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NATURE IN *Your Designs*

Spring is here again! The theme for this Fun Crochet Magazine **Special** is **Sustainable Living**. In this edition you'll find fun designs that'll help you get into spring.

The **wrap cardigan** is perfect for the first spring days: it is stylish and comfortable. Or wrap the handy **poncho** around your shoulders! The **sweater with leaves** is unbelievably cute and will keep your child warm. Tidy up your child's toys using the **fish baskets** or put some plants in them.

The **camping playset** will keep your child busy while you're enjoying the sun on the **outside hassock**. Why not brighten up your garden with the **atmospheric lantern**? If you've never crocheted granny's before, here's your chance! The **colorful tablecloth** will totally impress your friends when hosting a dinner party in your garden.

Have fun crocheting!

Ashja Bosboom-Fetvacıyan (publisher)
& Marion Boeckhout (chief editor)



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Crochet!

LET'S GET STARTED

Crochet is super fun! But how do you actually make all these wonderful creations? We've listed all the basics and techniques just for you, so you can get started right away. Before you know it, you'll be hooked...

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

These are the most commonly used abbreviations and symbols:

Rnd 1	round 1, etc.
○ = ch	chain
X = sc	single crochet
● = sl st	slip stitch
MR	magic ring
next	next
dec	decrease
stm	stitch marker
inc	increase
tog	together
pcs	popcorn stitch
skip	skip
T = esc	extended single crochet
T = dc	double crochet
T = hdc	half double crochet
⊖ = cl	cluster
T = tr	treble crochet
T = dtr	double treble crochet
[]	work everything between the brackets into the same stitch
RS	right side
WS	wrong side
FL	front loop
BL	back loop
post stitch	post stitch
FPdc	Front Post double crochet
BPdc	Back Post double crochet
FPEdc	Front Post Extended double crochet

Stitches used

Would you like to learn more about the most commonly used stitches and techniques? At aandehaak.nl/basis we explain how to do things like crochet a chain, single crochet, slip stitch or double crochet, but also how you can set up a magic ring and decrease and increase as you're working. The step-by-step instructions include drawings and videos to help you on your way. **Take a look at aandehaak.nl/basis.**

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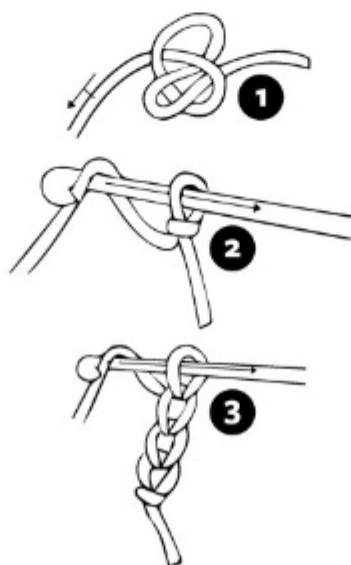


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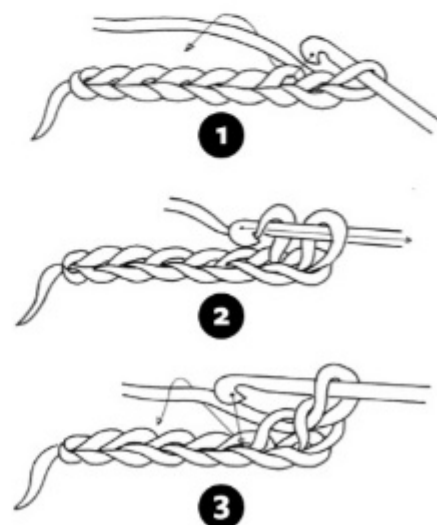
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CHAIN (CH)



SLIP STITCH (SL ST)



FUN FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

COOL SWEATER WITH LEAVES

This will become the favorite sweater of the little ones, as those playful leaves look really fun and spark the imagination of toddlers.



WHAT DO YOU NEED?

- Scheepjes Softfun yarn: 4/4/5 balls of Wheat 2533 (depending on size)
- Scheepjes Bamboo Soft yarn: 1 ball of Grand Oak 256
- Scheepjes Cotton 8 yarn: 1 ball of Dark Green 713



THIS IS HOW YOU MAKE IT

First, make a gauge swatch in the pattern stitch: 20 stitches x 13 rounds = 10 x 10 cm.

Size sweater	Chest size	Total length	Sleeve length	Armhole height
A = 1-2 years	60	32	18	12
B = 3-4 years	64	36	22	13
C = 5-6 years	70	42	26	14

SWEATER

SIZE A FRONT PANEL

Rnd 1: RS. Crochet 62 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, make 1 round of sc (= 61).

Rnd 2: WS. 2 ch (= 1st dc), turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 dc (= 61).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc in the 1st stitch, 1 round of sc, crochet the final sc in the 2nd ch from the previous round (= 61).

Rnd 4-45: continue repeating Rnd 2 and 3, finish with 1 round of sc (= 61). Fasten off.

SIZE A BACK PANEL

Rnd 1: RS. Crochet 62 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, make 1 round of sc (= 61).

Rnd 2: WS. 2 ch (= 1st dc), turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 dc (= 61).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc in the 1st stitch, 1 round of sc, crochet the final sc in the 2nd ch from the previous round (= 61).

Rnd 4-47: continue repeating Rnd 2 and 3, finish with 1 round of sc (= 61). At this point the back panel is therefore 2 rounds longer than the front panel. Do not fasten off, continue.

Rnd 48: (shoulder piece 1) 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 4 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 18).

Rnd 49: 1 ch, turn, 18 sc (= 18).

Rnd 50: 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 4 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 18).

Rnd 51: 1 ch, turn, 18 sc (= 18). Fasten off.

Rnd 52: (shoulder piece 2) join in the 18th stitch before the end of round 48, 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 4 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 18).

Rnd 53: 1 ch, turn, 18 sc (= 18).

Rnd 54: 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch,

1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 4 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 18).

Rnd 55: 1 ch, turn, 18 sc (= 18). Fasten off.

SIZE B FRONT PANEL

Rnd 1: RS. Crochet 66 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, make 1 round of sc (= 65).

Rnd 2: WS. 2 ch (= 1st dc), turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 dc (= 65).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc in the 1st stitch, 1 round of sc, crochet the final sc in the 2nd ch from the previous round (= 65).

Rnd 4-49: continue repeating Rnd 2 and 3, finish with 1 round of sc (= 65). Fasten off.

SIZE B BACK PANEL

Rnd 1: RS. Crochet 66 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, make 1 round of sc (= 65).

Rnd 2: WS. 2 ch (= 1st dc), turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 dc (= 65).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc in the 1st stitch, 1 round of sc, crochet the final sc in the 2nd ch from the previous round (= 65).

Rnd 4-51: continue repeating Rnd 2 and 3, finish with 1 round of sc (= 65). At this

point the back panel is 2 rounds longer than the front panel. Do not fasten off, continue.

Rnd 52: (yoke 1) 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 53: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21).

Rnd 54: 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 55: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21). Fasten off.

Rnd 56: (yoke 2) join in the 21st stitch before the end of round 52, 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 57: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21).

Rnd 58: 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 59: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21). Fasten off.

SIZE C FRONT PANEL

Rnd 1: RS. Crochet 72 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, make 1 round of sc (= 71).

Rnd 2: WS. 2 ch (= 1st dc), turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 dc (= 71).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc in the 1st stitch, 1 round of sc, crochet the final sc in the 2nd ch from the previous round (= 71).

Rnd 4-53: continue repeating Rnd 2 and 3, finish with 1 round of sc (= 71). Fasten off.

SIZE C BACK PANEL

Rnd 1: RS. Crochet 72 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, make 1 round of sc (= 71).

Rnd 2: WS. 2 ch (= 1st dc), turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 dc (= 71).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc in the 1st stitch, 1 round of sc, crochet the final sc in the 2nd ch from the previous round (= 71).

Rnds 4-55: continue repeating Rnds 2 and 3 (= 71). At this point the back panel is 2 rounds longer than the front panel. Do not fasten off, continue.

Rnd 56: (yoke 1). 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 57: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21).

Rnd 58: 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 59: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21). Fasten off.

Rnd 60: (yoke 2). Join in the 21st stitch before the end of round 56, 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 61: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21).

