

Octopus to Crochet

Only use 100% cotton yarn in a weight that's thinner than Sugar and Cream.
Size E or F hook – Even though there's no specific size, you do need to crochet tightly.

Head:

Other than the first round, there's no need to join at each round.

1. Ch 2. 6 sc in 2nd stitch from hook. Join to form circle. (6 st)
2. 2 sc in each st around (12 st)
3. *2 sc in next st, sc in next st* repeat around (18 st)
4. *2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 st* repeat around (24 st)
5. sc around for 3 rounds (24 st)
6. *sc in next 2 st, sc 2 together (you'll be decreasing 1 st)* repeat around (18 st)
7. sc around (18 st)
8. *sc in next st, sc 2 together (you'll be decreasing 1 st)* repeat around (12 st)
9. sc around (12 st)

Do not end off.

Legs:

1. Ch 30. Legs shouldn't be longer than 9" when stretched out, so you might need less stitches than 30
2. 3 sc in 2nd st and each stitch up to the head.
3. Sc in next st around the neck. You have 12 st and only 8 legs, so you'll have to skip a stitch every other leg.
4. Repeat the ch 30 and 3 sc in each stitch for each of 8 legs.

Stuff the head

Close the body by drawing the yarn through the bottom of the head and tightening.

