# チーズくん CHEESE-KUN

AMIGURUMI CROCHET PATTERN by SHARLEEN MORCO As seen in the anime series, Code Geass









## **Required Skills:**

- crocheting in the round
- forming a ring using double-ring method (in pattern!)
- slip stitch (sl st)
- single crochet (sc)
- single crochet increase (inc) make 2 sc in same stitch
- single crochet decrease (dec)
- crocheting into front-loop only (flo)
- joining pieces together

#### Materials:

- Size G (US) 4.25mm crochet hook
- 1 skein (7 oz.) worsted weight yarn in gold/yellow color (for Cheese-kun)
- 1 skein (7 oz.) worsted weight yarn in black color (for hat)
- Tapestry needle (for embroidering face, and joining pieces together)
- Polyester fiber-fill (for stuffing)

## Yarn used in this project:

- 1 7-oz (198 g) skein **Red Heart Super Saver** in **Gold** (approx. 364 yd/333 m)
- 1 7-oz (198 g) skein **Red Heart Super Saver** in **Black** (approx. 364 yd/333 m)

#### Notes:

This pattern is worked in the round continuously. If needed, use a stitch-marker or contrasting colored piece of yarn to mark the beginning of each round. When one round ends, you begin the second round in the next stitch (instead of doing chain-1 and turn). Gauge is not important. Smaller hooks will produce a smaller plush, larger hooks will produce a larger plush.





C.C. hugging Cheese-kun

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## Forming a ring using Double Ring Method:





- 1. Start the double ring method a few inches into the tail of your yarn.
- 2. With your palm facing forward, wrap the yarn tail around your forefinger.
- 3. Bring the tail behind your middle finger.





4. Wrap the yarn around your middle finger twice.





- 5. Insert the hook through the two loops on your middle finger.
- 6. Use the hook to pull the loop around your forefinger through the two loops on your middle finger. (Not seen in photographs)
- 7. Chain 1 to form one slip stitch, then carefully remove the loops from your fingers.
- 8. Insert hook into the ring, pull up one loop, yarn over, pull through both loops on hook: one single crochet stitch made. Continue to make sc stitches as necessary.
- 9. To tighten the ring, pull slightly on the tail to see which of the double rings moves. Pull this ring until one ring closes in tightly, and then pull the tail to close the second ring.

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## Hat (make one)

With BLACK yarn, form a ring.

**Round 1:** 4 sc in ring.

Round 2: 1 inc in each sc. (8 sc)

Round 3:

\*1 inc in next sc, 1 sc in next 3 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (10 sc)

\*1 inc in next sc, 1 sc in next 4 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (12 sc)

\*2 \*\*Round 5:

\*3 \*\*Tinc in next sc, 1 sc in next 5 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (14 sc)

\*4 \*\*Inc in next sc, 1 sc in next 5 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (14 sc)

\*4 \*\*Inc in next sc, 1 sc in next 5 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (16 sc)

SI st in next sc, then cut yarn. This piece is Hat Piece A.

Repeat rounds 1-6 once more for Hat Piece B. Do not sl st or cut yarn.

Round 7: 1 sc in next 8 sc. Insert hook into first stitch after sl st made on Hat Piece A and

continue to make 1 sc in next 16 sc. Insert hook back into Hat Piece B and make 1 sc in

next 8 sc. (One round completed with 32 sc)

With the tail from **Hat Piece A**, close the gap between the two pieces of the hat.

Round 8: \*1 inc in next sc, 1 sc in next 15 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (34 sc)

**Round 9-11:** 1 sc in each sc (34 sc)

**Round 10:** 1 sc in flo of each sc across (34 sc)

**Round 11:** \*1 inc, 1 sc in next 7 sc, 1 inc, 1 sc in next 8 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (38 sc) **Round 12:** \*1 inc, 1 sc in next 8 sc, 1 inc, 1 sc in next 9 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* once more. (42 sc)

Cut a long tail, which will be used for sewing the hat to Cheese-kun's head later on. You will stuff the hat lightly, then attach the hat to the head through the back-loops (from round 10).

