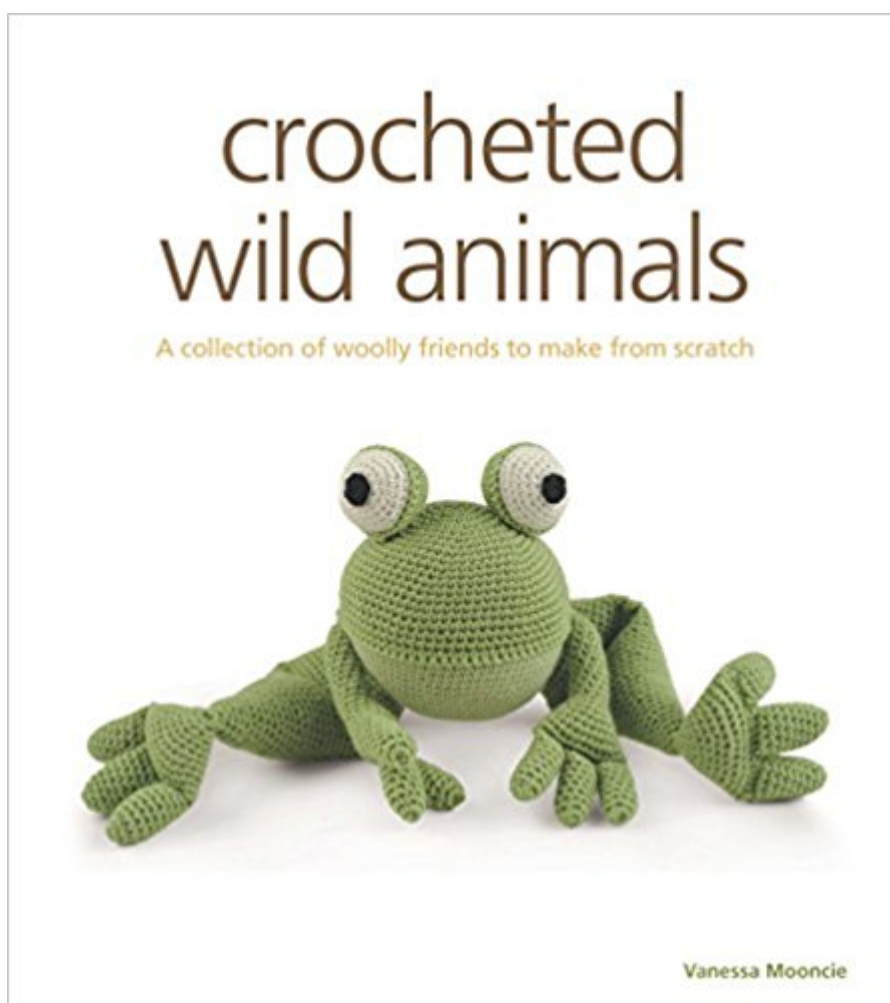


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# Crocheted Wild Animals: A Collection Of Woolly Friends To Make From Scratch



## Synopsis

Gather crochet know-how for making toy animals of all shapes and sizes. The book features a clear, detailed crochet pattern for each animal, plus toy-making tips. Along the way, readers will also learn some interesting and surprising facts about each wild animal. The projects vary in level of complexity, and there is an easy to understand techniques section to help lapsed and beginning crocheters with basic crochet skills.

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## Customer Reviews

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This book has amazingly cute animals to crochet. The instructions are clearly written and easy to follow. BUT This is the US version of the book with the crocheted elephant on it. Crocheted Wild Animals: A Collection of Cuddly Creatures to Make from Scratch. The blurb underneath is slightly different but it is the same book with the same patterns. I don't want anyone to make the same mistake I made and buy 2 copies of the same book. It's a good pattern book, but not 2 copies of the same book good. Very few books (in my opinion) are that good.

Great book, easy to understand the instructions. I have already made the flamingo which is my most favorite thing ever and I also made the elephant and the polar bear. I think they turned out great. I used different yarns and hook sizes, the patterns and pictures are very well done.

I purchased this as a Christmas present for my 14 yr. old daughter who likes to crochet. There are so many neat patterns like a beautiful flamingo and a chameleon that actually turns inside out to change colors. She was very excited over the animal patterns and quickly finished the cute as a button fawn! Now she's started on the owl- can't wait to see how it turns out as well.

The patterns in this book are wonderful. I followed the written instructions as I found them easier to read than trying to understand the charts. As a novice crocheter, I would have liked a bit more direction on how to accurately place legs, ears, eyes, etc. although the photographs are so good that I could generally copy them. I have only attempted shawls and afghans before and was intrigued to find out how I could make a shape. I found the instructions in the round gave the toy the contours needed and I loved the fact that I didn't have to sew up a lot of seams. I have only made one so far, the camel, and it turned out well. I also made a multi-coloured blanket for it. There are so many lovely designs that I am deciding which one to do next. I would advise any serious crocheter to try this book. There's still time to get some Christmas presents made.

So far I've made the Frog, Monkey, Polar bear, Elephant, and Giraffe. Given the time, I may end up making all of them. I find the patterns very easy to follow. I've gotten so many comments on them and even offers to buy them. I wish she had more animal patterns. I'd buy another book for certain.

I will be challenged trying to read and understand the instructions but the projects are adorable.

I brought this for my granddaughter who is making animals for her children, wow, she loved it, and says its so easy to do, now she wants another book, thank you

I got this as a gift and it's adorable! Some of the animals are huge and some are smaller. (The flamingo is taller than the 5 yr old it was made for! But she still loves it!) Great book for the avid crocheter.

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