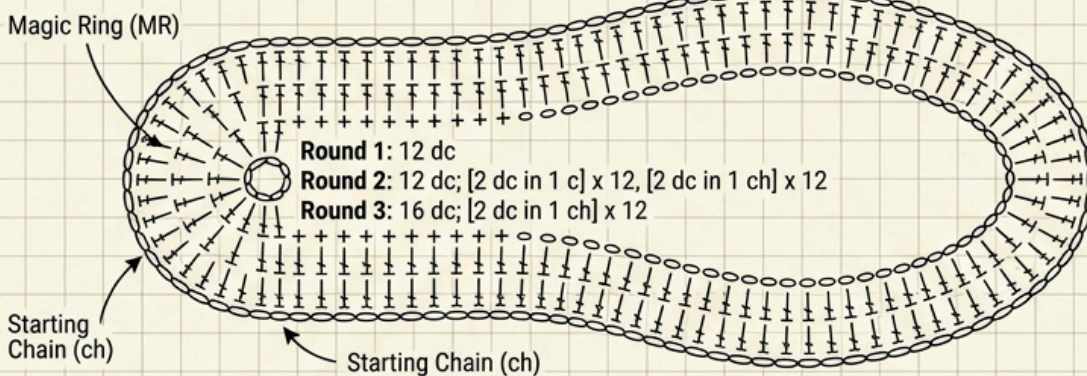


Crochet Slipper Pattern (Shell Stitch Upper & Single Crochet Sole)

This crochet slipper pattern is based directly on the chart provided. The instructions follow the stitch symbols, stitch counts, shaping, and construction shown in the diagram, while translating everything into a detailed step-by-step written tutorial in American crochet terminology.

