

Rafia from AdriaFil

Rania Hat and Bag Crochet



HAT: Head circumference 52 (20½") – 54 cm (21¼") approx.

MATERIALS:

Rafia: 3 – 25g skeins (hat can also be worked in various colors)

Hook: Crochet hook size 5 mm (US H/8).

Tension: 12 single crochet = 10 cm (4") wide. Take time to check tension and switch hook if necessary.

Stitches: Crochet Chain = Ch, single crochet = sc, Slip st, crab stitch

Instructions:

1st row: Chain 2 and work 7 Sc in the 2nd ch from hook, finish with 1 Slip st in the 1st Sc = 7 Sc. Finish each row with a Slip st in the 1st stitch of previous row.

2nd row: work 2 Sc in each Sc = 14 Sc.

3rd row: work *1 Sc in the first Sc, 2 Sc in the next Sc, repeat from *, = 21 Sc.

4th row: work *1 Sc in the first 2 Sc, 2 Sc in the next Sc, repeat from *, = 28 Sc.

5th row: work *1 Sc in the first 3 Sc, 2 Sc in the next Sc, repeat from *, = 35 Sc.

Continue working as set (working 1 Sc between each increase until you have 63 Sc in

row) = 9 rows.

Continue working 1 Sc in each Sc until work measures 12 cm (4 ¾"), then increase 2 Sc in the last row. Continue working as follows: 2 Sc in the first Sc, * skip 1 Sc, 2 Sc in the next Sc, from now on repeat from * until work measures 18 cm (7").

For brim continue working in Single crochet as follows:

1st row: work 2 Sc in every 5th Sc = 78 Sc.

2nd and 3rd row: do not increase.

4th row: work 2 Sc in every 7th Sc = 89 Sc.

5th and 6th row: do not increase.

7th row: 5 Sc, increase 1x 1 Sc in the 6th Sc, then in every 10th Sc = 97 Sc.

8th and 9th row: do no increase.

10th row: one row crab stitch, working from left to right. Fasten off.

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BAG: width 22 cm (8 5/8"), height 28 cm (11")

MATERIALS:

Rafia: 4 - 25g skeins Color A; 1 – 25g skein Color B; and 1 – 25g skein Color C

Hook: Crochet hook size 5 mm (US H/8 – UK 6).

Tension: 12 Single crochet = 10 cm (4") wide. Take time to check tension and switch hook if necessary.

Tension: 12 Double crochet = 10 cm (4") wide. Take time to check tension and switch hook if necessary.

Stitches:

Crochet Chain = Ch, Double crochet = Dc, Slip st, single crochet = Sc

Instructions:

Using Color A chain 54, fasten off with a slip st making a ring. Work 5 rows in Sc, joining each row with a slip st. Then work in the round as follows:

1st row: 54 Dc. join each row with a Slip st.

2nd row: Ch 3, 1 Dc, * Ch 1, skip 1 Dc, 2 Dc in the next Dc, repeat from *.

Repeat these 2 rows until work measures 28 cm (11").

For bag flap continue working over 26 Dc in back and forth rows, as follows:

Work 6 rows as set. In the next row work 2 Slip st in the first 2 Dc, work as set to the last 2 Dc and turn. Work Slip st over the first 3 Dc and work as set to the last 3 Dc and turn. Work 4 Slip st in the first 4 Dc and work as set to the last 4 Dc. Fasten off.

Using Colors B and C make ribbons to fit and weave through eyelet rows. Work as follows:

Ch 54 and work 1 row Sc in chain. Sew ribbons together on the inside.

For bag flap work ribbons width-wise.

Bag handle: using Color A Ch 108 approx (depending on the desired length) and work 3 rows Sc. Fasten off. Sew the handle to the side edges of bag.

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