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(a3) CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

## ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg $=$ Beginning
Ch = Chain(s)
Cont $=$ Continue(ity)
Dc = Double crochet
Dcfp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work, inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice.
Pat = Pattern
Rem = Remain(ing)
Rep $=$ Repeat
Rnd(s) $=$ Rounds
$\mathbf{S c}=$ Single crochet
$\mathbf{S l}$ st = Slip stitch
Sp(s) = Space(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together
Trfp2tog = (Yoh) twice. Inserting hook from right to left, draw up a loop around post of next st. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice. (Yoh) twice. Inserting hook from right to left, draw up a loop around post of next st. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice. Yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook. Yoh = Yarn over hook

## SIZE

Designed to fit a 4" [10 cm ] plant

## GAUGE

17 sc and 21 rows = 4" [10 cm].

## INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Ch 3 at the beg of rnd counts as dc.
Do not work into top of any st that a post st is worked around unless specifically instructed.
All rnds are joined with a sl st to first st.

Beg using magic loop method, demonstrated here.

1st rnd: Ch 3.11 dc in ring. Join. 12 dc .
2nd rnd: Ch 3.1 dc in first st. 2 dc in each rem st around. Join. 24 dc . 3rd rnd: Ch 3.1 dc in first st. *2 dc in next st. 1 dc in the next st. Rep from * around. Join. 36 dc.
4th rnd: Ch 3.1 dc in first st. *2 dc in next st. 1 dc in each of next 2 sts. Rep from * around. Join. . 48 dc .
5th rnd:. Ch 3. Working in back loops only, 1 dc in first st. 1 dc in each of next 11 sts. *2 dc in the next st. 1 dc in each of next 11 sts. Rep from * around. Join. 52 dc .
6th rnd: Ch 1.1 sc in each of first 3 sts. 1 dcfp around next st. *1 sc in each of next 3 sts. 1 dcfp around next st. Rep from * around. Join. 52 sts.

7th rnd: Ch 3. 1 dc in each st around. Join.
8th rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in first st. Trfp2tog around last and first post sts of rnd 2 rnds below. *1 sc in each of next 3 sts. Trfp2tog around last post stitch just worked 2 rnds below and next post st 2 rnds below. Rep from * to last 2 sts. 1 sc in each of last 2 sts. Join.
9th rnd: As 7th rnd.
10th rnd: Ch 1.1 sc in each ofd first 3 sts. Trfp2tog around each of first 2 post sts of rnd 2 rnds below. *1 sc in each of next 3 sts. Trfp2tog around last post stitch just worked 2 rnds below and next post st 2 rnds below. Rep from *around. Join. 11th rnd: As 7th rnd.
12th to 15th rnds: As 8th to 11th rnds.
16th rnd: Rep 8th rnd.
17th rnd: Ch 3.1 dcfp around next post st. ${ }^{* 1}$ dc in each of next 3 sts. 1 dcfp around the next st. Rep from * around. 1 dc in each of last 2 sts. Join.
18th rnd: *Ch 3 . SI st in next 13 sts. Rep from * around. Join. Fasten off.

## Hanging Straps (make 2)

Work a chain $25^{\prime \prime}[63.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] long.
Fasten off.

## Assembly

Cross straps, and tie in middle. Sew ends of each Strap to opposite ch-3 sps of 18th rnd using tapestry needle.


[^0]:    MATERIALS
    Patons ${ }^{\circledR}$ Hempster ${ }^{\text {Tm }}$ ( $3.5 \mathrm{oz} / 100 \mathrm{~g} ; 190 \mathrm{yds} / 174 \mathrm{~m}$ )
    White Sand (11013) 1 ball
    Size U.S. G/6 ( 4 mm ) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge. Tapestry needle.

