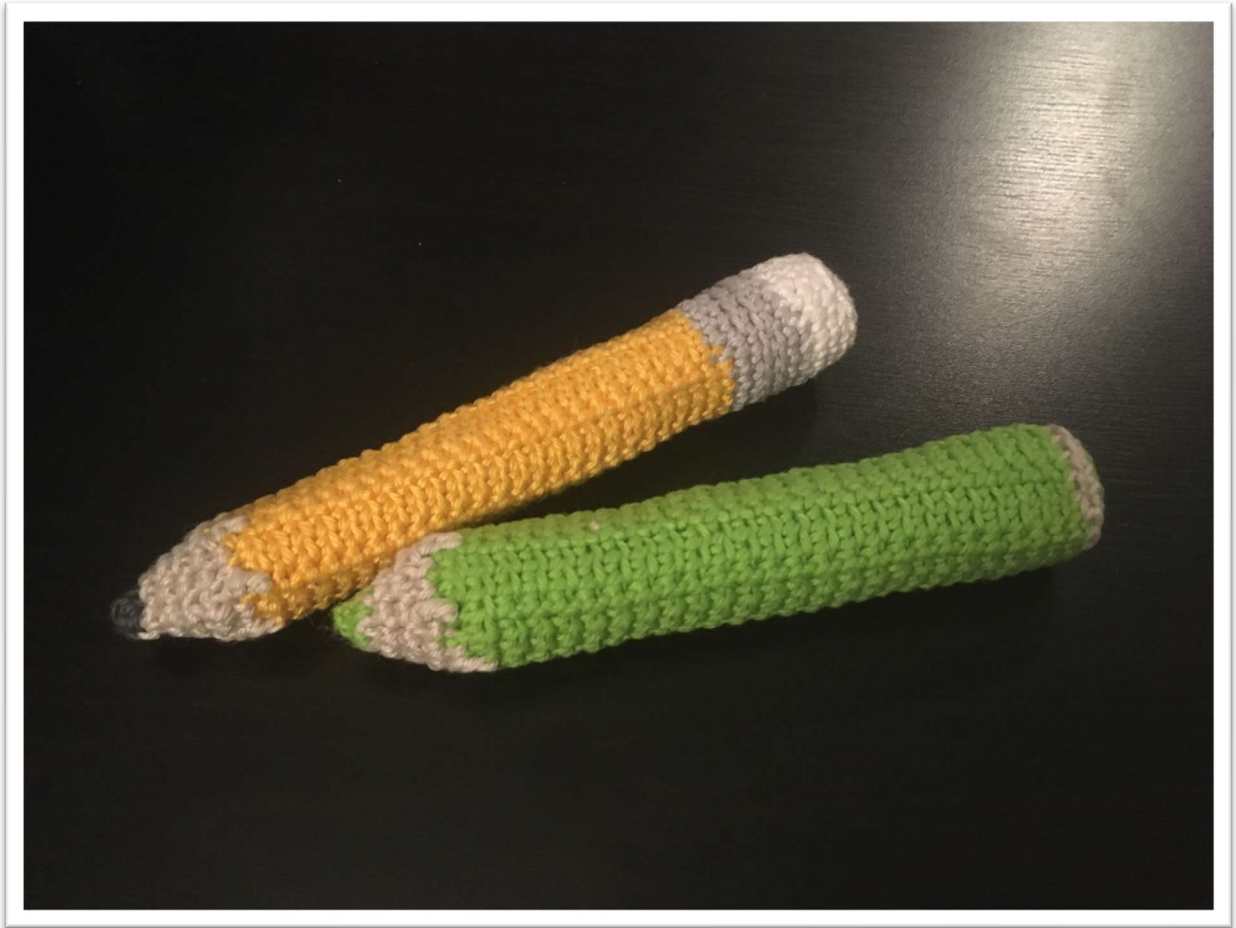


Pencils



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Hello there,

First of all, thank you so much for your interest in my 'Pencil' pattern. I truly hope that you experience the same amount of fun that I had while making and designing it.