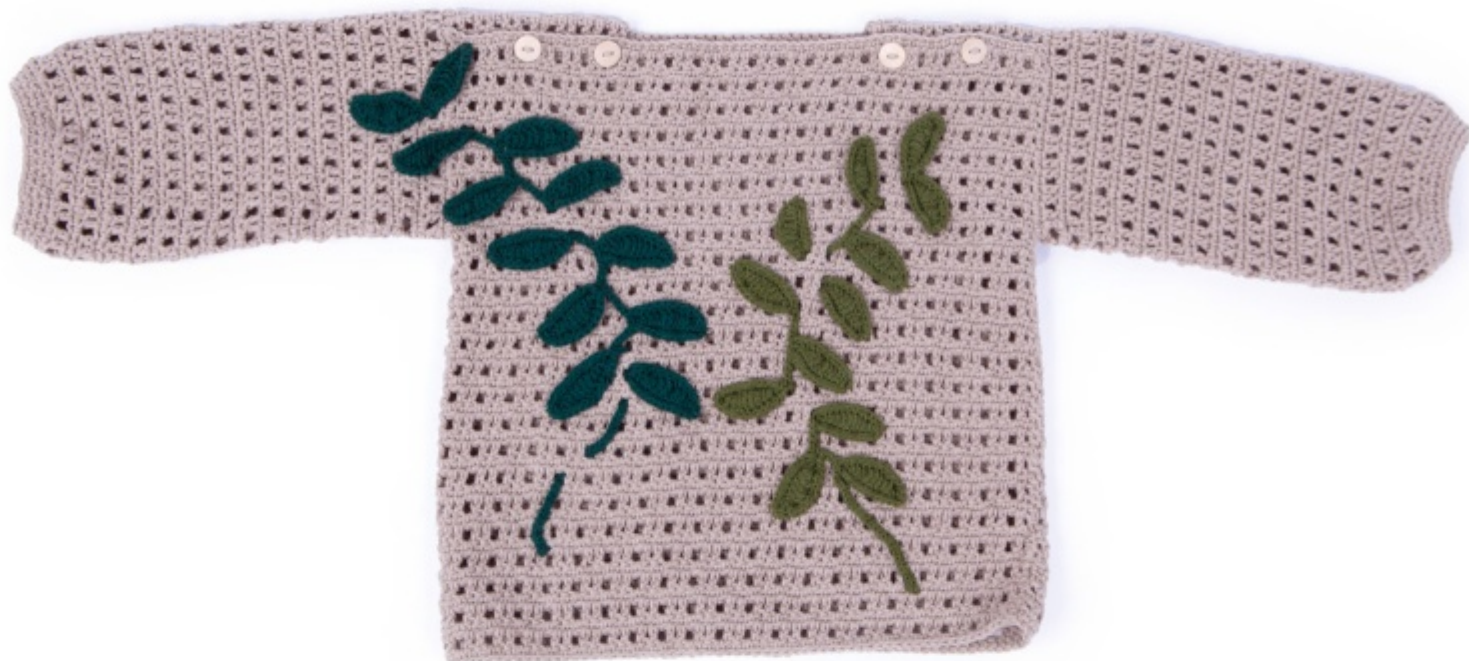
Rnd 62: 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 5 x (2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch), 2 dc (= 21).

Rnd 63: 1 ch, turn, 21 sc (= 21). Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew the buttons onto the yokes, 1 button onto the final stitches of the yoke and the other one in the middle. Close the front panel with the buttons. Lay the sweater down flat with the front and back panel neatly on top of each other. Sew the side seams stitch by stitch together until





12/13/14 cm of armhole length remains. Weave in all ends. Crochet the sleeves into the armholes.

SLEEVES FOR ALL SIZES

Rnd 1: join into the armpit, crochet 1 round of sc, 1 stitch on the side of 1 round of sc, 2 stitches on the side of 1 round of dc. Make sure it doesn't become wobbly. If it does, then occasionally crochet 1 stitch per round of dc. It shouldn't become too tight either, so divide the stitches evenly. Join the round with 1 sl st in the 1st stitch.

Rnd 2: 2 ch, turn, 1 dc in next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *2 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, close with 1 sl st in the 2nd starting ch.

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc in every stitch, close the round with 1 sl st in the 1st stitch.

Rnd 4: rep Rnd 2 and 3 up to a total sleeve length of 18/22/26 cm from the armpit. Make sure to finish with 1 round of sc.

Rnd 5: 1 ch, do not turn, *1 sc, sc2tog, rep from *to* until the end of the round, join with 1 sl st in the 1st stitch.

Rnds 6 and 7: 1 ch, 1 sc in every stitch, close the round with 1 sl st in the 1st stitch, fasten off. Make the other sleeve in the same way.

LEAVES

Crochet one branch with Dark Green and the other one with Grand Oak.

BRANCH

Rnd 1: 45 ch, start in the 2nd ch from the hook and crochet 1 sc, 1 hdc, 2 dc, 3 tr, 2 dc, 1 hdc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the other side of the leaf: 9 sc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the first side of the leaf: 10 sc, 1 sl st in the next stitch **1** to **3**.

Rnd 2: 22 ch, start in the 2nd ch from the hook: 1 sc, 1 hdc, 2 dc, 3 tr, 2 dc, 1 hdc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the other side of the leaf: 9 sc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the first side of the leaf: 10 sc, 1 sl st in the next stitch **4**.

Rnds 3-6: rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 7: 12 ch, start in the 2nd ch from the hook: 1 sc, 1 hdc, 2 dc, 3 tr, 2 dc, 1 hdc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the other side of the leaf: 9 sc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the first side of the leaf: 10 sc, 1 sl st in the next stitch, 1 sl st at the

bottom of the previous leaf, 5 sl st across the chain (if the chain is twisted, first untwist it) **5**.

Rnd 8: 12 ch, start in the 2nd ch from the hook: 1 sc, 1 hdc, 2 dc, 3 tr, 2 dc, 1 hdc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the other side of the leaf: 9 sc, 3 sc in the next stitch, you're around the corner, continue crocheting at the first side of the leaf: 10 sc, 1 sl st in the next stitch, 5 sc across the chain, 2 sl st at the bottom of the next leaf, 5 sl st across the chain.

Rnds 9-12: rep Rnd 8.

Rnd 13: continue with sl st across the chain up to the beginning. Fasten off and weave in all ends.

FINISHING

Thread the branches through the holes of the sweater. To do this, place the branch on the inside of the sweater and pull up parts of it (sometimes the entire piece if you want to show the branch here and there). Pin the leaves in place as you go along with threading, this prevents pulling **6**. Sew the leaves all around. If you find threading through the sweater a bit difficult, then sew the entire branch onto the front. •

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FOR HOME AND GARDEN

Atmospheric lantern

Add some coziness with this nice lantern. Suitable for indoor and outdoor use. You will enjoy your summer evenings even more.

WHAT DO YOU NEED?

- Scheepjes Catona yarn: 75 g, Candlelight 101
- 2 metal rings Ø 10 cm
- 24 wooden beads Ø 10 mm
- Crochet ring Ø 39 mm
- 2.5 and 3.5 mm crochet hook
- Darning needle
- Scissors
- Measuring tape

THIS IS HOW YOU MAKE IT

Start with the 2.5 mm crochet hook.

BEADED STRING

Thread the yarn through a bead and tie 1-2 knots to prevent the bead from slipping. Make 1 sc around the end of the thread, make 15 ch and cut the yarn, leaving a long tail. Pull it through. The cords are joined while crocheting the 2nd ring with 4 sc spacing each time.

LANTERN

Crochet 96 sc around the metal ring **1**.

Rnd 1: 1 dc in each sc.

Rnd 2: dc2tog every 5th and 6th dc (= 80).

Rnd 3: dc2tog every 8th and 9th dc (= 72).

Rnd 4: 3 ch (= 1st dc in the entire pattern), 1 dc in the next 4 stitches, 1 ch, skip

1 stitch, *1 dc in the next 5 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*. Rep from *to*, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 5: continue with 1 sl st to the next stitch, 3 ch,

1 dc in the next 2 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *1 dc in the next 3 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*. Rep from *to*, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 6: continue with 1 sl st to the next stitch, 4 ch, skip 1 stitch, *1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 dc on the next dc, 1 dc in the next ch-space. 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* until the final 4 stitches, 1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 dc on the next dc, 1 dc in the next ch-space, 1 ch, skip the final stitch, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 7: 3 ch, 1 dc in the next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next 3 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch*, rep from *to* until the final 2 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 8: 3 ch, 1 dc in the next 2 stitches, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next 5 stitches*, rep from *to* until the final 3 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next 2 stitches, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 9: 3 ch, 1 dc in every stitch all around, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch. You now have 72 stitches.

Rnd 10: 3 ch, 1 dc in the next 2 stitches, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next 5 stitches*, rep from *to* until the final 3 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next 2 stitches, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 11: 3 ch, 1 dc in the next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, *1 dc in the next 3 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the 1-ch space*, rep from *to*, 1 dc in the final stitch, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 12: 4 ch, skip 1 stitch, *1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 dc on the next dc, 1 dc in the next 1-ch space, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch*, rep from *to* until the final 5 stitches, 1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 dc on the next dc, 1 dc in the next 1-ch space. 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch. »



PATTERN



Rnd 13: 3 ch, 1 dc in the 1-ch space, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the 1-ch space, 1 dc on the next dc, 1 dc in the next 1-ch space*, rep from *to* until the final 4 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 14: 3 ch, 1 dc in the next 2 stitches, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next

5 stitches*, rep from *to* until the final 3 stitches, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next 2 stitches, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch.

Rnd 15: 3 ch, 1 dc in every stitch all around, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch. You now have 72 dc.