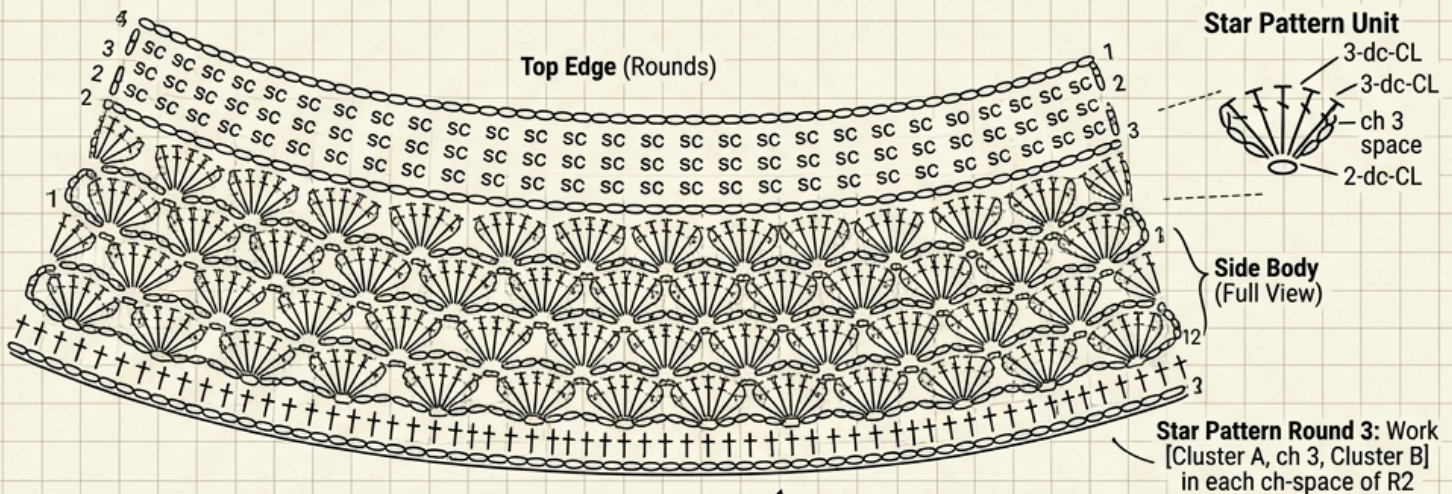
OVERVIEW & SOLE CONSTRUCTION



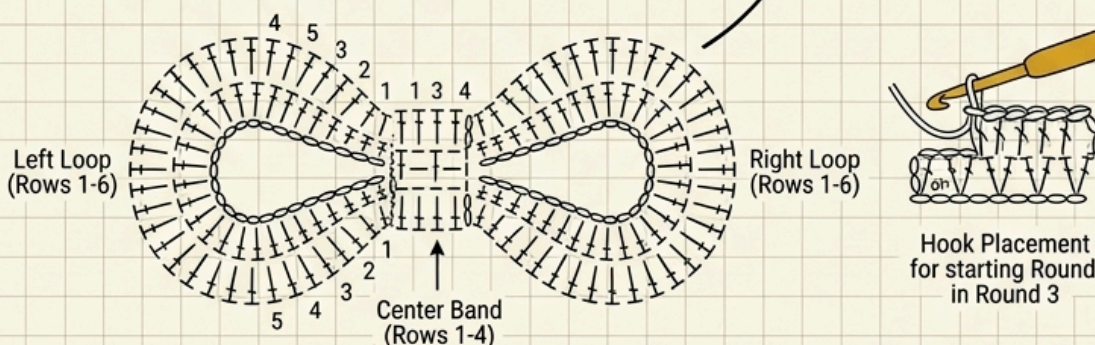
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- Chain (ch)
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- + Single Crochet (sc)
- ⌣ Double Crochet (dc)
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- ⌣ 3-Double Crochet Cluster (3-dc-CL)
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- Work direction (row-by-row)

UPPER BODY CONSTRUCTION



BOW ATTACHMENT & STITCH KEY



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Skill Level: Intermediate

Language: US Crochet Terms

Construction: Sole first, then upper section, then bow decoration

Finished Item: Adult house slipper

Materials Needed

- Worsted Weight (Category 4) yarn
- Crochet hook suitable for your yarn (typically 4.5 mm–5.5 mm)
- Scissors
- Yarn needle
- Stitch markers (optional)

Abbreviations

- ch = chain
- sc = single crochet
- dc = double crochet
- st = stitch
- sts = stitches
- sl st = slip stitch
- rep = repeat

Understanding the Chart

The slipper is made in three main sections:

1. Sole (worked in single crochet rounds)
2. Upper body (worked in shell stitch pattern)
3. Decorative bow (worked separately and attached)

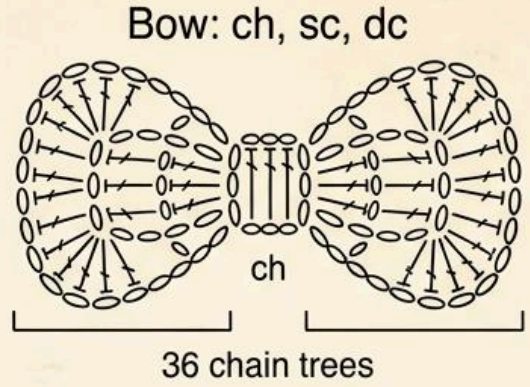
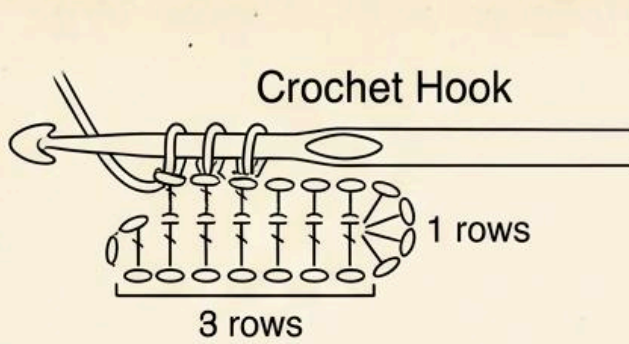
The sole is oval-shaped with increases at both the toe and heel.

The upper body is crocheted using a repeating shell pattern consisting of:

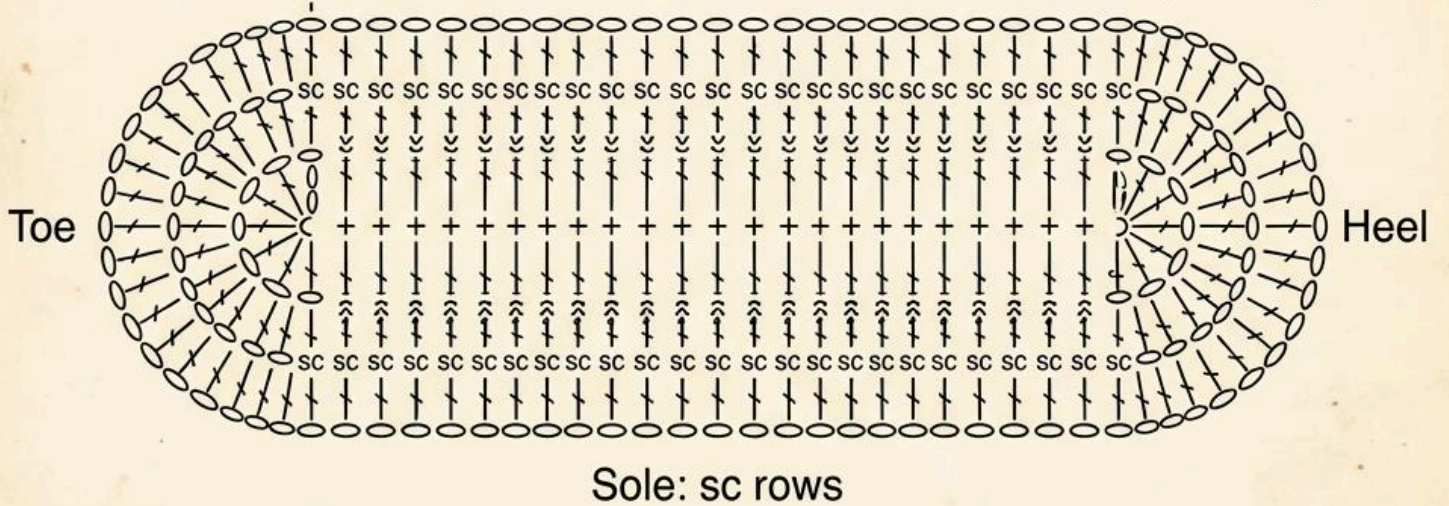
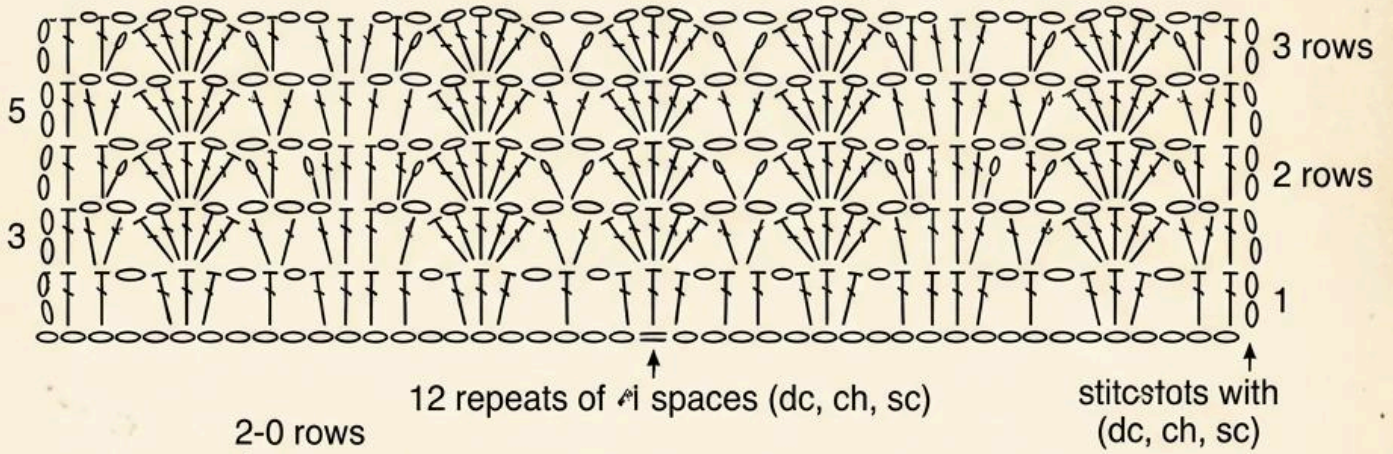
(dc, ch, sc)

The chart indicates approximately **12 pattern repeats** across the width of the slipper upper.

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Body: Shell Stitch Pattern (dc, ch, sc)



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Sole Foundation

Row 1: Create the Base Chain

Chain a length that fits the center of the foot.

For average adult sizes:

- Women's US 6–7: ch 26
- Women's US 8–9: ch 30
- Women's US 10–11: ch 34
- Men's US 8–9: ch 34
- Men's US 10–11: ch 38

The chart shows an elongated oval sole with increases worked around both ends.

Round 1

Work 1 sc into the second chain from hook.

Work 1 sc into each chain across until the final chain.

