Bunny Babies

for our little ones with love

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Materials needed:

- 2,0 mm crochet hook
- sport weight cotton yarn in white for the bunny's head, arms, legs and back part of ears. Color of your choice for the body part, left over yarns for front parts of ears.
- Stuffing of your choice
- cotton darning needle for closing and sewing the last round
- safety eyes or sew on eyes 7-8 mm
- tiny bit of pink embroidery floss, but if you don't have any, tiny bit of pink yarn will work as well
- eye shadow, powder blush, chalk or crayons in light pink; all these will work great to add little color to cheeks
- 5 mm/12-15 inches (30-40 cm) long ribbon in color of your choice.

Finished size:

Sitting from bottom to top of bunny's ears 6 inches approximately (15 cm)

Gauge:

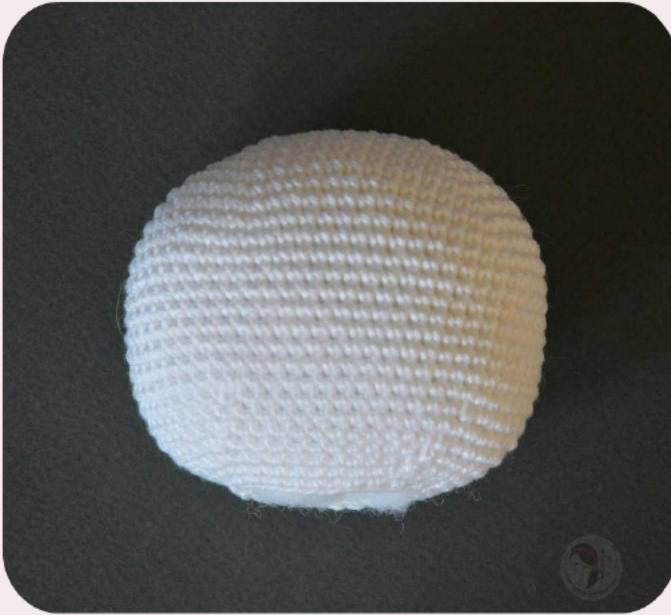7 rounds x 6 stitches in 1square inch (2,5 cm)

Abbreviations:
(US terminology)

st(s)	stitches
sl st	slip stitch
sc	single crochet
ch	chain
hdc	half double crochet
inc	increasing stitch
	(2 single crochet stitches worked in one stitch)
dec	decreasing stitch
	(two stitches together, invisible decrease used in this pattern)
pop corn	single popcorn stitch, started from ch4 is used when making tail.
FO	fasten off

Work in continuous rounds unless otherwise specified.

Bunny's Head

work with white color yarn

chain 9

Round 1: sc7, 3sc in the last chain st, sc6, inc into last ch st (18 sts) for more info and photos look at the end of the pattern

Round 2: inc, sc6, inc x3, sc6, inc x2 (24 sts)

Round 3: sc, inc, sc7, (inc, sc) x3, sc6, inc, sc, inc (30 sts)

Round 4: sc2, inc, sc8, (inc, sc2) x3, sc6, inc, sc2, inc (36 sts)

Round 5: sc3, inc, sc9, (inc, sc3) x3, sc6, inc, sc3, inc (42 sts)

Round 6: sc4, inc, sc10, (inc, sc4) x3, sc6, inc, sc4, inc (48 sts)

Round 7: sc5, inc, sc11, (inc, sc5) x3, sc6, inc, sc5, inc (54 sts)

Round 8: sc6, inc, sc12, (inc, sc6) x3, sc6, inc, sc6, inc (60 sts)

Round 9:
to Round 18   sc 60 sts   (10 rounds)

Place your eyes between rounds13-14, leaving 9 stitches between them.

Round 19: sc6, dec, sc12, (dec, sc6) x3, sc6, dec, sc6, dec (54 sts)

Round 20: sc 54 sts

Round 21: sc5, dec, sc11, (dec, sc5) x3, sc6, dec, sc5, dec (48 sts)

Round 22: sc4, dec, sc10, (dec, sc4) x3, sc6, dec, sc4, dec (42 sts)

Round 23: sc3, dec, sc9, (dec, sc3) x3, sc6, dec, sc3, dec (36 sts)

Round 24: sc2, dec, sc8, (dec, sc2) x3, sc6, dec, sc2, dec (30 sts)

Round 25: sc2, dec, sc8, (dec, sc2) x3, sc6, dec, sc2, dec (24 sts)

FO, stuff the head nice and firm.