My name is Lieneke and I am the person behind the crafts of @Crafty_LienII (Instagram), Etsy store CraftyLienII, and Ravelry designer page of Lieneke van der Molen. I live in Eindhoven, a city in the Netherlands and started crocheting in March 2022. After finishing my first amigurumi, more adorable creatures had to follow. Pretty soon, I got the hang of it and discovered the challenge behind designing your own amigurumi. With that, 'Jelly the Jellyfish' was born as my first self-made design. Shortly after, at the end of 2022, I discovered the crochet technique mosaic overlay. I love what you can do with a bit of yarn and a crochet needle!

I wish you lots of fun with this pattern!

Kind regards,
Lieneke

Difficulty

Easy to Moderate

General

These classic grey and color pencils are perfect for scrap yarn (left-overs). You can easily change pencil length by changing up the number of rows. So, if you have some scrap yarn laying around, grab it and make yourself a pencil!

**Materials**

It takes approximately 60cm of yarn per row of 18 stitches when you use yarntypes such as Durable Coral (50gr/125m). The diameter of the pencil is approximately 22mm when you use a crochet needle of 2mm.

Other materials or tools

- Yarn needle
- Scissors
- Stitch markers

Abbreviations

mr = magic ring

st = stitch

sl.st = slip stitch

sc = single crochet stitch

dc = double crochet

inc = increase

dec = decrease

BLO = crochet in the back loop only

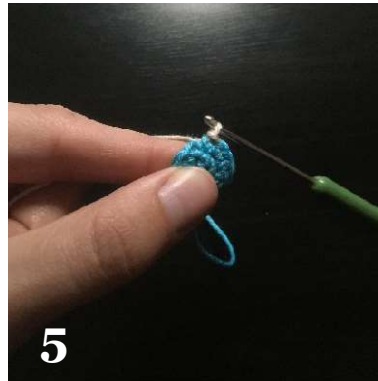
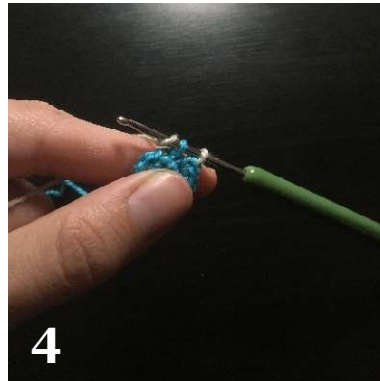
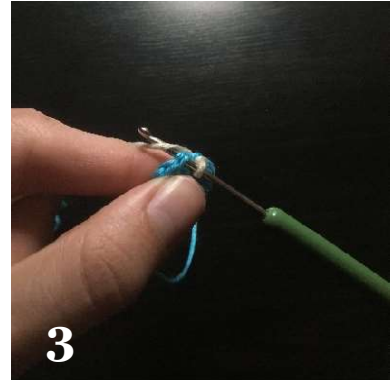
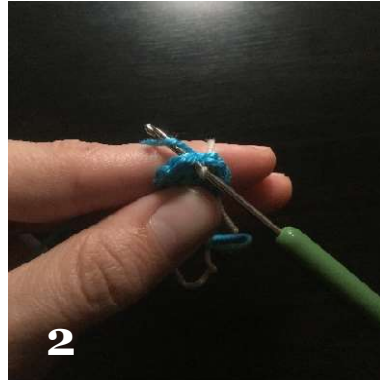
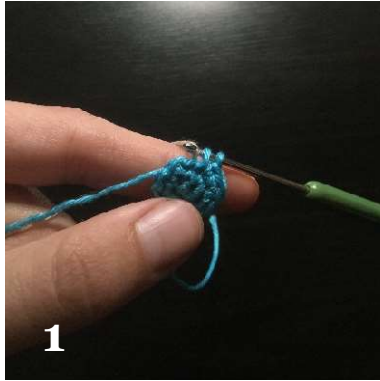
FLO = crochet in the front loop only

