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Get “hooked” into the quirky world of Amigurumi! Crochet these irresistibly cute creatures—today's coolest craze in crochet.

- Over 20 projects are super hip and super quick to make—you need only basic crochet skills and small amounts of yarn
- Funky designs include mommy and baby owls, hedgehogs, and penguins, plus silly crocheted treats like cupcakes and ice-cream cones
- Find complete instructions for crocheting designs and adding facial features and other embellishments

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Bridget says

Since I was a little kid, I have thought it would be cute to have a little village of crocheted animals (don't ask me why)! But, whenever I have seen patterns they are "yucky, groovy crochet".

Well, I was walking out of Michael's the other day and I saw this pattern book on an end cap. I looked at it and it was the "cute, groovy crochet" that I have seen in my mind's eye for all of these years. YEA! Another thing off of my list, that I want in this lifetime! :)

Bethany says

Rimoli's patterns are easy to follow and yield adorable critters with perfectly cute details. The hedgehog has a wild, curly hairdo, and the lion's lacy mane frames his quirky nose. It's the details that set these patterns apart from so many others. The proportions (big head, little body/limbs) are wobbly and sweet, and the eyes, noses, and mouths, add delightful character and charm.

This is a marvelous book, especially if you're dipping into amigurumi for the first time.

Julie says

I think the patterns are super cute, but they are turning out huge. I cut one of the patterns by 1/3 and it's more the size of an amigurumi than a full sized plushie. Anyone else having this problem?

Maggie Needham says

I learned to crochet when I was pretty little, but I had never even thought to make stuffed animals until my mom brought this book home. Each animal only takes a little while to make, and the directions are straightforward and simple. Mine don't look quote as cute as the ones in the book, but I love them dearly. I'm currently making an elephant. =]

Alea says

Ana Paula Rimoli's amigurumi books (crocheted dolls/toys), Amigurumi World and Amigurumi Two! are by far my favorite for the craft. Her creations are very cute and original. In this book you'll find a lot of mother and child or father and child patterns which basically consist of two sizes of a pattern with maybe a few differences in the look of the finished product. They range from owls to lions to hedgehogs to penguins.

There is a lot in this book and most of it is cute!

My favorite patterns are the smaller dolls you can find towards the back of the book, the ones that can fit in the palm of your hand. I would love for her to put out a book of just tiny patterns. The ones in this book include a cupcake, ice cream cone, coffee cup, 7 little animals and some fruit. Those are my favorite patterns! I think using a smaller hook than required on some of the patterns in the front of the book might bring those down to tiny size as well. I did notice the apple towards the end of the book looks more like a tomato and my hedgehog didn't look like a hedgehog (probably user error) but besides that I found the patterns to be great looking!

This was the first amigurumi book I used and with practice my stitches got tighter and my amigurumi got better looking. I would definitely recommend this book for anyone that is interesting in amigurumi. Might be helpful to learn the basics of crochet before starting into amigurumi!

Lara says

A pattern book for amigurumis, with a bit about designing your own. Mostly the patterns though, which are seriously cute (as advertised!). My favorites are the owls and the cacti. I would definitely make the tall cactus and use it as a pincushion (at least when my crochet skills improve!).

Ris says

I taught myself how to read patterns using this book. They aren't my favorite patterns, but it's a good book for beginners; it's very clear and concise and easy to follow, and shows you how to do the necessary stitches for the patterns included. I love any pattern book that's considerate of beginner and intermediate crocheters' needs.

Wallace says

This book has excellent instructions and clear outlines of each project. Plus, experienced and beginning crocheters will have fun with these projects. I love Rimoli's humor and easy-going approach to the craft of crochet.

Tiffany says

I only own a handful of crochet books, but I'd recommended this to anyone who wants to learn amigurumi. Even if you are not *that* interested in the patterns, the tutorials are great and this book is basically how I taught myself to crochet!

Love Ana Paula Rimoli :)

Cami says

This is full of adorable projects.

I especially like the mini-Amis because of the mix-n-match "accessories" that make them different types of animals.

Another favorite is the adorable cactus in a pot. If you've ever killed a cactus with your lack of a green thumb, then maybe you need to make the one in here.

I am really looking forward to starting some of these projects!

Thanks, Angie, for the birthday present!

Penny says

Fun book. Most of my life I've been a novice when it comes to crochet. Scratch that, novice isn't quite right. You see, until this past summer I'd only ever crocheted potholders. Four times. In my life. Half of which I never finished because I got bored. So is there such a thing as quasi-novice? If so, that's what category I belonged to.

That being said, with the help of this book and Amigurumi Two! I've made some pretty cute stuff for my kids and they actually play with all of it. No, really, they totally do. And they ask me to make more amigurumi animals for them all the time. When I get a few spare hours I can totally finish a project or two since the projects are so simple and the instructions are incredibly easy to understand. I love this book.

jess says

Of all the amigurumi and plush toy-making books that i read this year, this might be my favorite. it is definitely my fave of the genre of knitted/crochet toy making books. The patterns are cute, simple enough to be customizable, easy enough for a newbie to keep up. the accessories and design are all clean enough to show off the pattern. this was the first amigurumi book i read this year that made me think i could actually put a few of these adorable creatures together. there are simple, easy patterns for beginners, and more time-intensive techniques for more advanced crochet artists. the list of resources was helpful, since i have been looking for a good distributor of craft safety eyes on the cheap. instead of being awed by the amazing, untouchable craft, i felt like i could reach out & make some of them myself. in fact, i think my sweetie needs the adorable apple.

Riha S. says

All the creatures use basically the same pattern, the limbs are in my opinion very awkward, I've been crocheting for roughly 8 months, and I've found hundreds of beautiful critter patterns online for free. In my opinion, definitely not worth the money. the only thing in this book that I actually enjoyed was the description on how to make a pom pom.

Erin says

So far I've made a square that is supposed to look like a pear.

Nikki says

Another book of cute amigurumi designs. I've been meaning to pick this one up for a while, particularly for the hedgehog, but it contains so much cuteness! The instructions are clear and look easy to follow, and I like that there's some food designs -- that always amuses me. As is pretty standard, there's some explanation of the various techniques used, but it's not really necessary if you have any crochet knowledge at all.
