

CROCHET PATTERN

# Rainbow Turtles 

## Memory Game

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## MATERIALS

## Honey Bunny

A: 2 skeins of Color 104
B: 1 skein of Color 12
C: 1 skein of Color 63
D: 1 skein of Color 90
E: 1 skein of Color 45
F: 1 skein of Color 22
G: 1 skein of Color 09
H: 1 skein of Color 33

Crochet hook $5.5 \mathrm{~mm} / \mathrm{US}$ I

Safety eyes 8 mm, 12 pairs
Safety eyes 16 mm, 1 pair

Stitch marker
Yarn needle
Scissors
Stuffing

YARN QUALITY
(66) Honey Bunny, Hobbii

100\% Polyester
$100 \mathrm{~g} / 3.5 \mathrm{oz}=120 \mathrm{~m} / 131 \mathrm{yds}$

## ABBREVIATIONS

Mr: Magic Ring/Circle
Sc: Single Crochet
Inc: Increase
Dec: Decrease
Slst: Slip Stitch

## SIZE

One size

## MEASUREMENTS

Mama Turtle:
Height: Approx. 13 cm / 5 inches
Length: Approx. 35 cm / 14 inches

## PATTERN INFORMATION

Rainbow is a sweet mommy turtle and her babies crocheted in Honey Bunny. Have fun matching all of the babies and then store them inside the mommy when you're done!

Pattern is worked in the round.
This is a low sew pattern; the head of the turtle is the only part that needs to be sewn; all other pieces are worked directly into the body.

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## BUY THE YARN HERE

https://shop.hobbii.com/rainbow-turtles-memory-game


## QUESTIONS

If you have any questions regarding this pattern, please feel free to email us at support@hobbii.com
Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

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## Pattern



## INFO AND TIPS

- Pattern is worked in continuous rounds, so you will not need to ch 1 at the end of the round unless instructed to. You can use a stitch marker to help mark the end of your round.
- Gauge is not important for this project since it is not worn, so adjust your hook size as needed to match your personal preference and yarn you're using.
- The "x whatever \#" after the parenthesis indicates that you should repeat what is in parenthesis that many times. Example "(Sc, Inc) x3" would be the equivalent of "Sc, Inc, Sc, Inc, Sc, Inc".
- The number at the end of each round in parenthesis is the stitch count; it is how many stitches you should have in that round after completing all of the steps.


## BABY TURTLES - HEAD

You will make 12 total heads see photo $R 1$ for reference
Work with color A

Rnd 1: Mr 8 - (8)
Rnd 2-3: Sc around - (8) (2 rounds)
Rnd 4: 4dec - (4)

- Add the 8 mm safety eyes between rounds 2 and 3 about 2 stitches apart.
- Stuff the head. You will not stuff the next 2 rounds.

Rnd 5-6: Sc around - (4) (2 rounds)

- Finish off leaving a long tail to secure to the head later.


## BABY TURTLES - BODY

You will make 12 total bodies, 2 for each belly color in order to play the matching game. See photos R2 \& R4 for reference.

Rnd 1: Mr 6 - (6) Work with color B
Rnd 2: Inc - (12)
Rnd 3: Sc around - (12)

Rnd 4: Working in the front loops only (You may want to mark the back loop so that it's easier to find later) - Sc around - (12)

- Finish off and weave in the ends
- For this next round you will be using the colors for the matching game as the belly color you will need to make 2 of each using colors C-H

Rnd 5: Use a Slst to attach the belly color; this does not count as a stitch and you will start working in that same stitch. To make this round easier I will break it down into sections.
A. Fold the bottom of the head in half and line it up with the body. See photo R3 for reference.
B. Working through the left stitch of the head (both sides) and the back loop of the body Dec (you should have half the head still unattached)
C. 4dec
D. Working through the back loops on the body and the other side of the head Dec
E. Slst to the first Dec to made to secure

- Finish off leaving a long tail to close the gap at the bottom and weave in the ends.
- Use the long tail from the head to secure it to the shell.

Now we will make the legs using color A

- Front Legs: Use a Slst to attach the yarn just behind the head, Ch 2, Slst in the second ch from the hook, Slst back to the body to secure. Finish off and weave in the ends. (Repeat this process to make the second front leg)
- Back Legs: Use a Slst to attach the yarn about 1 stitch away from the font leg, Ch 2, Slst in the second ch from the hook, Slst back to the body to secure. Finish off and weave in the ends. (Repeat this process to make the second back leg)


## MAMA TURTLE FRONT LEGS (MAKE 2)

With color A
See photo R5 for reference.

Rnd 1: Mr 6 - (6)
Rnd 2: Inc - (12)
Rnd 3: (Sc, Inc)x6-(18)
Rnd 4: (2sc, Inc)x6 - (24)
Rnd 5: (3sc, Inc)x6 - (30)
Rnd 6: (4sc, Inc)x6-(36)
Rnd 7: (5sc, Inc)x6 - (42)
Rnd 8: Fold in half and sc shut - (21)

- Finish off and weave in the ends.


## MAMA TURTLE BACK LEGS (MAKE 2)

With color A
See photo R6 for reference.

Rnd 1: Mr 6 - (6)
Rnd 2: Inc - (12)
Rnd 3: (Sc, Inc)x6-(18)
Rnd 4: (2sc, Inc)x6 - (24)
Rnd 5: (3sc, Inc)x6 - (30)

Rnd 6: (4sc, Inc)x6-(36)
Rnd 7: Fold in half and sc shut - (18)

- Finish off and weave in the ends.


