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# FANTASY NATURALE Crochet Patriotic Basket/Bag



Approximate Size: 8" diameter, 10" tall

### **Materials:**

Fantasy Naturale: 2 - 100g skeins, one each color:

9009 Blues and 3611 Red

Hook/Notions: Size H hook, stitch marker

<u>Pattern Notes</u>: You will be working on the right side of the basket. DO NOT turn at the end of the rounds. Place marker at the end of the first round and move up with each round.

#### Instructions:

With Red, Chain 2

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc in first ch. Do not join – place

marker (PM) after last sc. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in next sc and in each sc around. PM.

(12 sc)

Rnd 3: 2 sc in first sc, sc in next sc, \*2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc.

Repeat from \* around. PM (18 sc)

Rnd 4: 2 sc in first sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, \*2sc in next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc.

Repeat from \* around. PM. (24 sc)

Rnd 5: 2 sc in first sc, sc in each of next 3 sc, \*2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc.

Repeat from \* around. PM (30 sc).

Rnds 6-15: Continue in the same manner on each rnd, working one more sc between each increase.

At the end of Rnd 15 you will have 90 sc.

Rnds 16 – 22: Using Blue, Sc in each sc around. PM

Rnds 23 – 26: Using Red, Sc in each sc around. PM

Rnds 27 – 33: Using Blue, Sc in each sc around. PM

Rnds 34 - 37: Using Red, Sc in each sc around. PM

Rnds 38 - 41: Using Blue, Sc in each sc around. PM

Rnd 42: \* Ch 2, sk 2 sc, sc in next sc; Repeat from \* around. PM

Rnd 43: \* Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next ch 2 space. Repeat from \* around.

Rnd 44: Sc in each sc around. Join to first sc with a slip stitch.

Finish off and sew in ends.

Make a chain approx. 40" long, or desired length. Feed through the ch 2 spaces on the basket and use to close top of bag.

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Abbreviations: Ch = chain, sc = single crochet, dc = double crochet, sl st = slip stitch, st(s) = stitch(es), hdc = half double croche, sk = skip.

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