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STRAND CROCHET BASKET | CROCHET



MATERIALS

Lily® Sugar'n Cream® Twists (2 oz/56.7 g; 95 yds/86 m)

Green Twists (20244) 4 balls

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.



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ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately

Alt = Alternate(ing)

Beg = Begin(ning)

Ch = Chain(s)

Dc = Double crochet

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

Sc = Single crochet

Sc2tog = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 stitches. Yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

SI st = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side

Yoh = Yarn over hook

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 5 x 10 x 6" [12.5 x 25.5 x 15 cm], with top unfolded.

GAUGE

 $13\frac{1}{2}$ sc and 16 rows = 4" [10 cm] with 2 strands of yarn tog.

INSTRUCTIONS

SIDES (make in one piece). With 2 strands of yarn, ch 21.

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of ch. Turn, 20 sc.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

Rep last row until work from beg measures 5" [12.5 cm], ending with a WS row.

**Next row: (RS). (Fold line). Ch 1. Working through back loops only, 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

Next row: Ch 1. Working through both loops, 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

Rep last row until work from last fold line measures 10" [25.5 cm], ending with a WS row.**

Next row: (RS). (Fold line). Ch 1. Working through back loops only, 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

Next row: Ch 1. Working through both loops, 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

Rep last row until work from last fold line measures 5" [12.5 cm]. ending with a WS row.

Rep from ** to ** once more.





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Next row: (RS). (Joining row). Place foundation ch behind last row with WS of work tog. Ch 1. Working through both thicknesses, 1 sc in each sc across. Fasten off.

BASE

With 2 strands of yarn, ch 35.

1strow: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of ch. Turn. 34 sc.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

Rep last row until work from beg measures 5" [12.5 cm], ending with a WS row. **Do not** fasten off.

Join Base to Sides: Place lower edge of Sides behind Base with WS of work tog, aligning corners of Base with fold lines and joining row of Sides.

Next rnd: (RS). Ch 1. Working through both thicknesses, work 1 rnd of sc around all 4 sides of Base. Join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Fold top edge of Basket to RS as shown in picture.

