

CY1816
COTTON DROPS
Baskets Trio

## MATERIALS

Cygnet Cotton Drops 200g - Linen White (A) $5666 \times 2$, Merigold (B) $5777 \times 2$ and Lavender Haze(C) $5888 \times 2$
MEASUREMENTS
Basket 1 (Scallops) 14 cm tall x 16 cm wide
Basket 2 (Stripes) 13 cm tall $\times 24 \mathrm{~cm}$ wide
Basket 3 (Tasles) 16 cm tall $\times 24 \mathrm{~cm}$ wide
9 mm crochet hook, large tapestry needle

## Notes

Work all basket patterns using 2 strands of yarn held together.

## Basket 1 (Scallops)

Using Yarn A (2 strands held together), make a mc.

Round 1: Ch 1, htr 8 into the mc, pull tail tight, ss to close. (8 sts)

Round 2: Ch 1, 2 htr in each st around, ss to close. (16 sts)

Round 3: Ch 1, *htr, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (24 sts)

Round 4: Ch 1, *htr 2, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (32 sts)

Round 5: Ch 1, *htr 3, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (40 sts)

Round 6: Ch 1, htr around, working in back loops only, ss to close. (40 sts)

Round 7: Ch 1, htr around, ss to close.

Round 8 to 12: Repeat Round 7

Round 13: *skip 2 st, 6tr into next st, skip 2 st, ss to next st; repeat from * 5 times, skip 1 st, 6tr into next st, join with a ss to last ss of Round 12.

Fasten off and sew in ends.

## Basket 2 (Stripes)

Using Yarn B (2 strands held together), make a mc.

Round 1: Ch 1, htr 8 into the mc, pull tail tight, ss to close. (8 sts)

Round 2: Ch 1, 2 htr in each st around, ss to close. (16 sts)

Round 3: Ch 1, *htr, 2 htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (24 sts)

Round 4: Ch 1, *htr 2, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (32 sts)

Round 5: Ch 1, *htr 3, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (40 sts)
Round 6: Ch 1, *htr 4, 2htr;
repeat from * around, ss to close. (48 sts)

Round 7: Ch 1, *htr 5, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (56 sts)
Round 8: Ch 1, htr around, working in back loops only, ss to close. (56 sts)

Change to Yarn A, do not fasten off Yarn B.

Round 9: Ch 1, htr around, ss to close.

Round 10 to 13: Repeat Round 9, alternating between Yarn A \& B.

Change to Yarn C, fasten off Yarn $A \& B$.

Round 14 to 15: Repeat Round 9. Fasten off and sew in ends.

## Basket 3 (Tassels)

Using Yarn C (2 strands held together), make a mc.

Round 1: Ch 1, htr 8 into the mc, pull tail tight, ss to close. (8 sts)

Round 2: Ch 1, 2htr in each st around, ss to close. (16 sts)

Round 3: Ch 1, *htr, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (24 sts)
Round 4: Ch 1, *htr 2, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (32 sts)
Round 5: Ch 1, *htr 3, 2htr;
repeat from * around, ss to close.
(40 sts)
Round 6: Ch 1, *htr 4, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (48 sts)
Round 7: Ch 1, *htr 5, 2htr; repeat from * around, ss to close. (56 sts)
Round 8: Ch 1, htr around, working in back loops only, ss to close. (56 sts)
Round 9: Ch 1, htr around, ss to close.

Round 10: Repeat Round 9.
Change to Yarn B, fasten off C.

Round 11 to 15: Repeat Round 9.

Round 16: Ch 1, dc 10, ch 9, skip 7 sts, dc 21 , ch 9 , skip 7 sts, dc to end, ss to close.
Round 17: Ch 1, dc 10, dc 8 around chain from previous round, dc 21 , dc 8 around chain, dc to end, ss to close.
Fasten off and sew in ends.
Tassels
Using Yarn B, cut 16 strands of yarn approx 12 cm long.
Take 3 strands and fold them in half, tie to secure using a third piece of yarn and wrapping around the folded end.
Repeat this process until you have 4 little tassels. Attach the tassels to the basket in between rows 15 \& 16, with a crochet hook, pull through the tail of the yarn used to tie around each tassel.
Secure on the inside of the basket.


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