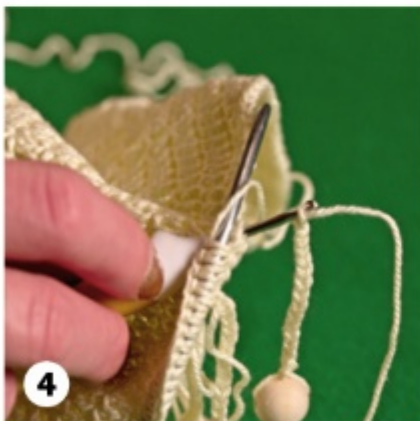
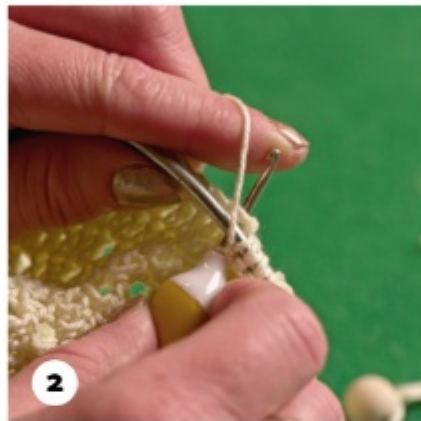
Rnd 16: rep Rnd 10-15 one more time.

Rnd 17: 3 ch, 1 dc in the next 6 stitches, 2 dc in the next stitch, *1 dc in the FL. 7 stitches, 2 dc in the next stitch*, rep

from *to* until the final 8 stitches, 1 dc in the final 8 stitches, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch (= 80).

Rnd 18: 3 ch, 1 dc in the next 4 stitches, 2 dc in the next stitch, *1 dc in the next 5 stitches, 2 dc in the next stitch*, rep from *to* 1 x, 1 dc in the next 6 stitches, rep from *to* 3 x, 1 dc into the next 6 stitches, join with 1 sl st in the 3rd ch of the starting ch (= 96).

Now crochet the 2nd ring to the lantern.



Make 1 ch, take the ring and crochet *1 sc in the next 3 stitches around the ring, take a beaded string and crochet this around the ring with 1 sc in the next stitch* **2** to **5**.

Rep from *to* until all stitches are crocheted and all the cords are included. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Now crochet 3 cords that are placed between the hanging ring and the lantern. Make sure to carefully read the description and take your time. The beginning is a bit tricky but once you get started, it goes smoothly.

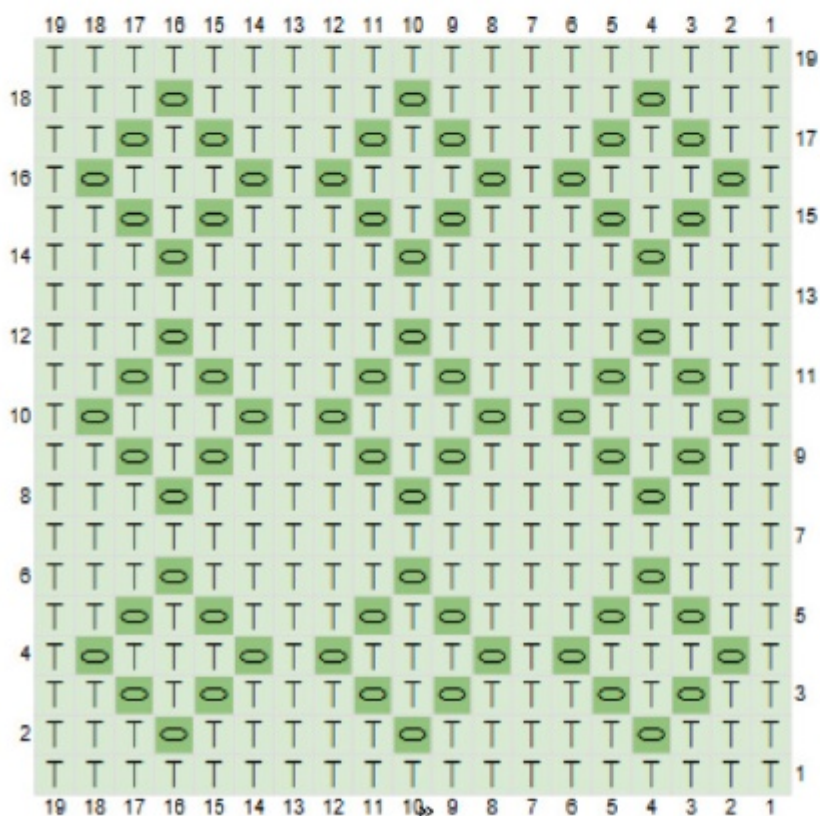
CORD

Make the cord, using the 3.5 mm crochet hook. Make a loop, leaving a long tail to attach the lantern later on.

Step 1: 2 ch, 1 sc in the 2nd ch from the hook, 1 sc in the loop of the sc **6** and **7** crochet 1 sc, turn the cord a quarter turn >>



CROCHET DIAGRAM



KEY TO SYMBOLS

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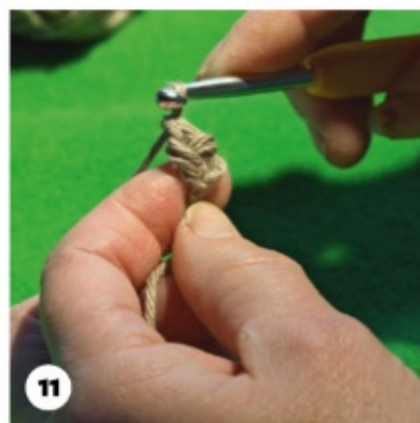
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away from you, insert into the loop that is now on top **8** and **9**, *yarn over and draw through 2 loops **10**, yarn over and draw through 2 loops*. Now you have 1 loop on the hook **11**. Rep from *to* until you have reached a length of 30 cm. Cut the yarn at a length of 10 cm and fasten off. Make 2 more in the same way.

Step 2: crochet around the crochet ring with sc. Attach the 3 cords to the crochet ring at 1 point and weave in the ends. Attach the 3 cords to the 10 cm Ø ring with 31 stitches between each. •

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GRANNY'S IN VARIOUS SHADES

PATTERN

COLORFUL TABLECLOTH

Have you never crocheted granny squares before? Then here's your chance to master it. The end result is a nice and practical tablecloth to be proud of.



WHAT DO YOU NEED?

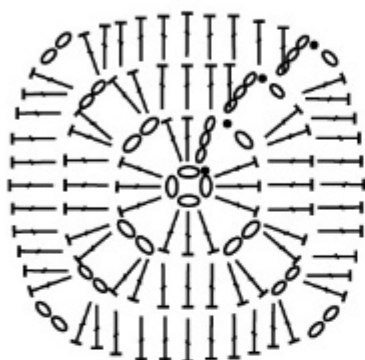
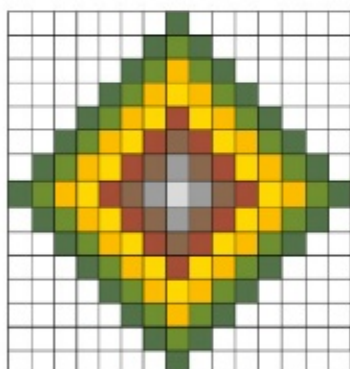
- Durable Coral yarn: 8 balls of Ivory 326, 3 balls of Lime 352, 2 balls each of Light Yellow 309, Bright Yellow 2180, Yellow Green 2146, 1 ball each of Linen 2212, Sand 2208, Camel 2209
- 2.5 mm crochet hook
- Blunt-tip needle
- Scissors

GRANNY SQUARE

Crochet according to the **pattern**.

Crochet 4 ch, join with 1 sl st to form a ring. 3 ch, 1 dc in final ch-space of the previous round, *1 dc on every dc, (2 dc, 2 ch, 2 dc) in the ch-space*, rep from *to* and finish in the final ch-space with 2 dc, 1 ch and 1 sl st in the 3 ch of the starting ch **1** to **3**.



PATTERN
KEY TO SYMBOLS

DIAGRAM

FINISHING

Following the **diagram**, join the granny squares together with the same yarn and weave in the ends. Start with the middle

granny square (i.e. in the center of the tablecloth). This creates a nice texture at the back so you can use the cloth both

on the right and the wrong side. • **Designer: Bérta van den Bedem, chanylou.nl**



SIMPLE AND STYLISH

Wrap cardigan

This is just the kind of cardigan you'll want to have. It's easy to wrap around you, it keeps you cozy on cool days, and on top of that, it's incredibly charming to look at.

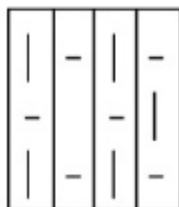
WHAT DO YOU NEED?

- 13 balls of Schachenmayr Baby Smiles Easy Cotton yarn
- 4 mm crochet hook
- Blunt-tip needle
- 4 buttons Ø 2 cm

MOSS STITCH

With this stitch, you alternate between 1 sc and 1 ch. In the next round the stitches shift, so you crochet 1 ch below the sc and 1 sc below the ch (**see diagram**).

