## Rafia from Adriafil

Panama Basket/Plant Holders Crochet


Measurements: 24 cm high; minimum width: 15 cm (base); maximum 30 cm (middle).

The set consists of: large basket (L) medium basket (M) small basket (S)

## LARGE BASKET / PLANT HOLDER

## Materials:

Rafia: $5-25 \mathrm{~g}$ skeins Color A and $4-25 \mathrm{~g}$ skeins Color B
Hook/Notions: Crochet hook size 4 mm (USG); 1 stitch marker (= SM).

## Stitches:

Increase: 2 Single crochet in the same st. Decrease: Single crochet 2 together.

## Base:

1st round: in Color A make a magic loop and work 8 Single crochet into the ring;
Note: begin each row with 1 Chain to turn and close round with 1 Slip stitch. Place marker for beginning of round.
2 nd round: 2 Single crochet in each Single crochet (= 16 Single crochet);
3 rd round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 1 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=24$ Single crochet); 4th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 2 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=32$ Single crochet); 5th round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 3 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=40$ Single crochet); 6th round: Single crochet without increasing;
7th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 4 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 48 Single crochet); 8th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 5 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 56 Single crochet); 9th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 6 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 64 Single crochet); 10th round: Single crochet without increasing;
11th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 7 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=72$ Single crochet); 12th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 8 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=80$ Single crochet); 13th round: Slip stitch on the WS.

## Body - lower side

14th round: 1 Single crochet in each Slip stitch: this will help to create a clear division between base and body; 15 th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 9 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=88$ Single crochet); 16th -18 th round: Single crochet without increasing;

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19th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 10 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 96 Single crochet); 20th and 21st round: Single crochet without increasing;
22 nd round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 11 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=104$ Single crochet);
23 rd and 24th round: Single crochet without increasing;
25 th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 12 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=112$ Single crochet);
26th - 35th round: Single crochet without increasing;
36th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 13 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 120 Single crochet);
37th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 14 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=128$ Single crochet);
38 th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 15 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=134$ Single crochet).

## Ridge

39th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 5 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=156$ Single crochet); 40th round: Slip Stitch on the RS: this will create a decorative ridge;
41 st round: work on the 39 th round sts (NOTE: do not work on the 40 th round sts), *Single crochet 2 together, 5 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 134 Single crochet).

## Body - upper side

42nd round: in Color B *Single crochet 2 together, 15 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 128 Single crochet);
43rd, 44th and 45th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
46 th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 14 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=120$ Single crochet); 47th - 51st round: Single crochet without decreasing;
52 nd round: *Single crochet 2 together, 13 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 112 Single crochet);
53rd - 57th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
58th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 12 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=104$ Single crochet); 59th and 60th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
61 st round: *Single crochet 2 together, 11 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 96 Single crochet); 62 nd and 63rd round: Single crochet without decreasing;
64th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 10 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=88$ Single crochet);
65th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
66th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 9 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 80 Single crochet); 67th round: Slip stitch and join with Slip stitch in 1st Single crochet.
Cut yarn and sew in all yarn ends.

## MEDIUM BASKET / PLANT HOLDER

Measurements: 22 cm high; minimum width: 14 cm (base); maximum 26 cm (middle).

## Materials:

Rafia: $7-25 \mathrm{~g}$ skeins
Hook/Notions: Crochet hook size 4 mm (USG/6-UK8); 1 stitch marker (= SM).

## Stitches:

Increase: 2 Single crochet in the same st.
Decrease: Single crochet 2 together

## Base:

1st round: make a magic loop and work 8 Single crochet into the ring;
Note: begin each row with 1 Chain to turn and close round with 1 Slip stitch. Place marker for beginning of round.
2 nd round: 2 Single crochet in each Single crochet (= 16 Single crochet);
3 rd round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 1 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 24 Single crochet); 4th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 2 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=32$ Single crochet); 5th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 3 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 40 Single crochet); 6th round: Single crochet without increasing;

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7th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 4 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 48 Single crochet); 8th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 5 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=56$ Single crochet); 9 th round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 6 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=64$ Single crochet); 10th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 7 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=72$ Single crochet); 11th round: Slip stitch on the WS.