I attached my hat sometime around Round 59 of the body, because it was easier for me to sew, but you can also attach it after you have finished making the body.

## Arms (make two)

With GOLD yarn, form a ring. Round 1: 5 sc in ring.

Round 2: 1 inc in each sc. (10 sc)

Round 3: \*1 inc, 1 sc in next sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (15 sc)

**Round 4-11:** 1 sc in each sc. (15 sc)

Cut a long tail, which will be used for sewing the arms to the body.

## Legs (make two)

With GOLD yarn, form a ring. Round 1: 6 sc in ring.

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Round 2: 1 inc in each sc. (12 sc)

Round 3: \*1 inc, 1 sc in next sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (18 sc) Round 4: \*1 inc, 1 sc in next 2 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (24 sc)

**Round 5-6:** 1 sc in each sc. (24 sc)

**Round 7**: \*1 inc, 1 sc in next 3 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (30 sc)

**Round 8-13:** 1 sc in each sc. (30 sc)

SI st in next sc, then cut yarn. Repeat for second leg.

You now have **Leg Piece A** and **Leg Piece B**.

The third leg will be created, and joined with the first two pieces, then you will continue to make the body.

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## Third Leg & Body

Work third leg following rounds 1-13 of the leg instructions. Do not slip stitch or cut yarn.

Round 14: 1 sc in next 15 sc. Insert hook into first stitch after sl st made on Leg Piece A and

continue to make 1 sc in next 15 sc. Insert hook into first stitch after sl st made on **Leg Piece B** and continue to make 1 sc in next 30 sc. Insert hook back into **Leg Piece A** and make 1 sc in next 15 sc. Insert hook back into **the third leg** and make 1 sc in next 15 sc.

(One round completed with 90 sc)

With the tails from Leg Piece A and Leg Piece B, close the gap between the three leg pieces.

**Round 15:** \*1 dec, 1 sc in next 7 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (80 sc)

**Round 16-20:** 1 sc in each sc. (80 sc)

**Round 21:** \*1 dec, 1 sc in next 6 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (70 sc)

**Round 22-24:** 1 sc in each sc. (70 sc)

**Round 25:** \*1 dec, 1 sc in next 5 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (60 sc)

**Round 26:** 1 sc in each sc. (60 sc)

**Round 27:** \*1 inc, 1 sc in next 5 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (70 sc)

**Round 28-38:** 1 sc in each sc. (70 sc)

**Round 39:** \*1 inc, 1 sc in next 6 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (80 sc)

At this point, stitch the arms to the row just below the one you created.

Also, begin stuffing the legs and body with polyester fiber-fill. Continue to fill as you work more rounds.

**Round 40-46:** 1 sc in each sc. (80 sc)

**Round 47:** \*1 dec, 1 sc in next 6 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (70 sc)

**Round 48-49:** 1 sc in each sc. (70 sc)

**Round 50:** \*1 dec, 1 sc in next 5 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (60 sc)

**Round 51-52:** 1 sc in each sc. (60 sc)

**Round 53:** \*1 dec, 1 sc in next 4 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (50 sc)

**Round 54-55:** 1 sc in each sc. (50 sc)

At this point, embroider the face using black yarn. I embroidered using chain stitch.

Round 56:
Round 57:
\*1 dec, 1 sc in next 3 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (40 sc)
\*1 dec, 1 sc in next 2 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (30 sc)
\*1 dec, 1 sc in next 3 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (24 sc)
\*1 dec, 1 sc in next 2 sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (18 sc)
\*1 dec, 1 sc in next sc\*\*, rep from \* to \*\* around. (12 sc)

At this point, make sure you have completely stuffed Cheese-kun.

**Round 61:** dec over every 2 sc (6 sc)

Cut yarn (leaving a few inches tail), and weave the tail through all 6 sc. Pull tight to close the hole, then pull yarn tail through the center into the body.

#### Congratulations! おめでとう! You now have your very own crochet plush Cheese-kun!

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