## MAMA TURTLE TAIL

With color A
See photo R7 for reference.

Rnd 1: Mr 6 - (6)
Rnd 2: (Sc, Inc)x3-(9)
Rnd 3: Sc around - (9)
Rnd 4: (2sc, Inc)x3-(12)
Rnd 5: Sc around - (12)

- Finish off and weave in the ends.


## MAMA TURTLE

Rnd 1: Mr 6-(6) with color F
Rnd 2: Inc - (12)
Rnd 3: (Sc, Inc)x6 - (18)
Rnd 4: (2sc, Inc)x6-(24) - Change to with color H in the last stitch
Rnd 5: (3sc, Inc)x6 - (30)
Rnd 6: (4sc, Inc)x6 - (36)
Rnd 7: (5sc, Inc)x6-(42) - Change to with color E in the last stitch
Rnd 8: (6sc, Inc)x6 - (48)
Rnd 9: (7sc, Inc)x6 - (54)
Rnd 10: (8sc, Inc)x6 - (60) - with color C in the last stitch
Rnd 11: (9sc, Inc)x6 - (66)
Rnd 12: (10sc, Inc)x6-(72)
Rnd 13: (11sc, Inc)x6-(78) - Change to color D in the last stitch
Rnd 14: Sc around - (78) - Change to color G in the last stitch
Rnd 15. Working in the back loops only - (11sc, Dec)x6-(72)
Rnd 16: Now we will attach the legs and tail to make it a bit easier I will break it down into sections
A. 5sc
B. Grab one of the front legs and with the curve facing backwards and the Mr at the top facing forwards you will work through both the body and leg at the same time - work a Sc on the round above the bottom of the foot then work 3sc, Dec, Sc across the bottom of the leg. See photo 88 For reference.
C. $2 \mathrm{dec}, 5 \mathrm{sc}, \mathrm{Dec}$
D. Grab one of the back legs and with the curve facing forwards and the Mr at the top facing backwards you will work through both the body and leg at the same time starting in the 3rd stitch from the end of the leg work 3sc across the bottom then work 2sc through the rounds at the bottom of the leg. See Photo R9 for reference.
E. 2sc
F. Now fold the tail in half and working through both sides of the tail and the body at the same time 6sc
G. 2sc
H. Grab the second back leg and with the curve facing forwards and the Mr at the top facing backwards you will work through both the body and leg at the same time -
work $2 s c$ in the rounds above the bottom of the foot then work 3sc across the bottom of the foot. See photo 10 for reference.
I. $2 \mathrm{dec}, 5 \mathrm{sc}$, Dec
J. Grab the second front leg and with the curve facing forwards and the Mr at the top facing backwards you will work through both the body and leg at the same time starting in the 6th stitch from the tip of the foot work 6sc across the bottom of the foot then work a Sc in the round above the bottom round of the foot. See photo 11 for reference.
K. 11sc-(65)

Rnd 17: (8sc, Dec)x2, 3sc, Ch11 and skip 11 stitches (this will leave a hole so you can store the babies inside the body), Dec ,13sc, Dec, 8sc, Dec, 4sc - (60)
Rnd 18: ( $8 \mathrm{sc}, \mathrm{Dec}$ )x2, Sc , (now you will be working in the chain) 7sc, Dec, (8sc, Dec) $\mathrm{x} 2,7 \mathrm{sc}$, 2 dec (54)

Rnd 19: (7sc, Dec)x6 - (48)
Rnd 20: (6sc, Dec)x6 - (42)
Rnd 21: (5sc, Dec) x6 - (36)
Rnd 22: (4sc, Dec) $\times 6$ - (30)
Rnd 23: (3sc, Dec)x6-(24)
Rnd 24:Dec - (12)
Rnd 25: Dec - (6)

- Finish off, close up the hole at the bottom, and weave in the ends

Rnd 26: With color D use a Slst to attach the yarn to the unworked front stitches from round 14 - Reverse Single Crochet around - (78) - Reverse single crochet is done by working the Sc in the stitch to the right of the hook as opposed to the left like you normally would. See photo R12 for reference.

- Finish off and weave in the ends


## MAMA TURTLE HEAD

With color A See photo R13 for reference
Rnd 1: Mr 6 - (6)
Rnd 2: Inc - (12)
Rnd 3: (Sc, Inc) x6 - (18)
Rnd 4: (2sc, Inc)x6-(24)
Rnd 5: (3sc, Inc)x6 - (30)
Rnd 6: (4sc, Inc)x6 - (36)
Rnd 7: (5sc, Inc)×6-(42)
Rnd 8-13: Sc around - (42) (6 rounds)

- Attach the eyes between rounds 10 and 11 about 13 visible stitches apart

Rnd 14: (5sc, Dec)x6-(36)
Rnd 15: (4sc, Dec) $\times 6$ - (30)
Rnd 16: Dec - (15)
Rnd 17: Sc, 7dec - (8)

- Finish off leaving a long tail to close the gap at the bottom of the head and attach the head to the body.
- Use the tail to close the gap at the bottom then feed the tail through and out the back of the head.
- Attach the head centered between the front fins on the body. See photo R14 for reference.


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## Reference Photos



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R13


Head
R14


Attaching head

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