Gauge swatch: 20 stitches x 20 rounds = 10 x 10 cm.



PICOTS

Crochet 1 ch, 1 hdc, 1 dc, 1 hdc in 1 sc, skip 1 sc, make another picot.

Attached **size chart** (see next page):
for a larger size, cast on 4 extra stitches
and for a smaller size, cast on 4 fewer
stitches. »





TIP!

Instead of buttons, you can also close the cardigan with ribbons.

SLEEVES (2 X)

Cast on 41 ch and start with 1 round of sc. Continue with rounds of 40 moss stitches up to a length of 6 cm. Increase 16 times every 2.5 cm on both sides (= 72 stitches). Do not increase in the final 6 cm. The length is now about 50 cm.

BACK PANEL

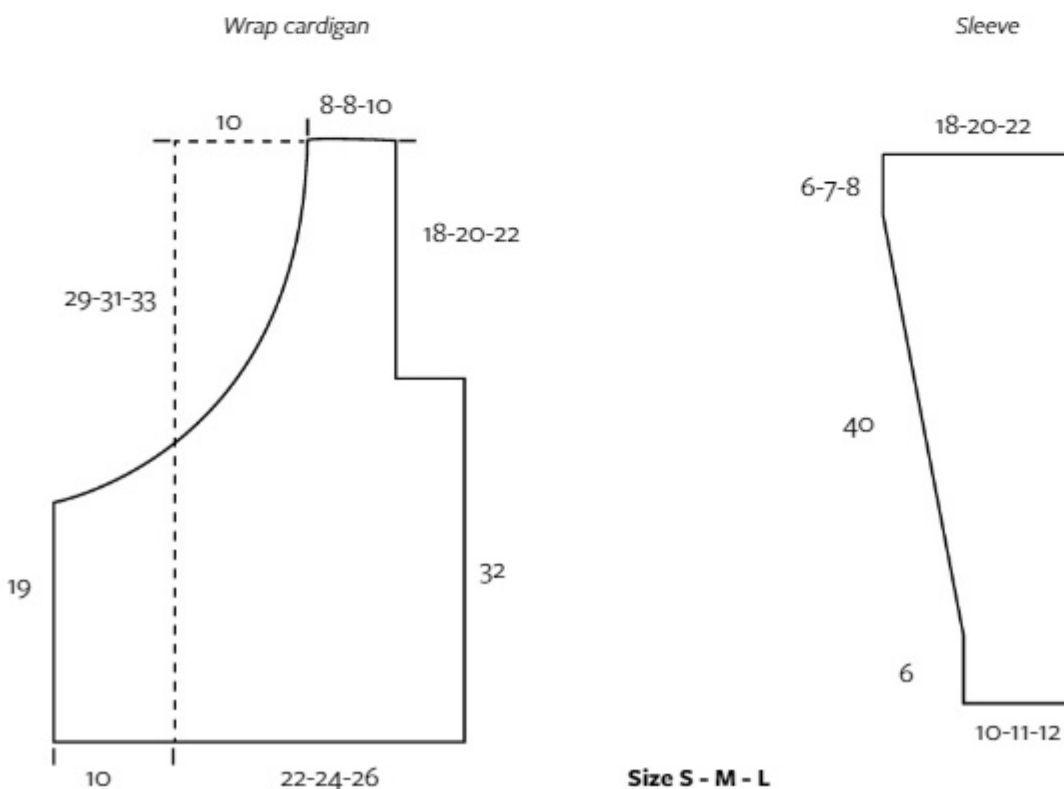
Cast on 89 ch, crochet 1 round of 88 sc. Continue with rounds of moss stitches up to a length of 35 cm. Decrease 12 stitches for the armhole and then continue crocheting for another 18 cm. The back panel measures about 50 cm now.

FRONT PANEL

Cast on 65 ch and crochet 1 round of sc across 64 stitches. Continue with rounds of moss stitches up to a length of 19 cm. Then decrease 36 x 1 stitch in every 2nd round. In the first 4 rounds decrease in each round, and then in every other round. At a length of 35 cm, decrease for the armhole. Continue until there are 16 stitches left for the shoulder. If your buttons are smaller than \varnothing 1.5 cm, you don't need to make buttonholes because they will fit into the holes of the crochet



PATTERN





work. Otherwise make the buttonholes in the right front panel. Crochet the second front panel in mirror image.

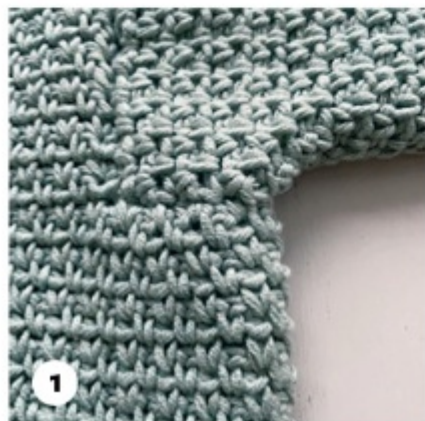
FINISHING

Sew the sleeves closed, but leave 6 cm open at the bottom. The seam of the

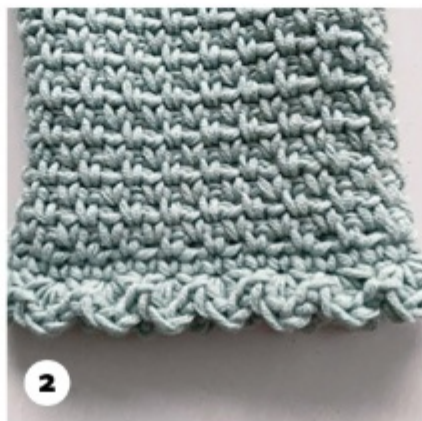
sleeves aligns with the side seam of the panels **1**. The part of the sleeve that remains open aligns with the bound-off stitches of the panels. Sew the panels and the shoulders together. Finally, crochet a border of picots along the sleeves and the bottom **2**.

Optionally, crochet a border of picots along the front edges. Keep in mind that this will make the front panel thicker and less flexible. Sew a button to the left front panel **3**. Weave in all ends. •

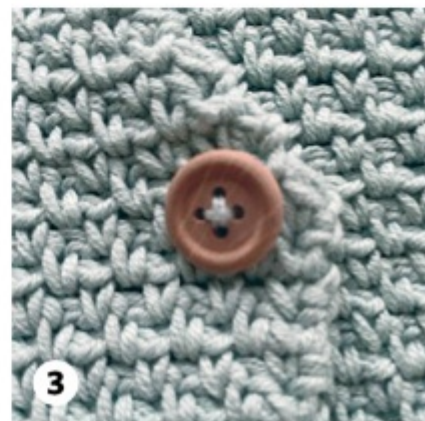
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FROM CAR TIRE TO HOME ACCESSORY

HASSOCK AND BASKETS

You wouldn't say, but the basis of this cool hassock really is a car tire. This is sustainable living and recycling at its best! You can also enjoy the hassock outdoors during beautiful summer evenings, for example as a side table.

WHAT DO YOU NEED?

HASSOCK

- Hooooked Ribbon XL Lurex yarn: 7 balls of Spicy Ocre
- 7-8 mm crochet hook
- Unfit or no longer usable car tire
- 4 swivel casters Ø 7,5 cm of which 2 with brake
- Screws 8 x 3,5 cm and 16 x 2 cm
- Wood sheet 65 x 125 cm, at least 10 mm thick
- Paint: Amsterdam Acrylic black
- Brush
- Jigsaw
- Measuring tape
- Scissors

BASKET

- Hooooked Ribbon XL Lurex yarn: 1 ball of a color of your choice
- 7 mm crochet hook







TIP!

If you prefer, a thicker sheet can be used. In that case you might have to crochet more rounds.

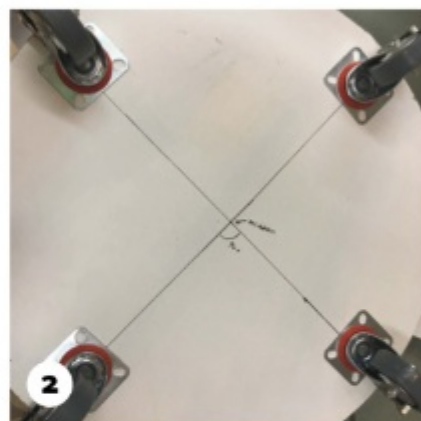
HASSOCK

The advice for the hook thickness on the ball of yarn is 10-12 mm but you're going to crochet it on the 7-8 mm hook to get the yarn tightly around the hassock. For the sheet, use old cabinet parts or an old shelf. Visit the sawmill department of a home improvement store, where you can sometimes buy wood sheets for a small price. Since this is a recycling project, we chose to use yarn made from recycled materials as well.

For the top of the hassock, join each round with 1 sl st in the 1st hdc. Start the next round with 2 ch (= 1st dc). The sides are crocheted in a spiral. This way you do not close the round, but you continue crocheting in the next round.