Bunny's Body

work with color of your choice
for the body

chain 9

Round 1: sc7, 3sc in the last chain st, sc6, inc into last ch st (18 sts)

Round 2: inc, sc6, inc x3, sc6, inc x2 (24 sts)

Round 3: sc, inc, sc7, (inc, sc) x3, sc6, inc, sc, inc (30 sts)

Round 4: sc2, inc, sc8, (inc, sc2) x3, sc6, inc, sc2, inc (36 sts)

Round 5: sc3, inc, sc9, (inc, sc3) x3, sc6, inc, sc3, inc (42 sts)
Round 6: sc4, inc, sc10, (inc, sc4) x3, sc6, inc, sc4, inc (48 sts)

Round 7
to Round14   sc 48 sts (8 rounds)

Round 15: sc4, dec, sc10, (dec, sc4) x3, sc6, dec, sc4, dec (42 sts)
Round 16: sc 42 sts
Round 17: sc3, dec, sc9, (dec, sc3) x3, sc6, dec, sc3, dec (36 sts)
Round 18: sc 36 sts
Round 19: sc2, dec, sc8, (dec, sc2) x3, sc6, dec, sc2, dec (30 sts)
Round 20: sc 30 sts
Round 21: sc2, dec, sc8, (dec, sc2) x3, sc6, dec, sc2, dec (24 sts)
Round 22: sc 24 sts

FO leaving long end for sewing body and head together.
Stuff the body nice and firm

Bunny's Arms
(make two)

work with white color yarn

chain 6

Round 1: sc4, 3sc in last chain st, continue working around chain, sc3, inc last ch st (12 sts)
Round 2: inc, sc3, inc x3, sc3, inc x2 (18 sts)
Round 3: sc18 sts
Round 4: sc6, dec x3, sc6 (15 sts)
Round 5: sc15 sts
Round 6: sc4, dec x3, sc5 (12 sts)

Round 7
to Round 10:   sc12 sts
Round 11: dec, sc3, inc x2, sc3, dec (12 sts)
Round 12: repeat round 11
Round 13: repeat round 11
Round 14: sc12 sts
   Fasten off leaving long end for sewing arm on the body later. Stuff the arm.
      Top of arm leave empty or stuffed lightly.

Bunny's Legs
(make two)

work with white color yarn

chain 6

Round 1: sc4, 3sc in last chain st, continue working around chain, sc3, inc last ch st (12 sts)
Round 2: inc, sc3, inc x3, sc3, inc x2

(18 sts)
Round 3:   sc, inc, (inc, sc) x3, sc3, inc, sc, inc (24 sts)

Round 4
& Round 5:   sc 24 sts

Round 6:   sc6, (dec, sc) x4, sc6 (20 sts)
Round 7:   sc4, (dec, sc) x4, sc4 (16 sts)
Round 8:   sc5, dec, sc, dec, sc6 (14 sts)

Round 9
to Round 12:   sc14 sts
        FO leaving long end for sewing legs to the body later. Stuff legs.

Bunny's Ears
back part
(make 2)

in white color yarn

ch11

Row 1:   starting in 2nd chain from
           hook hdc x9, 3hdc in last
           chain, continue working
           around chain, hdc x9

           ch1, turn
Row 2:   hdc x9, inc hdc, x3, hdc, x9

           ch1, turn

Row 3:   hdc24 sts

FO leaving long end for sewing inner ear part later (count enough yarn to sew around ear and for attaching the ear to the head)

Bunny's Ear
front part

in colors of your choice make two same or each different color

chain 11

Row1:   sc9, 3 sc in the last chain st, work around chain, sc9
ch1, turn

Row 2:   sc9, inc x3, sc9
FO, hide ends.

Bunny's Tail

in white color yarn

leave starting yarn tail little bit longer (to be able to tie a knot later)

chain 3

in the third chain stitch make pop corn stitch with 5 dc. If you find it too small for your   bunny, add more dc stitches and make tail desired size.