## Body - lower side

12th round: 1 Single crochet in each Slip stitch: this will help to create a clear division between base and body; 13th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 8 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=80$ Single crochet); 14th - 16th round: Single crochet without increasing;
17 th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 9 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=88$ Single crochet); 18th and 19th round: Single crochet without increasing;
20th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 10 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 96 Single crochet);
21 st and 22 nd round: Single crochet without increasing;
23 rd round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 11 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=104$ Single crochet);
24th -31 st round: Single crochet without increasing;
32 nd round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 12 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=112$ Single crochet).

## Ridge

33 rd round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 5 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 130 Single crochet); 34th round: Slip Stitch on the RS: this will create a decorative ridge;
35 th round: work on the 33 rd round sts (NOTE: do not work on the 34 th round sts), $*$ Single crochet 2 together, 5 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 112 Single crochet).

## Basket upper side

36th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 12 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=104$ Single crochet); 37th and 38th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
39 th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 11 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 96 Single crochet); 40th - 42nd round: Single crochet without decreasing;
43 rd round: *Single crochet 2 together, 10 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=88$ Single crochet); 44th - 46th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
47th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 9 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 80 Single crochet); 48th and 49th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
50 th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 8 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=72$ Single crochet)
51st round: Single crochet without decreasing;
52 nd round: *Single crochet 2 together, 7 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=64$ Single crochet);
53rd round: Slip stitch and join with Slip stitch in 1st Single crochet.
Cut yarn and sew in all yarn ends.

## SMALL BASKET / PLANT HOLDER

Measurements: 18 cm high; minimum width: 13 cm (base); maximum 24 cm (middle).

## Materials:

Rafia: $5-25 \mathrm{~g}$ skeins
Hook/Notions: Crochet hook size 4 mm (USG/6-UK8); 1 stitch marker (= SM).

## STITCHES

Increase: 2 Single crochet in the same st.
Decrease: Single crochet 2 together

## Base:

1st round: make a magic loop and work 8 Single crochet into the ring;
Note: begin each row with 1 Chain to turn and close round with 1 Slip stitch. Place marker for beginning of round.
2 nd round: 2 Single crochet in each Single crochet (= 16 Single crochet);
3 rd round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 1 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=24$ Single crochet); 4th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 2 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=32$ Single crochet); 5th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 3 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=40$ Single crochet); 6th round: Single crochet without increasing;
7 th round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 4 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=48$ Single crochet); 8th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 5 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=56$ Single crochet); 9 th round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 6 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round ( $=64$ Single crochet); 10th round: Slip stitch on the WS.

## Body - lower side

11th round: 1 Single crochet in each Slip stitch: this will help to create a clear division between base and body; 12th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 7 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=72$ Single crochet); 13th - 15th round: Single crochet without increasing;
16th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 8 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=80$ Single crochet); 17th - 19th round: Single crochet without increasing;
20th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 9 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=88$ Single crochet); 21st - 23rd round: Single crochet without increasing;
24 th round: $* 2$ Single crochet in the same st, 10 Single crochet, rep from $*$ to end of round (= 96 Single crochet);
25th -27 th round: Single crochet without increasing;
28 th round: *2 Single crochet in the same st, 11 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=104$ Single crochet); 29th round: Slip Stitch on the RS: this will create a decorative ridge.

## Body - upper side

30th round: work on the 28 th round sts (NOTE: do not work on the 29 th round sts) inserting the hook into the back loops, *Single crochet 2 together, 11 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 96 Single crochet).
31st - 33rd round: Single crochet without decreasing;
34th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 10 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=88$ Single crochet); 35th - 37th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
38 th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 9 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=80$ Single crochet);
39th -41 st round: Single crochet without decreasing;
42 nd round: *Single crochet 2 together, 8 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round (= 72 Single crochet) 43rd and 44th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
45 th round: *Single crochet 2 together, 7 Single crochet, rep from * to end of round ( $=64$ Single crochet); 46th round: Single crochet without decreasing;
47th round: Slip stitch and join with Slip stitch in 1st Single crochet.
Cut yarn and sew in all yarn ends.

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