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*Miniature handicrafts, knitted, crocheted or felted are beautiful and enchanting. They can be used in dollhouses, as well as jewellery, key rings, decorations for clothes, or whatever you can think of. In addition they are fun gifts and memorabilia. It is fun working with miniature things, because a small ball of very fine thread lasts for a long time and one can very quickly finish even a big job. Miniature clothing can also be used as a scale model, with which you can test colours, for example, for a larger knitting task.*

The book is divided into four parts. At the beginning there are general instructions and information about the tools and materials, as well as how to dye yarns at home. The instructions themselves are divided according to the techniques into knitting, crocheting and felting. You can make small mats, blankets, bags, towels, curtains, stools, pillows, stuffed toys, as well as pet animals or tiny clothes, such as a shirt, coat, dress, socks, mittens, hats, scarves, woollen pants and pantyhose. By adding a hanging loop, hooks or safety pin on them, they make beautiful and personal pieces of jewellery.

The book's instructions are designed for the 1:12 scale world or for real people's delicate pieces of jewellery or decoration, but you can change the size by choosing different thickness of the knitting needles or yarn or by changing the number of stitches.



## About the author

**Hanna Meronen** is a passionate dollhouse hobbyist, who has been enchanted by the miniatures ever since she was a child. She has previously written a book about how to build a dollhouse.



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