3) = round number or number of rows

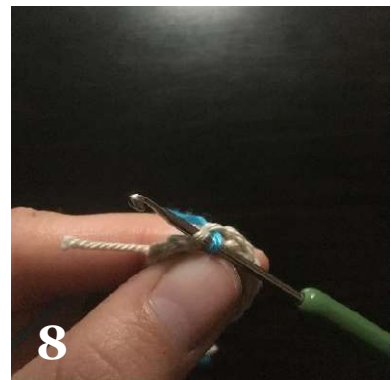
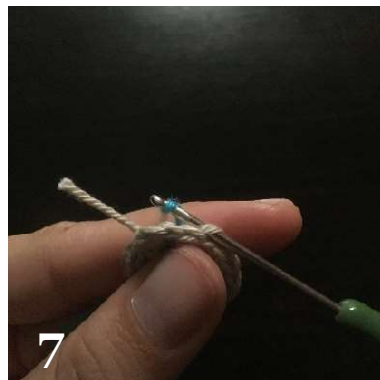
[12] = number of stitches after finishing the round

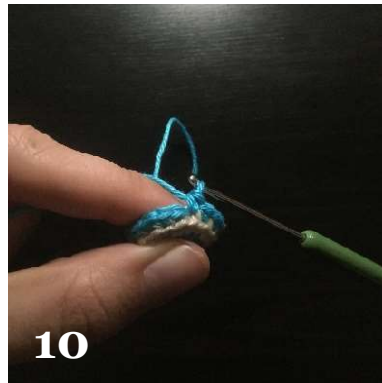
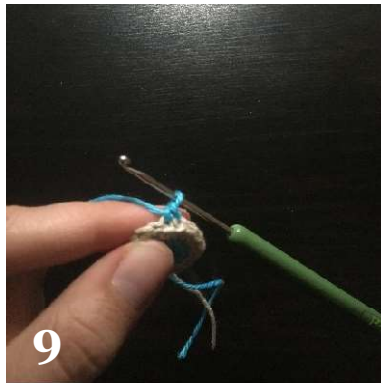
THE COLOR PENCIL

- 1) mr 6 [6]
- 2) inc 5, then switch color by using both sc of the sixth inc. See images 1 to 5 [12]
- 3) (sc, inc) x6, then sl.st. and fasten off by knotting the ends of the same color together on the inside [18]



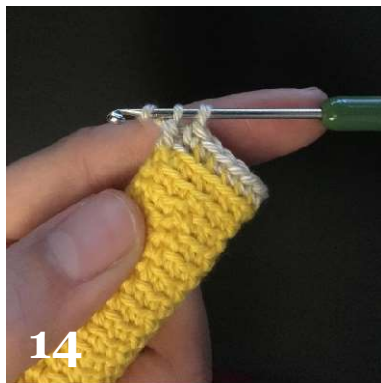
- 4) In BLO: Pull a loop of the other color through the 3rd st from the right where you fastened off. Then sc in the st next to it and those that follow. See images 6 to 10 [18]
- 5) Repeat as many rounds as you like: (in BLO sc 2, in FLO sc 1) x6, fill the pencil up with stuffing as you go [18]





6) In BLO: sc 18, change color in the last sc [18]

7) (sc 2, then dc in the FLO of the previous round) x6. See images 11 to 15 [18]



8) (sc, dec) x6 [12]

9) (sc, dec) x4 [8]

10) sc 6, start to change color with the next two sc as described in step 2. [8]

11) (sc 2, dec) x2. Finish off and close the gap by pulling the yarn through the FLO as shown in images 16 to 20 [6]



THE CLASSIC GREY PENCIL

- 1) mr 6 [6]
- 2) inc 6 [12]
- 3) (sc, inc) x6 [18]
- 4) In BLO: sc 18 [18]
- 5) sc 18 [18]
- 6) sc 16, start to change color with the next two sc as described in step 2 of the colored pencil.
- 7) sc 18 [18]
- 8-9) In BLO: sc 18
- 10) In BLO: sc 16, start to change color with the next two sc as described in step 2 of the colored pencil.
- 11) sc 18 [18]
- 12) Repeat as many rounds as you like: (in BLO sc 2, in FLO sc 1) x6, fill the pencil with stuffing as you go [18]
- 13) In BLO: sc 18, change color in the last sc [18]
- 14) (sc 2, then dc in the FLO of the previous round) x6. See photos below [18]
- 15) (sc, dec) x6 [12]
- 16) (sc, dec) x4 [8]
- 17) sc 6, start to change color with the next two sc as described in step 2 of the colored pencil. [8]
- 18) (sc 2, dec) x2. Finish off and close the gap by pulling the yarn through the FLO [6]

HAVE FUN DRAWING!