

CROCHET BASKETS

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Finished size: Large basket 26x25 cm, small basket 20x15 cm (diameter x height)

Yarn: Lilli tube yarn (80 % recycled CO, 20 % other fibres, appr. 1 kg = appr. 220 m), 1 kg for the large basket, 500 g for the small basket

Hook: nr 8 (US L/11)

Instructions: Baskets are crocheted in one piece with sc:s. Wind yarn into balls. Always close row with slst.



Large basket:

Ch 5, close into loop with slst.

Row 1: Ch 2, 9 sc into loop = 10 sc.

Row 2: Ch 2, 2 sc into each st = 20 sc.

Row 3: Ch 2, *2 sc to same sc, 1 sc*, repeat = 30 sc.

Row 4: Ch 2, *2 sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat = 40 sc.

Row 5: Ch 2, *2 sc to same sc, 3 sc* repeat = 50 sc.

Row 6: Ch 2, *4 sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat = 60 sc.

Row 7: Ch 2, *2 sc to same sc, 5 sc*, repeat = 70sc. The bottom of the basket is now ready.

Row 8: Ch 2, 69 sc through back loop (=lower edge of basket).

Rows 9-18: Ch 2, 1 sc to each sc.

Row 19: Ch 1, *25 sc, ch 10, skip 10*, repeat *-* once more.

Row 20: Ch 2, *25 sc, 15 sc to ch-loop (=basket handle)*, repeat *-* once more. Cut and finish off yarn.

Small basket:

Ch 5, close into loop with slst.

Row 1: Ch 2, 9 sc into loop = 10 sc.

Row 2: Ch 2, 2 sc into each st = 20 sc.

Row 3: Ch 2, *2 sc to same sc, 1 sc*, repeat = 30 sc.

Row 4: Ch 2, *2 sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat = 40 sc.

Row 5: Ch 2, *2 sc to same sc, 3 sc* repeat = 50 sc.

Row 6: Ch 2, 49 sc through back loop (=lower edge of basket).

Rows 7-11: Ch 2, 1 sc to each sc.

Row 12: Ch 1, *18sc, ch 7, skip 7*, repeat *-* once more.

Row 13: Ch 2, *18sc, 12 sc to ch-loop (=basket handle)*, repeat *-* once more. Cut and finish off yarn.

Finishing: Crochet slst:s from the outside of the basket to the underside of the handles to strengthen them. Finish off yarn.

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