

# CARON<sup>®</sup> crochet pouf | crochet



#### MATERIALS

**Caron® Big Cakes™** (10.5 oz/300 g; 603 yds/551 m) Tiramisu (26002) **2 balls** 

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stitch marker. Length of  $\frac{3}{4}$ " [2 cm] elastic. Purchased pouf floor pillow approx 20" [51 cm] diameter x 14" [35 cm] high.

## CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

Approx = Approximate(ly) Beg = Begin(ning) BegInkdc = Insert hook down through horizontal bar in center of previous stitch, yoh and pull up a loop. Insert hook into ring, yoh and pull up a loop. Yoh and pull through first 2 loops on hook. Yoh and pull through last 2 loops on hook – Beginning Linked Dc made.

Ch = Chain(s)
Dc = Double crochet
Hdc = Half double crochet

Lnkdc = Insert hook down through horizontal bar in center of previous stitch, yoh and pull up a loop. Insert hook in next stitch (through top loops in usual manner), yoh and pull up a loop. Yoh and pull through first 2 loops on hook. Yoh and pull through last 2 loops on hook – Linked Dc made.



Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
Sc = Single crochet
Sl st = Slip stitch
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together
WS = Wrong side
Yoh = Yarn over hook

#### **MEASUREMENTS**

Approx. 20" [51 cm] diameter x 14" [35.5 cm] tall.

## GAUGE

13 sc and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm].

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### **INSTRUCTIONS**

**Note:** Ch 2 at beg of row does not count as hdc.

**Do not** join rnds. Move marker up each rnd to maintain rnd count. After set-up rnd, beg first lnkdc of each rnd in horizontal bar of last st in previous rnd.

Ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring.

**Set-up rnd:** Ch 3 (does not count as st). (1 dc. Place marker on last dc. 9 beglnkdc) in ring. 10 sts. **1st rnd:** Beg in last dc from previous rnd, work 2 lnkdc in each st around. 20 lnkdc.

**2nd rnd:** 1 lnkdc in last st from previous rnd. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. \*1 lnkdc in next lnkdc. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. Rep from \* around. 30 lnkdc.

**3rd rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in next dc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*(1 Inkdc in next Inkdc) twice. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 40 Inkdc.

**4th rnd:** 1 lnkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 lnkdc in each of next 2 lnkdc. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. \*1 lnkdc in each of next 3 lnkdc. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. Rep from \* around. 50 lnkdc.

**5th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 3 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 4 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 60 Inkdc.

**6th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 4 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 5 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 70 Inkdc.

**7th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 5 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 6 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 80 Inkdc.

**8th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 6 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 7 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 90 Inkdc.

**9th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 7 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 8 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 100 Inkdc. **10th rnd:** Beg in last st from previous rnd, 1 Inkdc in each Inkdc around.

**11th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 8 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 9 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 110 Inkdc.

**12th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 9 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 10 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 120 Inkdc.

13th rnd: As 10th rnd.

**14th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 10 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 11 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 130 Inkdc.

**15th rnd:** 1 Inkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 Inkdc in each of next 11 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. \*1 Inkdc in each of next 12 Inkdc. 2 Inkdc in next Inkdc. Rep from \* around. 140 Inkdc. **16th rnd:** As 10th rnd.

**17th rnd:** 1 lnkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 lnkdc in each of next 12 lnkdc. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. \*1 lnkdc in each of next 13 lnkdc. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. Rep from \* around. 150 lnkdc.

**18th rnd:** 1 lnkdc in last st from previous rnd. 1 lnkdc in each of next 13 lnkdc. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. \*1 lnkdc in each of next 14 lnkdc. 2 lnkdc in next lnkdc. Rep from \* around. 160 lnkdc.

#### 19th rnd: As 10th rnd.

Rep 19th rnd until work from center measures 28" [71 cm].

**Final rnd:** Beg in last st from previous rnd, work 1 lnkdc in each lnkdc to last 3 sts. 1 hdc in next lnkdc. 1 sc in each of last 2 lnkdc. Join with sl st to first st. Fasten off.

### **FINISHING**

Fold lower edge up 1" [2.5 cm] to WS for elastic casing and sew in position, leaving an opening to insert elastic. Trim elastic as necessary, ensuring sufficient length for cover to be removable. Draw elastic through casing. Sew ends of elastic tog securely. Sew opening of casing closed.