



SCHWEBD-W9942

Easter basket



Recommended Yarn

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v.1

Crochet

Beginner



SIZE

Approx. 18 cm in diameter and 8 cm high

MATERIALVERBRAUCH

Schachenmayr Catania, 50 g ball

Color 00389 (spring green)	ball	1
Color 00245 (anise)	ball	1
Color 00253 (jade)	ball	1
Color 00385 (mint)	ball	1

Yarn amounts are approximate. Make sure to purchase enough of the same dye lot in order to complete your project.

More Yarn
Information

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NEEDLES AND TOOLS

Size 3 mm crochet hook

Flower buttons by Dill, 20 mm Ø, 2 each in green [item 281002], yellow-green [item 281003], yellow [item 281007], light blue [item 280957] and 1 in pale yellow [item 281008].

Tapestry needle

GAUGE

Double crochet in rnds: 3 rnds = 6 cm in diameter.

Take time to check your gauge. If you have too many stitches and rows, switch to larger hook. If you have too few stitches and rows, switch to smaller hook.

THE BASICS

Main pattern: Work dc in a continuous spiral without working a chain at beg of rnd or a slip st at end of rnd. Make sure to place beg of rnd marker.

Chart for eggs:

Beg rnds with ch1 (count as 1 sc), join rnds with a sl st in first ch. Work rnds 1 – 3 once.

INSTRUCTIONS

Outside of bottom

With jade, ch2, sl st to first ch to form ring.

Rnd 1: Ch1, 1 sc, 1 hdc, 13 dc into ring = 15 sts.

Rnd 2: 2 dc in each st around = 30 dc.

Rnd 3: * 1 dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc; rep from * around = 45 dc.

Rnd 4: 2 dc in next dc, * 1 dc in each of next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc; rep from * around, end 1 dc in each of next 2 dc = 60 dc.

Rnd 5: * 1 dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 dc in next dc; rep from * around = 75 dc.

Rnd 6: 1 dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, * 1 dc in each of next 4 dc, 2 dc in next dc; rep from * around, end 1 dc in each of next 3 dc = 90 dc.

Rnd 7: 1 dc in each of next 4 dc, 2 dc in next dc, * 1 dc in each of next 5 dc, 2 dc in next dc; rep from * around, end 1 dc in next dc = 105 dc.

Rnd 8: 2 dc in next dc; * 1 dc in each of next 6 dc, 2 dc in next dc; rep from * around, end 1 dc in each of next 6 dc = 120 dc.

Rnd 9: 1 dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 dc in next dc, * 1 dc in each of next 7 dc, 2 dc in next dc; rep from * around, end 1 dc in next dc, 1 hdc in each of next 3 dc = 135 sts.

Rnd 10: 1 sc in each st around, sl st to first sc.

Cut yarn and fasten off.

Inside of bottom

With spring green, work same as for outside of bottom. Do not cut yarn, do not fasten off.

Side of basket

Beg rnds with ch1 (count as 1 sc).

Rnd 1: 1 sc in each st around, working under back loop only, 2 sc in each 27th st 5 times, sl st to first ch = 140 sc.

Rnds 2 – 11: 1 sc in each sc around. Turn after each rnd.

Rnd 12: With anise, 1 sl st in sc around, working under back loop only.

Cut yarn and fasten off.

Eggs

Work according to chart.

Work 3 eggs each with anise, jade and mint.

Ch9 + ch1. Working first sc in 2nd ch from hook, work rnds 1 – 3 of chart, end rnd 3 with a sc in sl st on rnd below.

Cut yarn and fasten off.

Thread tapestry needle with yarn tail. Insert tapestry needle from front to back in first st at beg of rnd, pull yarn through. Insert tapestry needle from the top in last st, pull yarn through and carefully weave in end.

FINISHING

Carefully weave in all ends.

Arrange eggs evenly and baste to side of basket. Sew eggs to basket with backstitch, working between rnds 2 and 3.

With wrong sides facing and right sides facing out, join outside of bottom to inside of bottom with a rnd of sl st, working under 1 loop on inside of bottom, 2 loops on outside of bottom.

Cut yarn and fasten off.

Sew one button to each egg as foll:

Yellow buttons to 2 of the jade eggs, 1 pale yellow button to remaining jade egg.

Yellow-green buttons to 2 of the mint eggs, 1 green button to remaining mint egg.

Light blue buttons to 2 of the anise eggs, 1 green button to remaining anise egg.

ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain

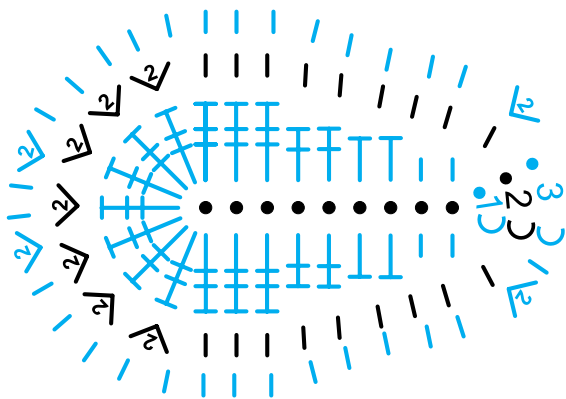
dc = double crochet

hdc = half double crochet

rnd(s) = round(s)

sc = single crochet

sl st = slip stitch

Chart for eggs**Chart key:**

- = 1 chain [ch]
- | = 1 single crochet [sc]
- T = 1 half double crochet [hdc]
- ⌚ = 1 double crochet [dc]
- ⌚⌚ = 1 treble crochet [trc]
- ⌚ = 1 slip stitch [sl st]
- ↘ = 2 sc in same st