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Lily Pad Basket

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Here's a basket that's fun to make and fun to have! It's just right size to hold your crochet tools, from scissors and hooks to stitch markers and tape measures. Make several and give one to each of your crochet buddies!

Complimentary pattern in honor of the 2019 Yarn Along the Rockies yarn crawl.

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Supplies

- Yarn: Cascade Yarns Sarasota (100g/314 yds, 60% cotton/40% acrylic), color 06
- G hook
- DPN, size 6 US
- Removeable stitch marker
- Spray on machine embroidery stabilizer (optional)

Gauge

5 rounds per inch

Size

Finished Measurements:
6" diameter



Each piece is worked as a spiral, so there's no need to join rounds. Just mark the first stitch of each round and move the marker as you begin the next round/spiral.

hdc – half double crochet

sc – single crochet

st – stitch(es)

Basket

Chain 3. Join chain.

Round 1: 6 sc into center of chain ring

Round 2: 2 sc into each sc - 12 st

Round 3: (sc, 2 sc into next sc) 6 times – 18 st

Round 4: (2 sc, 2 sc into next sc) 6 times – 24 st

Round 5: (3 sc, 2 sc into next sc) 6 times – 30 st

Round 6: (4 sc, 2 sc into next sc) 6 times – 36 st

Continue in pattern until:

Round 15: (13 sc, 2 sc into next sc) 6 times – 90 st

Round 16: sc into the back loop only of each sc (turning round)

Round 17: hdc into each sc

Round 18: sc into each hdc

Round 19: hdc into each sc

Round 20: sc into each hdc

Round 21: hdc into each sc

End with a sc into next hdc, then slip stitch into next hdc. Finish off.

Lid

Work as for basket until Round 15, then work an additional 3 rounds in established pattern (108 st). Finish off as for basket.

Join yarn to center, work a small chain, join chain to center, secure end and finish off. Join yarn to underside of lid at Round 15. Work three rounds of sc around Round 15, for a lip to hold lid onto basket.