

## Pattern: Tina Turtle

6,5 inches (17 cm)



### material:

100% cotton yarn, 1,75 oz / 50g pro ball,  
125m / 136 yards per ball  
1 ball in green, 1 ball in dark green  
**steel crochet hook size:**  
metric: 1,5mm, US: 8, UK: 4 1/2  
Polyester fiberfill for stuffing,  
2 black eyes w/wire loop (11 mm)  
use black and red sewing yarn to embroider  
wire

### abbreviation:

st= stitch  
sc= single crochet  
slst= slip stitch  
ch= chain  
prr= previous round

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### Abbreviation increase and decrease:

**V**= make 2 single crochet in one stitch

**\*V\*** = repeat increase

**Λ**= work 2 single crochet together

**\*Λ\***= repeat decrease

### example:

**V4** = make 2 single crochet in stitch 4

**\*V5\***= make 2 single crochet in each 5  
stiches on the previous round

**Λ7+8** = put stitch7 and stitch8 together

**\*Λ9+10\***= put every 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> stitches on  
the previous round together

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## **Head**

**color: green**

### **Round 1:**

make 6sc in a crochet ring (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 2:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 2 sc in each st around (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 3:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*V3\*** (16 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 4:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*V4\*** (20 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 5:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V5, V6, V11, V12, V15, V16** (26 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 6:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V5, V6, V13, V14, V21, V22** (32 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 7:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V16, V17** (34 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 8:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (34 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 9:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V17, V18** (36 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **(next 6 rounds) 10 to 15:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (36 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 16:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*Λ5+6\*** (30 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 17:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*Λ4+5\*** (24 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 18:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (24 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **stuff it**

### **Round 19:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*Λ3+4\*** (18 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 20:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*Λ2+3\*** (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 21:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*Λ1+2\*** (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **finish:**

sew neatly with the end of yarn between the stitches of the last round and sew up the end of yarn neatly.

## **Eyelid (make 2)**

**color: green**

### **Row 1:**

make 7 ch, 1sc in every ch from second ch from hook (6 sts)

### **Row 2:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**Λ3+4** (5sts)

**finish:** Pull in the eyes on the head with a sturdy thread. Sew with the end of the yarn the eyelid over the eye on the head.

## **Neck**

**color: green**

### **Round 1:**

make 8sc in a crochet ring (8 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **(next 4 rounds) 2 to 5:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (8 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **finish:**

stuff it and sew neatly with the end of yarn  
between the stitches of the last round and  
sew up the end of yarn neatly

## **Body**

**color: green**

### **Round 1:**

make 6sc in a crochet ring (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 2:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 2 sc in each st around (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 3:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 4:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*V3\*** (16 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **(next 15 rounds) 5 to 19:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (16 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **stuff it**

### **Round 20:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*Λ3+4\*** (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 21:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*Λ1+2\*** (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Abschluß:**

sew neatly with the end of yarn between the  
stitches of the last round and sew up the  
end of yarn neatly

## **Leg (make 2)**

**color: green**

### **Round 1:**

make 6sc in a crochet ring (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 2:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*V3\*** (8 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **(next 21 rounds) 3 to 23:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (8 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **finish:**

stick a wire into the opening and let the end  
of the yarn a bit longer, you will need it later  
to sew the leg on the foot.

## **Foot (make 2)**

**color: green**

### **Round 1:**

make 6sc in a crochet ring (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 2:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 2 sc in each st around (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

### **Round 3:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V1, V6, V7, V12** (16 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**(next 4 rounds) 4 to 7:**  
turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (16 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**The next round (round 8) is the first row!**

**Row 1:**  
turn the work and crochet a ch  
to close the foot you have to work one  
single crochet over two single crochets:  
1+16, 2+15, 3+14, 4+13, 5+12, 6+11,  
7+10, 8+9 (8 sts) ↓:



**Row 2:**  
turn the work and crochet a ch  
\*in the first stitch you make 1 sc, then  
crochet 2ch and now work 2sc back (look  
arrows at the image ↓)  
in next stitch make 1 sc\*



repeat from \* to \* 3 times,  
at the end you must have 4 toes  
Then sew up the end of yarn neatly

**finish foot ↓:**



**Arm (make 2)**  
color: green

**Round 1:**  
make 6sc in a crochet ring (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**(next 16 rounds) 2 to 17:**  
turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (6 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 18:**  
turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 2 sc in each st around (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**(next 2 rounds) 19 and 20:**  
turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (12 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Info: stick a wire into the opening**

**The next round (round 21) is the first row! Row 1:**

turn the work and crochet a ch, to close the  
foot you have to work one single crochet  
over two single crochets (look image foot):  
1+12, 2+11, 3+10, 4+9, 5+8, 6+7 (6 sts)

**Row 2:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
\*in the first stitch you make 1 sc, then  
crochet 2ch and now work 2sc back (look  
red arrows at the image from foot)  
in next stitch make 1 sc\*

repeat from \* to \* 2 times,  
at the end you must have 4 toes

Then sew up the end of yarn neatly

**shell bottom side:**

**color: green**

**Row 1:**

make 6 ch, 1sc in every ch from second ch  
from hook (5 sts)

**(next 2 rows) 2 and 3:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
make 2sc in the first and the last stitch  
at the end of row 3 you must have 9 sts

**Row 4:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st (9 sts)

**(next 3 rows) 5 to 7:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
make 2sc in the first and the last stitch  
at the end of row 7 you must have 15 sts

**(next 13 rows) 8 to 20:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st (15 sts)

**(next 3 rows ) 21 to 23:**

turn the work and crochet a ch, decrease  
the first and last 2 stitches of row together,  
at the end of row 23 you have 9 sts

**Row 24:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st (9 sts)

**(next 2 rows) 25 and 26:**

turn the work and crochet a ch, decrease  
the first and last 2 stitches of row together,  
at the end of row 26 you have 5 sts

**finish:**

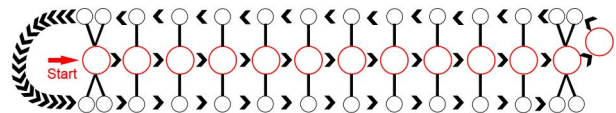
work around the shell bottom side with  
single crochets and make 2sc in every  
corner. With a slst join the round (66 sts)

Sew up the end of yarn neatly

**shell top side:**

**color: dark green**

**begin: 13 ch**



**Round 1:**

2sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next  
10 chs, 2sc in the last ch

**not turn working on opposite side of  
beginning chain stitch:**

2sc in the first ch, sc in each of next 10  
chs, 2sc in the last ch  
with a slst join the round (28 sts)

**Round 2:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V1, V14, V15 and V28** (32 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 3:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V1, V16, V17 and V32** (36 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 4:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V1-2, V17-20, V35-36** (44 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 5:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V2, V21, V24 and V43** (48 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 6:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (48 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 7:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*V8\*** (54 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 8:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**V5**, from now on **\*V9\*** (60sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 9:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (60 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 10:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
**\*V10\*** (66 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**(next 4 rounds) 11 to 14:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (66 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**Round 15:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
lay shell top and bottom side together and  
close with sc (look image ↓)

**don't forget to fill**

with a slst join the round (66 sts)



**Round 16:**

turn the work and crochet a ch  
work 1 sc in each st around (66 sts)  
with a slst join the round

**finish:** sew up the end of yarn neatly

**completion:**

embroider a mouth, sew the head, neck,  
arms and legs on the body

**Info:** in my example the head, legs and  
arms are sticked with a technique called  
yarntechnique. If you want to know how it  
works, take a look at my website:  
<http://www.np-trade.de>  
at the category tips & tricks.