

Crochet Football PATTERN

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Materials:

Brown yarn
(4 - worsted weight)

White yarn
(4 - worsted weight)

5mm crochet hook
(can vary depending on
yarn size)

Stuffing

Yarn needle

Abbreviations:

Chain: ch

Stitch: st

Single crochet: sc

Slip Stitch: ss

Pattern Notes:

- 1 To do a decrease (sc 2 sts together), insert your hook into the next st, yarn over and pull a loop through. Then insert your hook into the next stitch, yarn over, and pull another loop through. You should now have 3 sts on your hook. Now yarn over, and pull the yarn through all 3 loops.
- 2 You can adjust the size of the football by using thicker/thinner yarn, and/or a larger/smaller crochet hook.
- 3 Visit our website for more information, a video tutorial, and helpful tips:
<https://onelittleproject.com/crochet-football/>





1

Ch 2 and insert 6 sc into the first ch. Ss into the first sc (6).



2

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into the first st. Insert 2 sc into the second st.

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (9).



3

Switch to white yarn (do not cut the brown yarn).

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into the first 2 sts.

Insert 2 sc into the next stitch.

Repeat all the way around and then ss into the first sc (12).



4

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into each of the first 3 sts.

Insert 2 sc into the next st.

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (15).



5

Switch back to brown yarn (do not cut the white yarn).

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into each of the first 4 sts.

Insert 2 sc into the next st.

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (18).



6

Ch1 and insert 1 sc into each of the first 5 sts.

Insert 2 sc into the next st.

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (21).



7-11

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into each st around.

Ss into the first sc (21).



12

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into each of the first 5 sts.

Then sc the next 2 sts together (a decrease).

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (18).



13

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into each of the first 4 sts.

Then sc the next 2 sts together (a decrease).

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (15).



14

Switch back to white yarn.

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into each of the first 3 sts.

Then sc the next 2 sts together (a decrease).

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (12).



15

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into each of the first 2 sts.

Then sc the next 2 sts together (a decrease).

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (9).

Cut the white yarn, and tuck the tail into the football.



16

Stuff the football until you're happy with its firmness.



17

Ch 1 and insert 1 sc into the first st.

Then sc the next 2 sts together (a decrease).

Repeat all the way around, then ss into the first sc (6).



18

Cut and tie off your yarn, leaving a 4-5" tail.

Thread the tail through a yarn needle and sew a running st through each of the 6 sc.

Pull the tail to close the opening.

Tie in your tail.



19

Thread the white yarn though your yarn needle and sew on the football's stitches.

Sew in your ends.