



## MATERIALS

**Caron® Marble Cakes™** (8.5 oz/240 g; 404 yds/369 m)

Violet Plum (21006)

**2 balls**

Size U.S. K/10½ (6.5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximately

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Rep** = Repeat

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**Tog** = Together

## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 10" [25.5 cm] diameter x 10" [25.5 cm] tall.

## GAUGE

12 sc and 12 rows = 4" [10 cm] with 2 strands tog.

## INSTRUCTIONS

### Notes:

- Basket is worked holding 2 strands of yarn tog throughout. It is not necessary to match colors of 2 balls, as desired marled effect is achieved by blending colors between balls.
- Join all rnds with sl st to first st.

With 2 strands held tog, ch 2.

**1st rnd:** 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Join. 6 sc.

**2nd rnd:** Ch 1. 2 sc in each sc around. Join. 12 sc.

**3rd rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 18 sc.

**4th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 2 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 24 sc.

**5th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 3 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 30 sc.

**6th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 4 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 36 sc.

**7th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 5 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 42 sc.

**8th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 6 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 48 sc.

**9th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 7 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 54 sc.

**10th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 8 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 60 sc.

**11th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 9 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 66 sc.

**12th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 10 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 72 sc.

**13th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 11 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 78 sc.

**14th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 12 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 84 sc.

**15th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 13 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join. 90 sc.

**16th rnd:** Ch 1. *Working in back loops only*, 1 sc in each sc around. Join.

**17th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next sc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join.

**18th rnd:** Ch 3 (counts as dc). \*1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from \* to last dc. 1 sc in last dc. Join.

**19th rnd:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from \* around. Join.

Rep last 2 rnds until work from base measures 8" [20.5 cm].

**Next rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join.

Rep last rnd until work from base measures 10" [25.5 cm].

**Next rnd:** Ch 1. *Working from left to right instead of from right to left as usual*, work 1 reverse sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