In the last chain:

- Work 6 sc

This creates the toe curve.

Continue working on the opposite side of the foundation chain.

Work 1 sc into each remaining chain.

In the final chain at the opposite end:

- Work 6 sc

Join with a sl st.

You now have the basic oval shape shown in the sole diagram.

Sole Shaping

Round 2

Ch 1.

Work sc around.

At both curved ends:

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- Work 2 sc into each increase stitch from the previous round.

Join with sl st.

Round 3

Ch 1.

Work sc around.

At each curved end:

- Alternate 1 sc and 2 sc in the increase area.

Join.

The sole should now clearly resemble the oval shape shown in the chart.

Sole Body

Rounds 4–20

Continue working sc in every stitch around.

The chart labels this section as:

"Sole: sc rows"

No additional increases are worked except where needed to maintain the shape.

Continue until the sole reaches the desired foot length.

Sizing Check

Place the sole against the foot.

The sole should:

- ✓ Reach from heel to toe
- ✓ Lie flat without curling
- ✓ Match the width of the foot comfortably

When satisfied, fasten off.

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Preparing the Upper Section

The shell stitch upper is worked across the top portion of the slipper.

Locate the center section of the sole.

The chart shows approximately **12 shell repeats** spanning the upper.

Mark the area extending from one side of the toe opening to the other.

This will become the upper body.

Upper Body Pattern

Shell Stitch Repeat

The chart identifies the repeating motif as:

(dc, ch, sc)

Each shell group creates the fan-like appearance visible in the diagram.

Upper Row 1

Join yarn at one side of the marked opening.

Ch 3 (counts as dc).

Skip 1 st.

Work:

- dc
- ch 1
- sc

into the next stitch.

Skip 1 st.

Repeat:

- dc
- ch 1
- sc

across the entire opening.

You should have approximately 12 repeats.

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Turn.

Upper Row 2

Ch 3.

Work each new shell into the chain spaces from the previous row.

In every ch-1 space work:

- dc
- ch 1
- sc

Continue across.

Turn.

The shell fans will begin forming exactly as shown in the chart.

Upper Row 3

Repeat Row 2.

Turn.

The chart labels this section as:

3 rows

At this stage, the slipper should begin covering the top of the foot.

Upper Row 4

Continue the shell stitch pattern.

Work:

- dc
- ch 1
- sc

in every chain space.

Turn.

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Upper Row 5

Repeat the shell stitch pattern across.

The chart labels this middle section as:

5 rows

The upper should now cover most of the foot.

Upper Row 6

Continue working shells in every chain space.

Turn.

Upper Row 7

Repeat the pattern.

Turn.

Upper Row 8

Repeat the pattern.

Fasten off.

The chart indicates a final section of **3 rows**, giving the upper a total depth similar to the illustrated design.

Joining the Upper to the Sole

Edge Attachment

Position the upper over the sole.

Align both sides evenly.

Using sc, join the edges of the upper to the sole.

Work carefully so both sides remain symmetrical.

The opening should comfortably fit the foot.

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Finishing Round

Work one complete round of sc around the slipper opening.

This creates a neat edge and strengthens the structure.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Decorative Bow

The chart includes a separate bow motif worked using chains, single crochet, and double crochet.

Bow Center

Chain 8.

Join into a ring.

Bow Side One

Into the ring work:

- 18 dc

Then work chains around the outer edge to form the rounded shape shown in the chart.

Finish with sc to secure.

Bow Side Two

Repeat the same process on the opposite side.

You should now have two symmetrical rounded loops connected by the center ring.

Bow Wrap

Chain enough stitches to wrap around the center.

Wrap tightly around the middle of the bow.

Sew securely.

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Attaching the Bow

Place the bow at the center front of the slipper opening.

Using a yarn needle:

- Sew through the center wrap
- Secure to the shell stitch section
- Hide all yarn tails inside the slipper

Final Finishing ✨

Weave in every loose end carefully.

Block lightly if desired.

Shape the toe and heel with your hands.

Make the second slipper exactly the same way.

Completed Slipper

You now have a crochet slipper featuring:

- ✓ Oval single crochet sole
- ✓ Shell stitch upper following the chart pattern
- ✓ Decorative crochet bow
- ✓ Comfortable slip-on construction

The finished slipper closely follows the structure, stitch arrangement, and decorative elements shown in the original chart while providing complete written instructions suitable for English-speaking crocheters from start to finish. 🧶👣🎀