



MATERIALS

Caron® One Pound™ (16 oz/453.6 g; 812 yds/742 m)

Contrast A Soft Grey Mix (10616) **1** **ball**

Contrast B Dark Grey Mix (10618) **1** **ball**

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

ABBREVIATIONS:

Approx = Approximate(ly)

Ch = Chain(s)

Cont = Continue

Dcbp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice

Rep = Repeat(ing)

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

Sc = Single crochet

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side

Yoh = Yarn over hook

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MEASUREMENTS

Approx 14" [35.5 cm] in diameter at base, 15" [38 cm] in diameter at top and 11" [28 cm] tall.

GAUGE

10 sc and 12 rows = 4" [10 cm] holding 2 strands together.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Basket is worked with 2 strands of yarn held tog throughout.

Base: With 1 strand of A and 1 strand of B held tog, ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring.

1st rnd: Ch 1. 8 sc in ring. Join with sl st to first sc. 8 sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. 16 sc.

3rd rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in next sc. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first sc. 24 sc.

4th rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first sc. 32 sc.

5th rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first sc. 40 sc.

6th rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 sc. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first sc. 48 sc.

7th rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first sc. 56 sc.

8th rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first sc. 64 sc.

9th to 14th rnds: Cont as established, increasing 8 sc evenly around each rnd. 112 sc at end of 14th rnd.

15th rnd: Ch 2 (does not count as st). Dcbp around each sc around. Join with sl st to first dcbp.

Note: From this point on, work side of Basket joining and turning work at end of each rnd.

Next 16 rnds: Ch 1. 1 sc in each st around. Join with sl st to first sc.

Turn.

Next rnd: (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 26 sc. 2 sc in next sc. *1 sc in each of next 27 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to first sc. 116 sc.

Turn.

Next 12 rnds: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

Turn.

Make handles: Next rnd: (WS). Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 50 sc. Ch 8. Skip next 8 sc. 1 sc in each of next 50 sc. Ch 8. Skip next 8 sc. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.**

Next rnd: (RS). Ch 1. 8 sc in first ch-8 sp. 1 sc in each of next 50 sc. 8 sc in next ch-8 sp. 1 sc in each sc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to first sc. 116 sc. **Turn.**

Next rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

Turn.

Rep last rnd twice more.

Fasten off.