FO leave long end for sewing tail on the body later.
With starting and ending yarn tails tie a knot.

Sewing parts together

Sew back and front part of ear
together

Sew head and body

That should be pretty easy over 24 stitches, equal, both parts. Just make sure the ovals fit each other nicely.
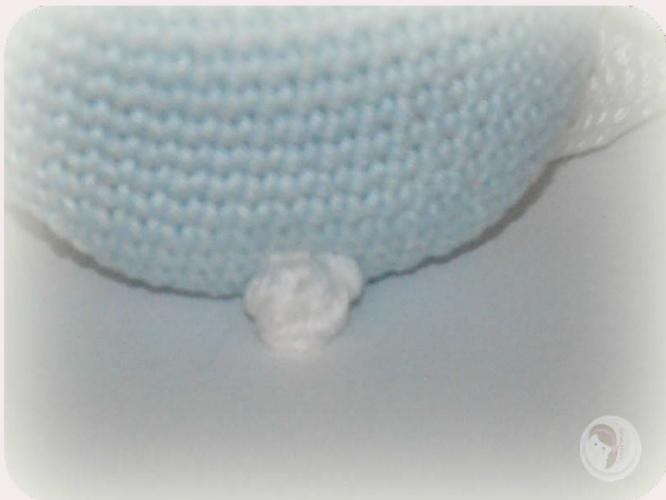
Arms

Add arms on the side of the body. Two rounds below the joining head round. Sew arms top flatten to the body, paying attention to point oval point on top of each arm to front.

Legs

Pin legs in between fourth and fifth round counting from the. Leave 5 stitches between each leg. Flatten top of legs vertically compared to shoes and sew them on.

Tail

Sew the tail centered in between round four and five, on back of Bunny's body.
Tail will help Bunny to sit nice and easy, so make sure you place it right way. Pin it before sewing.

Ears

Sew ears on top of the head.
Each ear should start on   ends
of round one (of the head). I
sewed them flattened and straight,
but you can twist them a little for
special effect. Try before sewing
to see what you like better.
It is also optional to add little bit of
stuffing inside top of the ears. I
haven't used any, but if you like bunny ears to be puffy and soft, you can add
very little stuffing inside.

Designing the face

If you used safety eyes your eyes
are already on. Embroider the
nose three rounds below eyes,
position in the middle and across
three horizontal stitches.

Add little blush on cheeks.

And you Bunny Baby is done.
Hope you enjoyed making it,
and sure hope little ones you made it for
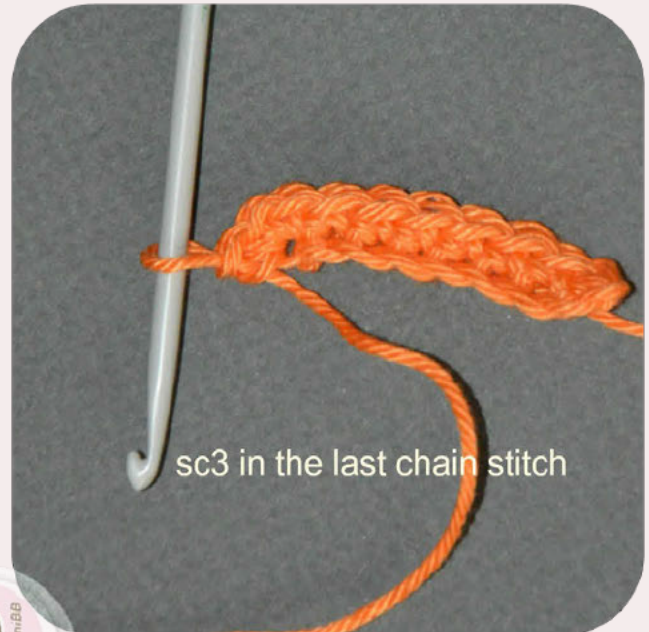will enjoy it even more!

How to make first round starting with chain.
This photo tutorial was made based on 9 chain stitches.
For the 6 chain that is mentioned in the pattern, use this as your guide, but
follow the stitch count written in the pattern.

starting at 2nd chain from hook sc7

sc3 in the last chain stitch

continue working around chain. sc6

sc2 in the last chain stitch
(round finished)

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