FRAME

Start by creating the frame for the car tire. The tire used in this project has a diameter of 60 cm and a height of 20 cm. If your tire has a different size, you may have to crochet less or more rounds. If you have reached the right diameter before Rnd 24, then continue crocheting from Rnd 25 according to the pattern, and keep on working with your own number of stitches per round. The height can also vary, due to the car tire and the thickness of the wood. So keep measuring throughout your work. Measure the diameter of the car tire and mark this size 2 x on a wooden sheet. With a jigsaw, saw 2 x the diameter **1**. From the center, mark a cross towards the sides and make sure every angle is at 90° **2**. At these 4 points, place the casters and screw them to the sheet **3**. Attach the sheets to the tire: one sheet on top and attach the one with the casters to the bottom.



It's OK to screw through the tire, as the tough rubber will prevent the screw from coming loose. Paint the sheet black and let it dry. Holes in the crocheted cover will not be visible due to the black surface **4**.

COVER

Rnd 1: make a MR and work 8 hdc into it, join with 1 sl st (= 8).

Rnd 2: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 1 hdc in 1st hdc, then 2 hdc in each hdc (= 16) **5**.

Rnd 3: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 1 hdc in the next hdc and 1 post stitch in the same hdc of Rnd 2. Rep 7 x *1 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc*, close with 1 sl st (= 24) **6**.

Rnd 4: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 1 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (2 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 32) **7**.

Rnd 5: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 2 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (3 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 40).

Rnd 6: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 3 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (4 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post

stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 48).

Rnd 7: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 4 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (5 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 56).

Rnd 8: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 5 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (6 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 64).

Rnd 9: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 6 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (7 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 72).

Rnd 10: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 7 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (8 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 80).

Rnd 11: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 8 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (9 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 88).

Rnd 12: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 9 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (10 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with

1 sl st (= 96).

Rnd 13: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 10 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (11 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 104).

Rnd 14: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 11 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (12 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 112).

Rnd 15: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 12 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (13 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 120).

Rnd 16: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 13 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (14 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 128).

Rnd 17: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 14 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (15 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 136).

Rnd 18: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 15 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (16 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 144). »





Rnd 19: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 16 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (17 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 152).

Rnd 20: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 17 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (18 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 160).

Rnd 21: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 18 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (19 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 168).

Rnd 22: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 19 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (20 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 176).

Rnd 23: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 20 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (21 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 184).

Rnd 24: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 21 hdc, 1 hdc with 1 post stitch in the same hdc. Rep 7 x (22 hdc, 1 hdc and 1 post stitch in post stitch from the previous round), join with 1 sl st (= 192).

Rnd 25: 1 ch, 192 sc in the BL, join with 1 sl st (= 192).

Rnd 26: 1 ch, 192 sc (not just in the BL). Continue crocheting in a spiral without joining with 1 sl st.

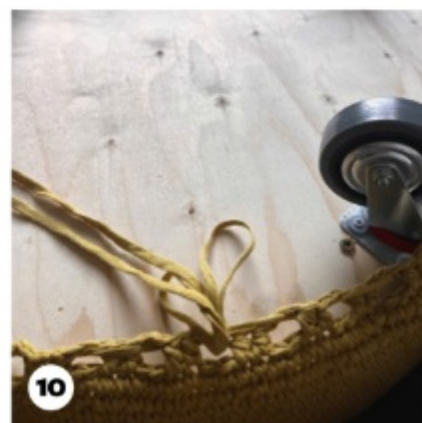
Rnds 27-44: 1 sc in each sc (= 192). Continue to measure. If you have reached the correct height before Rnd 44, then join the round with 1 sl st and continue crocheting according to the description of Rnd 46.

Rnd 45: 1 sc in each sc, join with 1 sl st (= 192).

Rnd 46: 2 ch (= 1st hdc), 1 hdc in the next sc, 2 ch, skip 2 sc, 1 hdc in the next sc (i.e. the 3rd from the final hdc), 1 hdc, 2 ch, skip 2 sc. Rep until the end of the round: (2 hdc, 2 ch, skip 2 sc), join with 1 sl st in the 1st hdc **8**.

Fasten off and weave in the ends. Cut about 1.5 m of yarn and thread it through the loops **9**.

Rnd 47: join yarn at Rnd 24 and crochet 1 sl st in the FL of all 192 sc. Close with 1 sl st in the 1st sl st and weave in the end (= 192). »



TIP!

Crochet these baskets in the colours of your choice and create unity in your decor.



FINISHING

Pull the cover over the frame and tighten the cord at the bottom to secure it. Join it with a shoelace knot. This way you can easily detach the cover again (for washing) **10**.

BASKET

From 1 ball of yarn you can make 3 baskets (depending on your tension).

Rnd 1: make a MR and work 6 sc into it (= 6).

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc (= 12).

Rnd 3: 2 sc in every 2nd sc (= 18).

Rnd 4: 2 sc in every 3rd sc (= 24).

Rnd 5: 2 sc in every 4th sc (= 30).

Rnds 6-11: 30 sc.

Rnd 12: sc2tog every 4th and 5th sc (= 24).

Rnd 13: 10 ch, 1 sc in the next sc, 23 sc.

Rnd 14: work 10 sc in the 10 ch, 1 sc in the next sc, end with 1 sl st. Fasten off.

ABOUT THE YARN

The nice thing about Hooooked yarn is that it's made of textile scraps that are sorted by color and made into a new yarn. By sorting the colors, this yarn doesn't need to be dyed which means a minimal impact on the environment. Be aware to buy enough yarn for a project at a time, because the color sorting process can cause significant color changes. So make sure you don't run out of yarn! •

Designer: Anja van Doremalen,
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FOR CHILLY DAYS

Poncho

Heading out on a chilly day or evening?
Then wrap this poncho around your shoulders
and you'll be warm!





WHAT DO YOU NEED?

- Novita Isoveli yarn: 6 balls of Sandbank 618 for a size up to 130 cm (size S/M) or
- 7 balls for a size up to 150 cm (size L/XL)
- 8 mm crochet hook
- 2 wooden buttons
Ø 25 or 30 mm
- Tapestry needle
- Scissors

THIS IS HOW YOU MAKE IT

The abbreviation FPtr = front post treble crochet.

PONCHO

Rnd 1: make a foundation of 60 sc or make a chain of 61 ch and crochet 1 sc in every ch. Start in the 2nd ch from the

TIP!

Instead of wooden buttons, you can also choose toggle buttons.



hook. With the first method, the bottom edge remains flexible and stretchy.

Rnd 2: 1 sc in every stitch.

Rnd 3: 3 ch, 1 dc in every stitch.

Rnd 4: as Rnd 2.

Rnd 5: 1 dc in the next 4 stitches, *1 FPtr around the 7th dc of 2 rounds below, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next stitch, 1 FPtr around the 5th dc of 2 rounds below, skip 1 stitch, 1 dc in the next 4 stitches*. Rep from *to* until end of the round.

Rnd 6: as Rnd 2. Crochet from Rnd 5 and 6 until you have a piece of 130 cm (size S/M) or 150 cm (size L/XL). Regularly wrap the piece around your shoulders to determine if you have reached the right size. Finished with the piece? Then crochet 1 round of 1 dc in every stitch and 1 round of 1 sc in every stitch.

FINISHING

Along one long side (front), crochet

1 round of dc and 1 round of sc. Fasten off and weave in the ends. Crochet 2 chains of 15 ch and join with 1 sl st to make a ring. These are the loops of the buttons. Wrap the poncho around your shoulders and determine the placement of the buttons. Sew the buttons in place. Attach the loops at the same point on the other side. ●

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DECORATE THEM WITH LITTLE FISH

'BY THE WATERSIDE' BASKETS

Cheerful baskets with fun fish. What's inside yours?
They're great as storage baskets, but also nice for plants.



WHAT DO YOU NEED?

- Durable Macramé yarn: 6 balls of Cream 2172, Taupe 340
- Durable Cotton 8 yarn: scraps of Taupe 340, Linen 2216
- 2.5, 4, 4.5 mm crochet hooks
- 22 cm MDF base
- Yarn needle
- Stitch markers
- Scissors

THIS IS HOW YOU MAKE IT

The large basket is 24 cm wide and 21 cm tall, including handles. The small taupe basket is 12.5 cm wide and 10 cm tall. The ecru basket is 9.5 cm wide and 8 cm tall. Crochet the rounds in a spiral and mark each round with a stitch marker or tie a thread at the end of the round, so you know when it's finished.

LARGE BASKET

Crochet 2 ch with Macramé Cream and the 4 mm crochet hook.

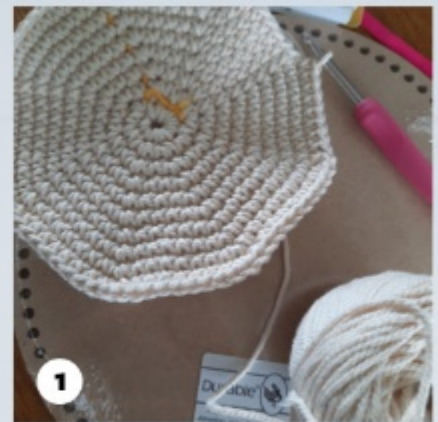
Rnd 1: 8 sc.

