



It's Just a Crochet Basket

Instructions

8 hdc in magic circle. Work as spiral. Marking 1st stitch with locking stitch marker and move marker to 1st stitch of each consecutive round.

Round 1: 2 Hdc in each st. (16 sts)

Round 2: *1 Hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next st; repeat from * to end of round. (24 sts)

Round 3: *1 Hdc in next 2 sts, 2 hdc in next st; repeat from * to end of round. (32 sts)

Round 4: *1 Hdc in next 3 sts, 2 hdc in the next st; repeat from * to end of round. (40 sts)

Round 5: *1 Hdc in next 4 sts, 2 hdc in the next st; repeat from * to end of round. (48 sts)

Round 6: Sc in the back third loop of each hdc. (48sts)

Round 7: *Sc in next sc, ch 1, skip next sc, Repeat from * around ending round with a ch 1 (24 SC, 24 ch 1 spaces).

Round 8+: *Skip 1st Sc, SC in next ch 1 space, ch 1, repeat from * around.

Continue working rounds until basket is desired height. Ours is 16 rounds tall. On last round, end with a sc and then slip stitch into first SC of round. Do not fasten off. To make loop ch 9, turn and slip stitch in 2nd chain from hook and in each remaining chains (8 slip stitches). Going through the free end of the loop, slip stitch into the first sc again to close loop and then fasten off. Attach button to outside of basket opposite of the loop.



Materials

Yarn: 1 skein Berroco Macro;
112yd/250g or other Jumbo Yarn
Color shown Snowy Owl Eyes (yellow)

Hook: 12 mm

Gauge and Size

8 stitches in Linen Stitch x 10 rows
=4 inches

7.5" tall x 8" Diameter

Abbreviations

Ch = Chain

HDC = Half Double Crochet

Sl St = Slip Stitch

SC = Single Crochet

St(s) = Stitch(Stitches)

