



THE COLOR EVOLUTION



BOTTLE HOLDER

SKILL LEVEL: Easy

MATERIALS

Eco Crochet by Laines du Nord 1 ball per color: 12 (rope), 14 (green), 18 (yellow).

USG6/4 mm crochet hook

Stitch markers

Darning needle

Scissors

Tape measure

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Width 14"/35cm

Height 13"/33cm

GAUGE

4"/10cm square = 5 reps of (1 fpdc and 2 dc) over 11 rows, worked in textured stitch pattern using a USG6/4 mm crochet hook and Eco Crochet yarn.

STITCHES USED

Chain stitch, slip stitch, single crochet, double crochet.

Front post double crochet: yarn over, insert the hook from front to back to front around the post of the next stitch, yarn over and pull through to create a loop, (yarn over and pull through 2 loops) twice.

ABBREVIATIONS

RS = right side of work

WS = wrong side of work

SM = stitch marker

st/sts = stitch/es

col = color

ch = chain stitch

sl st = slip stitch

sc = single crochet

dc = double crochet

hdc = half double crochet

fpdc = front post double crochet

rep = repeat

follow = follow

INSTRUCTIONS

The bottle holder is worked in a continuous spiral of sts without closing rounds with a sl st. To keep track of the rounds, place a SM in the 1st st of each round, moving it up as you go.

When changing colors, join the new color by pulling it through on the last yo of the last st worked with the previous color.

BASE

Using rope col, make a magic ring.

Round 1: 1 ch (doesn't count as a st), work 8sc into the ring; pull the yarn tail to tighten the ring. Do not close the round and continue in a spiral.

Round 2: 2sc in each st of the round. [16sc]

Round 3: 1sc into the next st, (1sc into the next 2sc, 2sc in the next st) 5 times. [21sc]

Round 4: 1sc into the next st, (1sc into the next 3sc, 2sc in the next st) 5 times. [26sc]

Round 5: 1sc into the next st, (1sc into the next 4sc, 2sc in the next st) 5 times. [31sc]

Round 6: 1sc into the next st, (1sc into the next 5sc, 2sc in the next st) 5 times. [36sc]

SIDES

Round 7: 1 hdc into each st to end. [36hdc]

Round 8: (1 fpdc around the next st, 2ch, skip 2 base sts) 12 times. [12 fpdc and 12 ch-2 spaces]

Round 9: (1 fpdc around the next fpdc, 2dc in the ch-2 space) 12 times. [12 fpdc and 12 groups of 2dc]

Change to green yarn.

Round 10: (1 fpdc around the next fpdc, 2ch, skip 2 base sts) 12 times.

Round 11: (1 fpdc around the next fpdc, 2 dc in ch-2 spaces) 12 times.

Rounds 12-13: change to yellow col and rep rounds 10-11.

Rounds 14-15: change to rope col and rep rounds 10-11.

Rounds 16-17: change to green col and rep rounds 10-11.

Rounds 18-19: change to yellow col and rep rounds 10-11.

Rounds 20-21: change to rope col and rep rounds 10-11.

Rounds 22-23: change to green col and rep rounds 10-11.

Rounds 24-25: change to yellow col and rep rounds 10-11.

Rounds 26-27: change to rope col and rep rounds 10-11.

Round 28: 1 sc in each st of the round.

Round 29: 1 sl st in each st of the round, sl st to the first sl st. Cut the yarn and fasten off.

FINISHING

CORD FOR THE SHOULDER STRAP

Row 1: using rope col, leave a tail for sewing at the beginning, make 2ch, work 1sc in the 2nd ch from the hook.

Row 2: insert the hook into the vertical bar on the left side of the last sc made, yarn over and pull through a loop, yarn over and pull through both loops on the crochet hook to complete the sc.

Rep row 2 until the cord measures approx. 30"/75 cm.

Cut the yarn and fasten off, leaving a tail for sewing.

Using a darning needle, sew both ends of the cord to the top edge of the bottle holder on each side.

Weave in all ends.