- Rnd 2:** 2 sc in every stitch (= 16).
Rnd 3: rep (1 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 24).
Rnd 4: rep (2 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 32).
Rnd 5: rep (3 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 40).
Rnd 6: rep (4 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 48).
Rnd 7: rep (5 sc, 2sc in 1 sc) (= 56).
Rnd 8: rep (6 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 64).
Rnd 9: rep (7 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 72).
Rnd 10: rep (8 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 80) **1**.
Rnd 11: rep (9 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 88).
Rnd 12: rep (10 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 96).
Rnd 13: rep (11 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 104).
Rnd 14: rep (12 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 112).
Rnd 15: rep (13 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 120).
Rnd 16: rep (14 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 128).
Rnd 17: 128 sc in the BL.
Rnds 18-47: 128 sc **2**.
Rnd 48: 25 sc, 16 ch, skip 14 sc, 50 sc, 16 ch, skip 14 sc, 15 sc.
Rnd 49: crochet sc around the chain (= 132).
Rnds 50 en 51: 132 sc.
 Fasten off **3**.

FINISHING

Cut 2 threads of about 30 cm Macramé yarn. Thread the yarn through a hole in the bottom and then back up through an adjacent hole and tie it closed. This way, you can remove the bottom when the basket needs to be washed **4**. »

Large basket



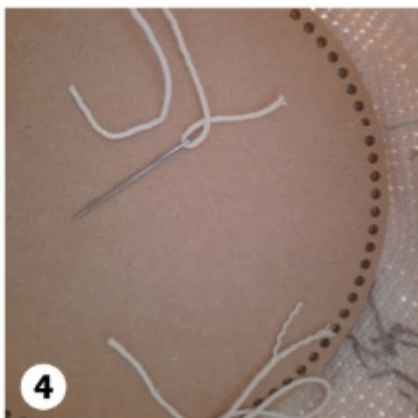


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Big round fish



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Long fish



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BIG ROUND FISH

Crochet 8 ch with Linen and the 2.5 mm crochet hook.

Rnd 1: 8 sc.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in every stitch (= 16).

Rnd 3: rep (1 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 24).

Rnd 4: rep (2 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 32).

Rnd 5: 4 sc, 2 ch, 1 tr, 1 dc, 2 hdc, 2 sc in 1 sc, 3 sc, 1 sc, 1 hdc, 3 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc, 1 sc, 2 ch in the next stitch, 1 sc, 3 sc, 2 sc in 1 stitch, 4 sc, 6 ch. Crochet in the 2nd ch from the hook: 2 dc, 2 hdc, 1 sc, and 1 sc in the 1st stitch after the final sc of the circle, 6 ch **5**, make 2 dc in the 2nd stitch from the hook, then 2 hdc, 1 sc, 1 sc in the same stitch of the final sc of the circle, 4 sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail **6**. Thread a yarn needle with color 2216 and attach it to the back side to make the eye.

Insert into the front and wrap the yarn 7 times around the needle, pull the needle through and insert into the back (= French knot). Fasten off **7** and **8**.

LONG FISH

Crochet a chain of 11 sc with Taupe 340 and the 2.5 mm crochet hook.

Rnd 1: 1 sc, 2 hdc, 2 dc, 1 tr, 2 dc, 2 hdc, 3 sc in the final stitch, continue at the other side of the chain and make 1 hdc, 2 dc, 1 tr, 2 dc, 2 hdc, 1 sc.

Rnd 2: 1 sc, crochet 2 sc in the 2nd sc from the point where 3 sc are made. For the tail, continue with 1 sc after the final sc, 7 ch **9**.

Starting from the 3rd stitch from the hook, make 2 dc, 2 hdc, 1 sc, 1 sc in the sc of the chain, 7 ch. From the 3rd stitch from the hook, make 2 dc, 2 hdc, 1 sc, 1 sc in the 1st sc from the beginning **10**.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail. With this thread, sew the fish onto the basket. Thread a needle with color 2216 and attach it to the back side to make the eye. Insert into the front and wrap the yarn 7 times around the needle, pull the needle through and insert into the back **11**. Fasten off.



WATERSIDE REEDS

Make a chain of 40 sc with Taupe 340 and the 2.5 mm crochet hook. Make 1 ch, 5 sc, 15 hdc, 15 dc, 5 tr. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Crochet another chain of 32 sc. Make 1 ch, 3 sl st, 9 sc, 10 hdc, 10 dc. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Sew the fish and the reeds onto the basket.

SMALL TAUPE BASKET

Crochet 2 ch with Macramé Cream and the 4 mm crochet hook.

Rnd 1: crochet 8 dc.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in every stitch (= 16).

Rnd 3: rep (1 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 24).

Rnd 4: rep (2 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 32).

Rnd 5: rep (3 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 40).

Rnd 6: rep (4 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 48).

Rnd 7: rep (5 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 56).

Rnd 8: rep (2 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 64).

Rnd 9: 64 sc in the BL.

Rnd 10: rep (1 sc, 1 ch, skip the underlying stitch), do not skip the final stitch at the end; this way you will increase 1 stitch.

Rnd 11-24: rep (crochet sc across the chain, 1 ch, skip the underlying sc. Fasten off.

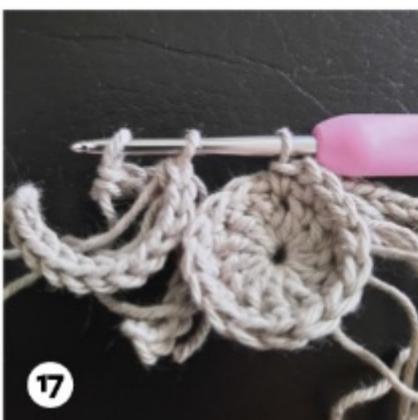
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Round fish





Squid



ROUND FISH

Crochet 4 ch with Linen and the 2.5 mm crochet hook.

Rnd 1: 1 dc in the 1st ch, make 10 more dc in the same stitch (the final 3 ch of the starting chain count as dc), join with 1 sl st (= 12).

Rnd 2: 5 ch, continue from the 3rd ch, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 hdc, 1 sc in the dc where the 5 ch are attached, 1 sc in next dc, 5 ch **12**, continue from the 3rd ch, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 hdc, 1 sc in 1st sc **13**, continue around the curve: 3 sc, 2 sc in 1 stitch, 1 sc 1 sc and 1 hdc in 1 stitch, 1 hdc, 1 sc, 5c in next stitch **14**. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Thread a yarn needle with color 340 and attach it to the back side to make the eye. Insert to the front and wrap the yarn 7 times around the needle **15**, pull the needle through and insert to the back (= French knot). Fasten off.



Base baskets

WATER PLANT

Crochet a chain of 29 sc with Linen. Make 1 ch, 2 sl st, 8 sc, 9 hdc, 10 dc. Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

FINISHING

Sew the fish and the plant onto the basket, letting some parts of the plant stick out.

SMALL ECRU BASKET

Crochet 2 ch with Macramé Cream and the 4 mm crochet hook and Macramé Cream.

Rnd 1: 8 sc.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in every stitch (= 16).

Rnd 3: rep (1 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 24).

Rnd 4: rep (2 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 32).

Rnd 5: rep (3 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 40).

Rnd 6: rep (4 sc, 2 sc in 1 sc) (= 48).

Rnd 7: 64 sc in the BL.

Rnds 8-17: crochet sc in the BL. Fasten off after Rnd 17.

SQUID

Crochet 4 chains of 12 sc with Taupe and the 2.5 mm crochet hook. Leave the loop hanging **16**. Make 4 ch.

Rnd 1: 1 dc in the 1st ch, make 10 more dc in the same stitch (the final 3 ch of the starting chain count as dc), join with 1 sl st (= 12).

Rnd 2: (3 sc, 2 sc in 1 stitch), rep 2 x. Crochet 1 sc, put 2 loops of 2 sc chains around the hook and pull up a thread, crochet 1 sc and pull the other 2 loops of the sc chains around the hook **17**, make 1 sc, fasten off.

EYE

Thread a yarn needle with Linen and attach it to the backside. Insert into the front. Wrap the yarn 7 x around the needle. Insert into the back **18**. Fasten off.

WATER PLANT

Make a chain of 25 sc with Taupe and the 2.5 mm crochet hook. Make 1 ch, 3 sl st, 6 sc, 9 hdc, 7 dc. Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

FINISHING

Sew the fish and the plant onto the basket, letting some parts of the plant stick out. •

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GET YOUR CAMPSITE READY

CAMPING PLAYSET

Every child who likes to play with little figures will be so excited because with this playset they can go camping for hours. With little figures in the tent, sleeping bags, and a campfire they will enjoy playing with this set.



WHAT DO YOU NEED?

