: Sc 6 in magic ring. [6 sts]

Round 2: *Sc 3 in the next st, inc in the next st, sc in the next st; rep from * 1 more time. [12 sts] **Round 3**: Sc in the next st, inc in the next 3 sts, sc in the next 3 sts, inc in the next 3 sts, sc in the next 2 sts. [18 sts]

Round 4: Sc in the next st, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 3 sts, *sc in the next st, inc in the next st; rep from * 2 more times; sc in the next 2 sts. [24 sts]

Round 5: Sc in each st around. [24 sts]

Round 6: Sc in the next 2 sts, *sc in the next st, 5dc pc in the next st; rep from * 3 more times; sc in the next 14 sts. [24 sts]

Round 7: Sc in each st around. [24 sts]

Round 8: Dec in the next 6 pairs of st, sc in the next 12 sts. [18 sts]

Round 9: *Sc in the next st, dec; rep from * 5 more times. [12 sts]

Fasten off the yarn, leaving a medium tail for attaching to the body, then set aside.

Assembly

Gather all the pieces, a tapestry needle, and a pair of scissors.

- 1. Attach the face to the front of the head so that the bottom of the face is 1 round up from the neck (the narrowest part of the body) and the top of the face is 6 rounds down from the top of the head.
- 2. Stuff the horns and attach them to the top of the head. The curve of the horn should point toward the center, and the inside edge of the base of each horn should be 4 rounds from the center.

- 3. Attach the arms at the shoulder, the round below the narrowest point of the neck. They should be attached on a slight diagonal, with the inside corner of the arm higher than the outside so that the arms are angled slightly forward.
- 4. Stuff the feet, then set the Yeti body upright on a flat surface. The heel of the foot should rest on the flat surface with the toes straight up. Line up the foot with the body and attach it where the last round of the foot meets the body. Repeat these steps on the other side with second leg. The feet should be around 5 sts apart and centered on the front of the body.



This adorable amigurumi makes a perfect piece of home decor.

Happy crocheting!

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