

Crochet Kitty Carpet Pattern (US Terminology)

Materials & Tools

- Super Bulky (Category 6) cotton or cotton-blend yarn
- 8.0 mm – 10.0 mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Scissors
- Stitch markers

Cotton yarn is recommended for rugs due to durability and structure.

Finished Size

Approx. 30–40 inches long depending on materials and tension.

Abbreviations (US Terms)

ch – chain

sl st – slip stitch

sc – single crochet

hdc – half double crochet

dc – double crochet

inc – increase

dec – decrease

st(s) – stitch(es)

Body (Oval Base Construction)

Ch 25.

Round 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook across. 3 sc in last ch. Work along opposite side. 3 sc in last st.

Join.

Round 2+: Increase evenly at both rounded ends (6 increases per round) until desired width is reached.

Head

Magic ring.

Round 1: 8 sc.

Round 2: 2 sc in each st.

Round 3: *Sc 1, inc* repeat.

Continue increasing until proportional.

Legs (Make 4)

Ch 8. Work 3–4 rows of sc. Slight increases at corners for rounded paw effect.

Tail

Ch 25. Work 2 sc in each chain to create natural curl.

Assembly & Finishing

Sew all pieces securely. Steam block lightly. Add non-slip backing if necessary for safety.

Professional Rug Best Practices

- Maintain firm tension.
- Use durable cotton yarn.
- Evenly space increases.
- Ensure secure stitching for long-term use.