



CROCHET PATTERN



Candy Stripe Tote

DIFFICULTY



UK TERMS

A cheerful and practical crochet tote made with soft cotton yarn and colourful textured stripes. Featuring sturdy handles and a roomy design, it's perfect for everyday use, shopping trips or carrying your latest project.

A relaxing make that's suitable for confident beginners and beyond.



MATERIALS

YARN

Stylecraft Cotton Twist
 25g - Begonia (1971)
 25g - Buttermilk (1974)
 25g - Apple (1975)
 25g - Seafoam (1976)
 25g - Sky (1977)
 25g - Crocus (1973)
 25g - Cherry Blossom (1970)
 25g - Snowdrop (1972)

HOOK

4mm

OTHER ITEMS

Yarn needle
 Scissors

STITCH ABBREVIATIONS

UK Terms

CH - Chain
 SS - Slip Stitch
 DC - Double Crochet
 HTR - Half Treble Crochet
 INC - Increase in same stitch
 STS - Number of stitches at the end of the round

GAUGE

22 sts x 16 rows = 10cm x 10cm

FINISHED SIZE

Including Handles approx 41cm x 47cm
 (16" x 18.5").

NOTES

- The pattern works in rounds.
- Chain 2 at the beginning of a round, COUNTS as a stitch.
- Chain 1 at the beginning of a round, DOES NOT count as a stitch.
- Space = Space between 2htr inc - 2htr inc.

PATTERN

To Start – Chain 61 in Begonia - Start in the 2nd chain from the hook.

Round 1: 59dc, 3dc inc in last chain, now working along the other side of your chain, 58dc, 2dc inc in same chain as your first stitch, ss [122 sts]

Round 2: Ch2 (counts as a stitch here and throughout), htr in same stitch, *skip 1, 2htr in next stitch; repeat from * to the last stitch, skip last stitch, ss to top of ch2 [122 sts]

Round 3: Ss into next space (see notes), ch2, htr in same space, 2htr in each space around, ss to top of ch2 [122 sts]

Fasten off **Begonia**, attach **Buttermilk** in any space.

Round 4: Ch2, htr in same space, 2htr in each space around, ss to top of ch2 [122 sts]

Round 5: Ss into next space, ch2, htr in same space, 2htr in each space around, ss to top of ch2 [122 sts]

Fasten off **Buttermilk**, attach **Apple** in any space.

Rounds 6 - 7: Repeats rounds 4 & 5.

Fasten off **Apple**, attach **Seafoam** in any space.

Rounds 8 - 9: Repeats rounds 4 & 5.

Fasten off **Seafoam**, attach **Sky** in any space.

Rounds 10 - 11: Repeats rounds 4 & 5.

Fasten off **Sky**, attach **Crocus** in any space.

Rounds 12 - 13: Repeats rounds 4 & 5.

Fasten off **Crocus**, attach **Cherry Blossom** in any space.

Rounds 14 - 15: Repeats rounds 4 & 5.



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Fasten off **Cherry Blossom**, attach **Begonia** in any space.

Rounds 16 - 17: Repeats rounds 4 & 5.

Fasten off **Begonia**, attach **Buttermilk** in any space.

Rounds 18 - 29: Repeat rounds 4 to 15 once more.

Fasten off **Cherry Blossom**, attach **Begonia** in any space.

Round 30: Repeat round 4.

Fasten off **Begonia**, attach **Buttermilk** in any space.

Round 31: Repeat round 4.

Fasten off **Buttermilk**, attach **Apple** in any space.

Round 32: Repeat round 4.

Fasten off **Apple**, attach **Seafoam** in any space.

Round 33: Repeat round 4.

Fasten off **Seafoam**, attach **Sky** in any space.

Round 34: Repeat round 4.

Fasten off **Sky**, attach **Crocus** in any space.

Round 35: Repeat round 4.

Fasten off **Crocus**, attach **Cherry Blossom** in any space.

Round 36: Repeat round 4.

Fasten off **Cherry Blossom**, attach **Snowdrop** in any stitch.

Round 37: Ch2, 121htr, ss [122 sts]



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Fasten off **Snowdrop**, attach **Buttermilk** in any stitch.

Round 38: Ch1, *dc, ch1, skip 1; repeat from * to the end, ss [61dc's, 61 ch1 spaces]

Fasten off **Buttermilk**, attach **Apple** in any ch1 space.

Round 39: Ch1, *dc (in ch1 space), ch1, skip 1; repeat from * to the end, ss [61 dc's, 61 ch1 spaces]

Fasten off **Apple**, attach **Seafoam** in any ch1 space.

Round 40: Repeat round 39.

Fasten off **Seafoam**, attach **Crocus** in any ch1 space.

Round 41: Repeat round 39.

Fasten off **Crocus**, attach **Cherry Blossom** in any ch1 space.

Round 42: Repeat round 39.

Fasten off **Cherry Blossom**, attach **Snowdrop** in any ch1 space.

Round 43: Ch2, htr in same space, 2htr in each ch1 space around, ss [122 sts]

Making the Handles

Round 44: Ch1, 20dc, ch90, skip 21, 40dc, ch90, skip 21, 20dc, ss [80dc, 180 ch's]

Round 45: Ch1, dc in each stitch and chain around, ss [260 sts]

Round 46: Ss in each stitch around [260 sts]

Fasten off **Snowdrop**, sew all ends in.

All FINISHED!!!





ABOUT ME

I started learning to crochet in October 2016. Me and my family were on holiday in Wales and I bought a hook, some wool and I made a hat for my daughter! Since then I have had a hook in my hand everyday (nearly) and my house has been overtaken by wool! I have fallen head over heels in love with crochet and love making and designing patterns for people to create beautiful things from!

Thank you!

Hope you enjoyed making your pattern!
Please don't forget to tag me in your makes I would love to see them! @emkatchrochet

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