

LION BRAND[®]FUN FUR Crochet Long-Tail Mouse

Crochet Long-Tail Mouse Pocket Pet Learn-to-Crochet Lesson 1



City mouse, country mouse -- make a family of fun! Pocket pets make great gifts -- bookmarks or just for fun!

Has trim that could be removed; not suitable for children under the age of 3.

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Skill Level: Beginner

SIZE: 5 inches [approximately 10 cm] exclusive of tail

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND Fun Fur
 - 1 ball #195 Hot Pink (left mouse) or
 - 1 ball #204 Lava (right mouse) or

COLOR OF YOUR CHOICE

- Scrap yarn for tail, approximately 24 inches [approximately 70 cm]
- Scrap yarn for eyes, approximately 4 inches [10 cm] black and white
- Size F-3/3.75 LION BRAND Crochet Hook
- Sewing needle and matching thread
- 1 oz polyester stuffing

GAUGE:

24 scs x 16 rows = 4" (10 cm) BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

MOUSE

<u>Chain</u> 21.

Row 1 Sc (single crochet) in 2^{nd} ch from hook, and in each ch across -20 sc.

Row 2 Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across. Rep last row 12 more times, or until piece is square. End off. Cut yarn, leaving a trailing end of about 4 inches of yarn when cutting the extra yarn.

Need a little help? Use our handy <u>learn-to-crochet instructions</u> for detailed pictures and instructions!

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Fold square in half and stitch as shown

Turn the fabric and open it -- it will be a cone. Put the catnip into it and pack it down.

Tie the yarn 'tail' onto the trailing end of the yarn.

Fold down the flap at the top of the cone, tucking the ends of the yarn inside the mouse and leaving the tail hanging out. Sew the open edges closed.

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the open edges shut.





To put eyes on the mouse, pull the crochet hook all the way through the mouse's 'head' and use it to pull the black and white yarn through together. Tie it off securely on one end (use several knots). Pull it tight and tie off on the other end (use several knots). Trim closely. create eyes by using crochet hook to pull black and white yarns through and tying both ends in a knot



Tie a tuft of extra fun fur at the end of the mouse's tail.

| ABBREVIATIONS | |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| ch = <u>chain</u> | rep = repeat(ing) |
| sc = single crochet | st(s) = stitch(es) |

*Fun Fur (Article #320) is a novelty "eyelash" yarn. Solids: 1¾/50g; 60 yd/54m per ball Prints: 1½ oz/40g; 57 yd/52m per ball 100% polyester.

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