- Cotton yarn suitable for 2 - 2.5 mm crochet hook, e.g. Drops Safran Soft Yellow 10 (A), Sage Green 04 (B), Beige 21 (C), Natural 18 (D), Mint 50 (E), Dark Brown 22 (F)
- 2 mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Fiberfill stuffing
- Wood glue
- Fine brush
- 50 cm plastic-coated garden wire or electrical wire
- 2 sandwich bags
- 80 g. of rice
- LED tea light



THIS IS HOW YOU MAKE IT

To prevent the tent from sagging, put some wood glue on the inside of the tent cloth to make it sturdier. The trees will stay upright when you stuff them with fiberfill and place a small bag of rice at the bottom.

TENT

Cut 30 cm of electrical wire or plastic-coated garden wire. Bend it into an equilateral triangle. Cut another 20 cm of wire, sew it to the tent cloth and bend the wire into a two-legged triangle.

TENT CLOTH

Crochet one tent cloth with Soft Yellow and one with mint. So crochet the tent cloth twice if you like to make 2 tents.

Rnd 1: crochet 34 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, make 33 sc (= 33).

Rnds 2-52: 1 ch, turn, 33 sc (= 33). Fasten off.

TENT BACK (2 X)

Crochet one back with Mint and the other with Sage Green.

Rnd 1: crochet 23 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook (= 22).

Rnd 2: 1 ch, turn, 22 sc (= 22).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 21 sc (= 21).

Rnd 4: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 20 sc (= 20).

Rnd 5: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 19 sc (= 19).

Rnd 6: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 18 sc (= 18).

Rnd 7: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 17 sc (= 17).

Rnd 8: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 16 sc (= 16).

Rnd 9: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 15 sc (= 15).

Rnd 10: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 14 sc (= 14).

Rnd 11: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 13 sc (= 13).

Rnd 12: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 12 sc (= 12).

Rnd 13: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 11 sc (= 11).

Rnd 14: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 10 sc (= 10).

Rnd 15: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnd 16: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 8 sc (= 8).

Rnd 17: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 7 sc (= 7).

Rnd 18: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 6 sc (= 6).

Rnd 19: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 5 sc (= 5).

Rnd 20: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 4 sc (= 4).

Rnd 21: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 3 sc (= 3).

Rnd 22: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 2 sc (= 2).

Rnd 23: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 2 sc in the final stitch, you're now around the corner. Crochet 1 round sc across the triangle, join with 1 sl st in the 1st stitch. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. »



TENT FRONT (2 X)

Crochet one front with mint and the other with Sage Green.

Rnd 1: 12 ch, 11 sc (= 11).

Rnd 2: 1 ch, turn, 11 sc (= 11).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 10 sc (= 10).

Rnd 4: 1 ch, turn, 10 sc (= 10).

Rnd 5: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnd 6: 1 ch, turn, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnd 7: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 8 sc (= 8).

Rnd 8: 1 ch, turn, 8 sc (= 8).

Rnd 9: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 7 sc (= 7).

Rnd 10: 1 ch, turn, 7 sc (= 7).

Rnd 11: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 6 sc (= 6).

Rnd 12: 1 ch, turn, 6 sc (= 6).

Rnd 13: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 5 sc (= 5).

Rnd 14: 1 ch, turn, 5 sc (= 5).

Rnd 15: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 4 sc (= 4).

Rnd 16: 1 ch, turn, 4 sc (= 4).

Rnd 17: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 3 sc (= 3).

Rnd 18: 1 ch, turn, 3 sc (= 3).

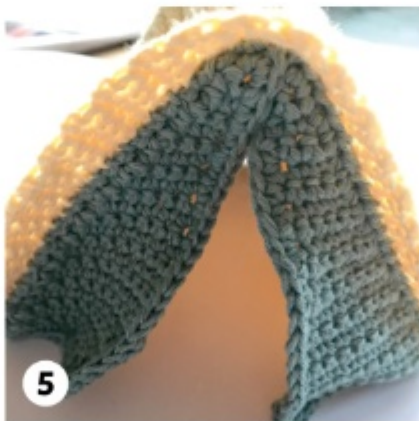
Rnd 19: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 2 sc (= 2).

Rnd 20: 1 ch, turn, 2 sc (= 2).

Rnd 21: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 2 sc in the final stitch. You're around the corner now. Crochet 1 round sc across the right-angled triangle, join with 1 sl st in the 1st stitch and fasten off. Leave a long tail. Embroider a little sign on one front of the tent if you like. Make a square with 4 stitches and make 1 stitch out from the center.

FINISHING

Sew the triangle of wire onto the back of the tent **1**. Place the center of the tent cloth on the tip of the back and sew the back onto the tent cloth **2**. Sew the 20 cm wire at 2 cm from the front into the tent cloth **3**. Bend it into a two-legged triangle **4**. Place the tent upright and sew the front edges into the tent cloth, just in front of the two-legged triangle **5**. Coat the inside of the tent cloth (not the front and back) with wood glue. Let the 1st half dry before coating the 2nd half. Lay both sides on a flat surface to dry.





TREE (2 X)

Crochet the trunks of the trees with dark brown and the leaves with sage green. Crochet in a spiral and don't join the rounds, unless indicated otherwise. Always insert a stitch marker into the 1st stitch.

BOBBLE

To make a bobble, *insert the hook in the respective stitch, pull a loop, yarn over, pull through 2 loops*. Rep from *to* 3 x total, yarn over, pull through all loops. In the next round, crochet 1 sc on top of the bobble.

Rnd 1: make a MR and work 4 sc into it (= 4).

Rnd 2: 2 x (1 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 6).

Rnd 3: 3 x (1 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 9).

Rnd 4: 3 x (1 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 1 sc) (= 12).

Rnd 5: 3 x (3 sc, 1 bobble) (= 12).

Rnd 6: 3 x (3 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 15).

Rnd 7: 15 sc.

Rnd 8: 3 x (2 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 2 sc) (= 18).

Rnd 9: 1 sc, 1 bobble, 4 sc, 1 bobble, 5 sc, 1 bobble, 3 sc, 1 bobble, 1 sc (= 18).

Rnd 10: 3 x (5 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 21).

Rnd 11: 21 sc.

Rnd 12: 3 x (3 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 3 sc) (= 24).

Rnd 13: 3 sc, 1 bobble, 4 sc, 1 bobble, 5 sc, 1 bobble, 5 sc, 1 bobble, 3 sc (= 24).

Rnd 14: 3 x (7 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 27).

Rnd 15: 27 sc.

Rnd 16: 3 x (4 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 4 sc) (= 30).

Rnd 17: 1 bobble, 5 sc, 1 bobble, 6 sc, 1 bobble, 4 sc, 1 bobble, 3 sc, 1 bobble, 3 sc, 1 bobble, 3 sc (= 30).

Rnd 18: 3 x (9 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 33).

Rnd 19: 33 sc.

Rnd 20: 3 x (5 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 5 sc) (= 36).

Rnd 21: 5 x (6 sc, 1 bobble), 1 sc (= 36).

Rnd 22: 36 sc.

Rnd 23: 3 x (11 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 39).

Rnd 24: 39 sc.

Rnd 25: 3 sc, 4 x (1 bobble, 7 sc), 1 bobble, 3 sc (= 39).

Rnd 26: 39 sc.

Rnd 27: 3 x (6 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 6 sc) (= 42).

Rnd 28: 42 sc.

Rnd 29: 2 sc, 1 bobble, 5 sc, 1 bobble, 7 sc, 1 bobble, 8 sc, 1 bobble, 7 sc, 1 bobble, 8 sc (= 42).

Rnd 30: 42 sc.

Rnd 31: 3 x (13 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 45).

Rnd 32: 1 sc, 1 bobble, 4 sc, 1 bobble, 6 sc, 1 bobble, 7 sc, 1 bobble, 8 sc, 1 bobble, 8 sc, 1 bobble, 5 sc (= 45).

Rnds 33-35: 45 sc. Stuff the tree **6**.

Rnd 36: change to Dark Brown, work 45 sc in the BL.

Rnd 37: 9 x (3 sc, sc2tog) (= 36).

Rnd 38: 9 x (2 sc, sc2tog) (= 27). Fill a sandwich bag with 40 g. of rice, tie it up and put it in the bottom of the tree.

Rnd 39: 9 x (1 sc, sc2tog) (= 18).

Rnd 40: 9 x (sc2tog) (= 9). Continue to stuff the tree with fiberfill.

Rnd 41: Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

Thread it through the 9 stitches and pull tightly, fasten off **7**.

CAMPFIRE BASE

Rnd 1: using Dark Brown, crochet 8 ch, join with 1 sl st in the 1st ch to form a ring (= 8).

Rnd 2: 12 sc across the ring (= 12).

Rnd 3: 6 x (1 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 18).

Rnd 4: 6 x (1 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 1 sc) (= 24).

Rnd 5: 4 x (5 sc, 2 sc in next stitch) (= 28).

Rnd 6: 28 sc.

Rnds 7-10: 28 sc, fasten off.

