

# Mini Pikachu Amigurumi with Heart

By Strings Away



## Materials

- Yarn: yellow (light, shiny), brown, black, red (medium)
- 3.5 mm crochet hook
- fiber-fill stuffing
- Black and white felt, glue (for eyes)
- Embroidery thread/ sewing needle (mouth, nose details)
- Scissors, yarn needle for assembly

## Abbreviations

- **R(#)** : Round number
- **MR**: magic ring
- **Sc** : single crochet
- **Inc**: increase (2 sc in same stitch)
- **Dec**: decrease (decrease 2 sc into one)
- **Hdc**: half double crochet
- **tch**: turn chain
- **sl st**: slip stitch
- **f/o**: fasten off

## Head and Body (yellow)

### Begin with head

- R1.** 6 sc in MR (6)
- R2.** Inc around (12)
- R3.** 'Sc 1, inc' around (18)
- R4.** 'Sc 2, inc' around (24)
- R5-8.** Sc around (24) four times
- R9.** 'Sc 2, dec' around (18)
- R10.** 'Sc 1, dec' around (12)

Add stuffing.

### Continue on to body

- R11.** 'Sc 1, inc' around (18)
- R12.** 'Sc 2, inc' around (24)
- R13-16.** Sc around (24) four times
- R17.** Sc 9, inc, Sc 4, inc, Sc 9 (26)
- R18.** Sc 9, inc, inc, Sc 4, inc, inc, Sc 9 (30)
- R19.** Sc around (30)
- R20.** Sc 4, dec, Sc 4, dec, dec, Sc 4, dec, dec, Sc 4, dec, Sc 2 (24)
- R21.** 'Sc 2, dec' around (18)

Consider surface crocheting on the brown stripes to pikachu's back before stuffing and closing the body; although it is not impossible to add once closed.

- R22.** 'Sc 1, dec' around (12)
- R23.** Dec around (6) f/o

## Arms (yellow)

- R1.** 4 sc in MR (4)
  - R2.** Sc 1, inc, Sc 1, inc (6)
  - R3-4.** Sc around (6) two times
  - R5.** Sc 1, inc, Sc 2, inc, Sc 1 (8)
  - R6.** Sc around (8) f/o
- Stuff lightly.

## Feet (yellow) make 2

- R1.** 4 sc in MR (4)
  - R2.** Sc 1, inc, Sc 1, inc (6)
  - R3.** Sc around (6)
  - R4.** Sc 1, dec, Sc 1, dec (4) f/o.
- Do not stuff, press flat.

## Ears (begin with black) make 2

- R1.** 4 sc in MR (4)
- R2.** Sc 1, inc, Sc 1, inc (6)

### Change to yellow yarn

- R3-4.** Sc around (6) two times
- R5.** Inc, Sc 5 (7)
- R6.** Sc around (7)
- R7.** Dec, Sc 5 (6)
- R8.** Dec. Sc 4 (5) f/o

## Tail

### Begin with yellow

- R1.** Ch 16, sl st into 1<sup>st</sup> ch to form a ring
- R2-6.** Sc around (16) five times
- R7.** Sc 4, tch and skip the next 8 sc, Sc 4 (8)
- R8.** Sc around (skip the tch) (8)
- R9.** Ch 5, Sc around (13)
- R10-11.** Sc around (13) two times

### Change to brown yarn

- R12.** Sc 3, tch and skip the next 6 sc, Sc 4 (7)
- R13.** Ch 3, Sc around (skip the tch) (10)
- R14-R15.** Sc around (10) 2 times
- R16.** Sc 2 and leave the rest unworked. f/o

Leave a long tail for attaching to the body and sewing closed the bottom of the tail. With yellow, sew together the top part of the tail/ any open parts.

## Back Stripes (brown)

Surface crochet 6 sc across the back before attaching the tail. Alternatively chain 6 in brown yarn and attach to back.

## Cheeks (red) make 2

Ch3, sl st into 1<sup>st</sup> ch to form a loop. f/o

## Heart (red)

- R1. 6 sc in MR (6)
- R2. Inc around (12)
- R3. Sc around (12) f/o

Now make the other top half of the heart

- R1. 6 sc in MR (6)
- R2. Inc around (12)
- R3. Sc around (12), Now, continue the next round on the first piece made:

R4. Sc 9, skip the remaining 3 sc on the first piece. Also skip 3 sc on the second piece in the center of the 'heart' and sc 9 (18)  
Now the two top halves are joined together.

Use the loose end from the first half to sew the unworked sc's (3 from each half) together.

Continue on to make the rest of the heart:

- R5. Dec, Sc 7, Dec, Sc 7 (16)
- R6. 'Sc 2, dec' around (12)
- R7. 'Sc 1, dec' around (8)
- R8. Dec around (4) f/o.

Heart is made by joining the top two halves:



Sc ar (18) skipping 3 sc from each half (center)



side view after joining:



*Thank you for trying this pattern – I hope you enjoy your Valentine Amigurumi Pikachu!*

