ANEMONE WALL HANGING

Design: Lankava, Molla Mills. **Size:** W. 75 cm, I. 116 cm.

Yarn: Lankava Mini Tube Yarn (80 % recycled CO, 20 % PES, 1 kg = 355 m) 1,1 kg natural white (2), 0,7 kg baby pink (29), 0,5 kg burnt orange (8), 85 g black

(20).

Hook: 5 and 6 mm or size to obtain gauge. **Other supplies:** 30x2 mm aluminium strip 73 cm, hollow aluminium curtain rod 75 cm (diameter ca. 8

mm) and strong fishing line.

Gauge: 12 sc x 11 rows = 10 x 10 cm.

Info: The wall hanging is worked back and forth in single crochet stitches, carrying the other yarns inside the stitches throughout the work (excluding the black yarn). Make sure not to pull the carry-on yarns too tight, keep them loose. Leave the carry-on yarns one stitch from the end of each row at the backside of the work to make sure the yarn loops will not show on the right side of the work. Change the color of the yarn in the last yarn over of the stitch. When running out of yarn in the middle of the work, crochet the new yarn together with the stitches for about 20 cm, then change to the new yarn, and weave in about 20 cm of the tails.

Abbreviations: Ch = chain stitch, st = stitch, sc = single crochet stitch (Am.), sl st = slip stitch.

Start: Work 91 chain stitches in natural white yarn to begin, leave a 6 m long yarn tail for the slip stitch row.

Row 1. Work 1 sc in the second st from the hook, grab the pink and orange yarns in the work. Work 1 sc in each chain st (90 sts). Leave the carry-on yarns one st from the end at the backside of the work

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Row 5. Work 1 ch, turn, work 47 sc in natural white yarn, change to orange yarn in the last yoh, work 6 sc, change-back to natural white yarn and work 1 sc in each st until the end of the row (37 sc).

Rows 6.-24. Work 1 ch to begin each row, turn, and grab the carry-on yarns in the work. Work the rows according to the pattern chart.

Row 25. Work 1 ch, turn, work 8 sc in natural white yarn, change to pink yarn in the last yoh, work 17 sc. Grab the black yarn in the work, work 7 sc, change to pink yarn leaving the black yarn in the backside of the work. Follow the pattern chart.

Row 26. Follow the pattern chart. When you reach the black part, change to black yarn, work 10 sc and leave the yarn in the backside of the work. Continue crocheting according to the pattern chart. Work altogether 128 rows. The last 6 rows are worked in natural white yarn.

Foldings: Work with smaller hook. **Row 1:** 1 ch in natural white yarn into each st and in the end 1 ch, turn. Repeat Row 1 until the folding is wide enough to allow enough space for the aluminium strip. Leave a long enough yarn tail for sewing the folding in place. Work a similar folding to the lower edge.

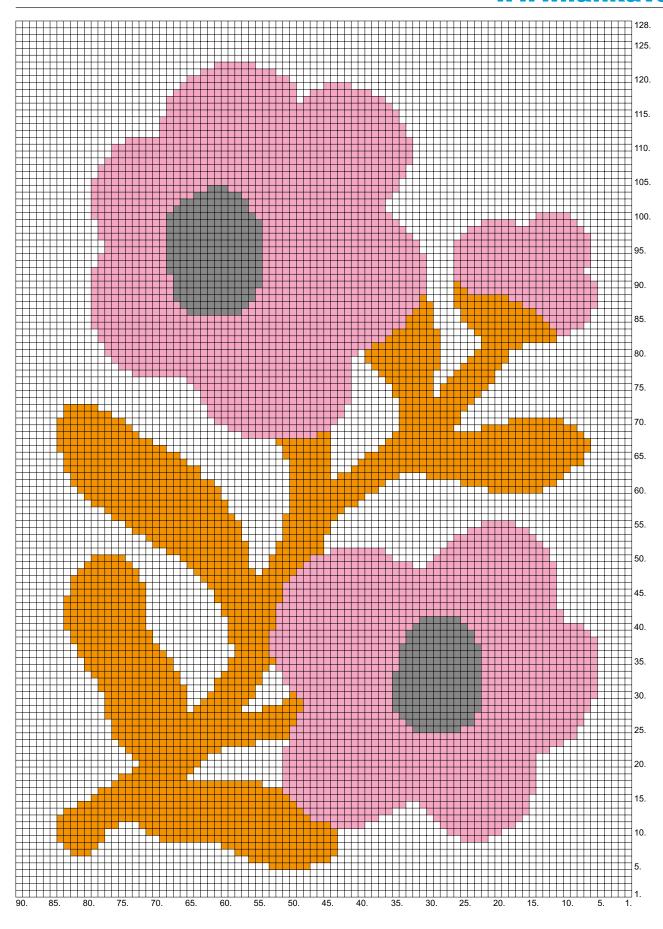
Finishing: Sew the foldings in place on the wrong side of the work using the loose tails of yarn. Insert the strip inside the bottom folding and the curtain rod inside the top folding. Thread the fishing line through the curtain rod, tie the ends firmly and then transfer the knot inside the curtain rod. Cut yarns and weave in ends.





Rows 3.-4. Work as for row 2.

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- = 1 single crochet stich, natural white
- = 1 single crochet stich, burnt orange
- = 1 single crochet stich, baby pink
- = 1 single crochet stich, black