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RED HEART

CROCHET SKILL LEVEL EASY

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®: 1 skein each 376 Burgundy **A**, 319 Cherry Red **B**, and 3950 Charcoal **C**

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 5mm [US H-8]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 5 sts = 2" (5 cm); 13 rows = 4" (10 cm). **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

4 MEDIUM **RED HEART® Super Saver®**, Art. E300 available in solid color 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); prints, multicolor and heather 5 oz (141 g), 236 yd (215 m), flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins

SHOP KIT

Buffalo Plaid Bottle Cozy

Keep your bottle cool as you drink from it, or crochet a cozy for a bottle to use as a bud vase. This clever design will have you wanting to collect bottles and cover them in every color of Super Saver!

Cozy measures 9½" (24 cm) circumference at bottom x 8" (20.5 cm) tall.

Notes
To change color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete stitch. Proceed with new color. Carry color not in use on wrong side until next needed. Do not cut until instructed.

Special Stitch
sc2tog = [Insert hook in next st, yarn over and pull up a loop] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

COZY
With **A**, ch 25.
Round 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across; join with slip st in first sc—24 sc.
Round 2: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc.
Rounds 3 and 4: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sts; change to **B**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **A**, *sc in next 3 sts; change to **B**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **A**; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc.
Round 5: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sts; change to **B**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **A**, [sc in next 3 sts; change to **B**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **A**] twice; sc in next 3 sts; change to **B**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **C**; join with slip st in first sc.
Rounds 6 and 7: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sts; change to **A**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **C**, *sc in next 3 sts; change to **A**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **C**; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc.
Round 8: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sts; change to **A**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **C**, [sc in next 3 sts; change to **A**, sc in next 3 sts; change to **C**] twice, sc in next 3 sts; change to **A**, sc in next 3 sts; join with slip st in first sc.

Rounds 9–11: Repeat Round 3.
Rounds 12–14: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc.
Round 15: Ch 1, sc in first 2 sts, sc2tog, *sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc—18 sc.
Round 16: Ch 1, sc in first st, sc2tog, *sc in next st, sc2tog; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc—12 sc.
Round 17: Ch 1, sc in first st, sc2tog, [sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog] twice; join with slip st in first sc—8 sc.
Note Continue in continuous (spiral) rounds, do not join at end of round until instructed. Place marker for beginning of round and move marker up as each round is completed.
Rounds 18–22: Ch 1, sc in each st around.
Round 23: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING
Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS
A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C, etc.; **ch** = chain; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = st(es); **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; ***** = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

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