WOOD CHUNKS A (2 X)

Rnd 1: using Dark Brown, start in the 2nd ch from the hook and crochet 10 ch, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnd 2: 1 ch, turn, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnds 3-7: 1 ch, turn, 9 sc (= 9), fasten off, leaving a long tail. Roll up in the direction of the rounds and secure with small stitches.

WOOD CHUNKS B (2 X)

Rnd 1: using Beige, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook and crochet 9 ch, 8 sc (= 8 sc).

Rnd 2: 1 ch, turn, 8 sc (= 8).

Rnds 3 and 4: 1 ch, turn, 8 sc (= 8).

Rnd 5: change to Dark Brown, 1 ch, turn, 8 sc (= 8).

Rnds 6-13: 1 ch, turn, 8 sc (= 8), fasten off, leaving a long tail. Roll up in the direction of the rounds and secure with small stitches. »



WOOD CHUNKS C (4 X)

Rnd 1: using Beige, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook and crochet 10 ch, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnd 2: 1 ch, turn, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnds 3 and 4: 1 ch, turn, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnd 5: change to Dark Brown, 1 ch, turn, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnds 6-15: 1 ch, turn, 9 sc (= 9), fasten off, leaving a long tail. Roll up in the direction of the rounds and secure with small stitches.

FINISHING CAMPFIRE

Place the base around the LED tea light, with the 1st round around the bulb. Glue it fixed if you want to. Sew the chunks A and B on top of the base, slightly overlapping each other. Sew the chunks C to the side of the base **8**.



HAMMOCK

Rnd 1: using Dark Brown, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook and crochet 30 ch, 29 sc (= 29).

Rnds 2 and 3: 1 ch, turn, 29 sc (= 29).

Rnd 4 and 5: change to Natural, 1 ch, turn, 29 sc (= 29).

Rnds 6-8: change to Dark Brown, 1 ch, turn, 29 sc (= 29).

Rnds 9 and 10: change to Natural, 1 ch, turn, 29 sc (= 29).

Rnds 11-13: change to Dark Brown, 1 ch, 29 sc (= 29).

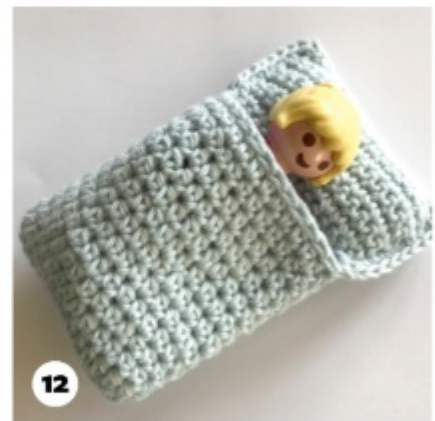
Rnds 14 and 15: change to Natural, 1 ch, turn, 29 sc (= 29).

Rnds 16-18: change to Dark Brown, 1 ch, turn, 29 sc (= 29). Fasten off and weave in the ends.

Rnd 19: join Natural to a short side, crochet 1 round sc.

Rnd 20: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, 15 sc, skip 7 stitches, 2 sc, 15 ch, skip 7 stitches, 1 sc, fasten off.

Rnd 22: rep Rnds 19 and 20 at the other short side. Fasten off **9**.





FINISHING

With Natural, crochet 2 chains of 80 ch. Thread each chain through the 2 loops on the sides. Tie them around the top of a tree and tie a small knot at the back of the tree.

MAT

Crochet the mat with color B, D and F.

Rnd 1: with Sage Green, crochet 18 ch, 17 sc (= 17).

Rnd 2: 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sc*, rep from *to* to the end of the round (= 17).

Rnd 3: change to Natural, 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, 1 sc in the next stitch, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sc*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 sc (= 17).

Rnd 4: change to Dark Brown, 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sc*, rep from *to* to the end of the round (= 17).

Rnd 5: change to Sage Green, 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, 1 sc in the next stitch, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sc*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 sc (= 17).

Rnd 6: change to Natural, 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sc*, rep from *to* to the end of the round (= 17).

Rnd 7: change to Dark Brown, 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, 1 sc in the next stitch, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sc*, rep from *to* to the end of the round, finish with 2 sc (= 17).

Rnds 8-28 rep Rnd 2-7 until you have 28 rounds (= 17).

Rnd 29: with Sage Green, crochet 1 ch, turn, 1 sc, *1 ch, skip 1 stitch, 1 sc*, rep from *to* to the end of the round (= 17).

Rnd 30: 1 ch, turn, sc 1 round (= 17), fasten off 10.

SLEEPING BAG WITH PILLOW (2 X)

Rnd 1: with Mint, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook and crochet 15 ch, 13 hdc, 3 hdc in the final stitch (you're now around the corner), 12 hdc, 2 hdc in the final stitch (= 30). Do not join the round, but crochet in a spiral.

Rnds 2-13: 30 hdc.

Rnd 14: 14 sl st, 16 sc (= 30).

Rnds 15-31: 1 ch, turn, 16 sc (= 16). Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Fold the narrow part towards the back, secure it just below the 1st round of sc. Close one side with sc and stuff the pillow. Close the other side of the cushion. Fasten off and weave in 11 all ends 12.

TIP!

Teach kids to crochet, they will love making their own toys!

FLAG LINE

Make 2 flags each of Soft Yellow, Sage Green, Mint and Dark Brown.

FLAG

Rnd 1: 10 ch, starting in the 2nd ch from the hook, 9 sc (= 9).

Rnd 2: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 8 sc (= 8).

Rnd 3: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 7 sc (= 7).

Rnd 4: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 6 sc (= 6).

Rnd 5: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 5 sc (= 5).

Rnd 6: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 4 sc (= 4).

Rnd 7: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 3 sc (= 3).

Rnd 8: 1 ch, turn, skip the 1st stitch, 2 sc (= 2). Fasten off and weave in the ends.

FINISHING

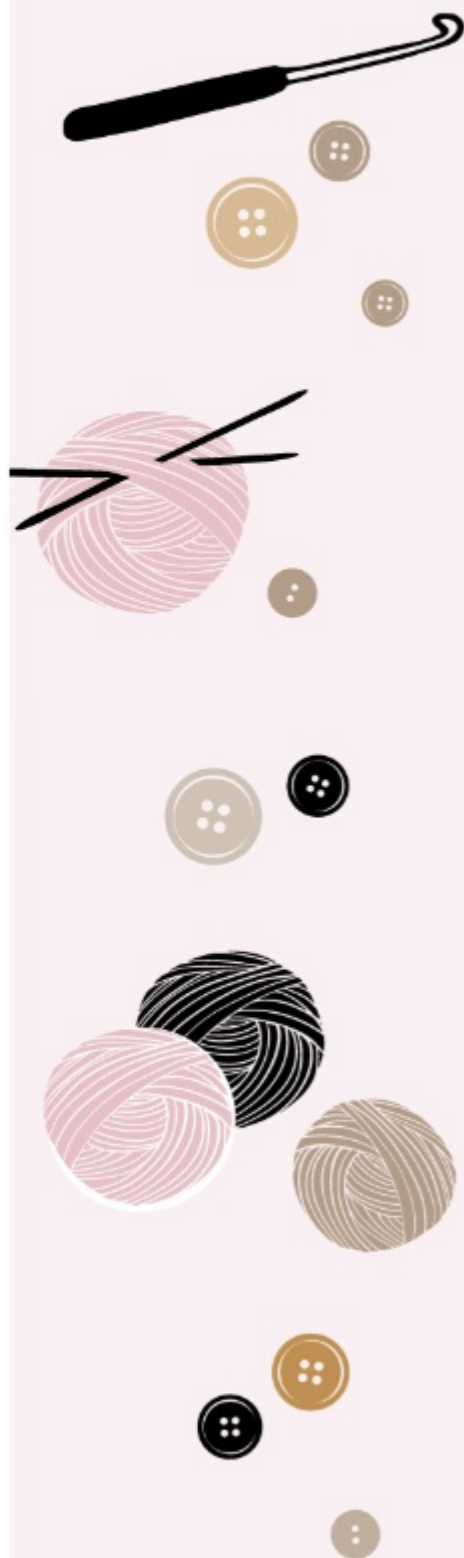
With Natural, crochet 25 ch, 9 sc above a flag, *3 ch, 9 sc above a flag*, rep from *to*, until you have crocheted along all flags, 25 ch 13. Fasten off. Attach the flag line between the 2 tents by pulling each end of a line through the top of a front canopy 14. •

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CROCHET HOOK SIZES

Metric (mm)	UK	US
0.60		14
0.75		12
1		11
1.25		7
1.50		6
1.75		5
2	14	
2.25		B-1
2.5	12	
2.75		C-2
3	10	
3.125 mm		D
3.25		D-3
3.5	9	E-4
3.75		F-5
4	8	G-6
4.25		G
4.5	7	7
5	6	H-8
5.5	5	I-9
5.75		J
6	4	J-10
6.5	3	K-10 1/2
7	2	
8	0	L-11
9	00	M/N-13
10	000	N/P-15
11.5		P-16
12		
15		P/Q





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