

Tissue Tote

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Materials

Thread: sizes 10 thread color of choice, 100 yrd
size 10 Contrasting color 25 yds,
size 10 choice of color for flower 10 yds,
size 10 green for leaves and stem 10 yds
Hook: Size 7/ 1.65mm
Misc: 1 small button
Gauge = 9 sts per inch
5 rows per inch

Abbreviations

Ch = chain
sl st = slip stitch
sc = single crochet
dc = double crochet
tr = treble crochet
hdc = half double crochet
dtr = Double treble
cl = cluster stitch
p = picot
st = stitch
lp = loop
sk = skip
sp = space
tog = together
yo = wrap yarn over hook
rnd = round
dec = decrease
inc increase
mc = main color
cc = contrasting color
rep = repeat
() = repeat between as indicated
* Repeat from as indicated
dbcs= double base chain stitch



Special Stitches

Reverse single crochet = When you have reached the end of the previous row do not turn, working toward the beginning of the previous row insert hook in next st, draw thread through and complete sc as normal, continue working across in this manner across.

May take a bit of practice to do this nicely but it makes a nice neat edge.

Crossed double crochet = sk 1 st, dc in next, 1 dc in skipped st,

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With main color ch 51

Row 1 turn sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each st across.

Row 2 Ch 2 turn,* sk 1 sc, dc in next, 1 dc in skipped sc,* (**Crossed double crochet**) Repeat from * to * across, end with a dc in last sc,

Row 3- 30 Ch 2 turn,* sk 1 dc, dc in next, 1 dc in skipped dc,* Repeat from * to * across, end with a dc in top of ch 2 turning ch of previous row,

Row 31 ch 1 turn, sc in each st across. End off, weave end in,

Attach cc to first sc of row,

Row 1 1 sc in each of the next 25 sc ch 7, sc in remaining sc across,

Row 2 DO NOT TURN work reverse single sc crochet in each sc across to ch 7 lp, 8 reverse single crochet in ch 7 lp, continue across in reverse single crochet to end of row. end off weave end in,

Attach cc to opposite end of piece

Row 1 1 sc in each sc across,

Row 2 DO NOT TURN work reverse single sc crochet in each sc across end off weave end in,

Row 1 Fold piece so the 2 finished edges meet in the middle, Attach cc thread to corner made by folding the piece, be sure to go through both layers, ch 1 sc in same st, working over both layers 2 sc for each row of dc across, I ended up with 30 sc across,

Row 2 ch1 turn, sc in 1st sc, * ch 3, sk 2 sc, sc in next sc, * repeat from * to * across to end,

Row 3 ch 1, 3 sc in ch 3 lp, ch 3, 3 sc in same lp, * 3 sc in next ch 3 lp, ch 3, 3 sc in same lp,* * repeat from * to * across to end, End off,weave end in,

Repeat rows 1-3 on other end of piece

Flower

Rnd 1 ch 3, 4 dc in 3rd ch from hook, sl st into top of ch 3,

Rnd 2 ch 2, dc in same st, (2 dc in next dc,) 4 times, sl st into top of ch 2,(10 dc)

Rnd 3 ch 2, dc in each dc around, sl st into top of ch 2,

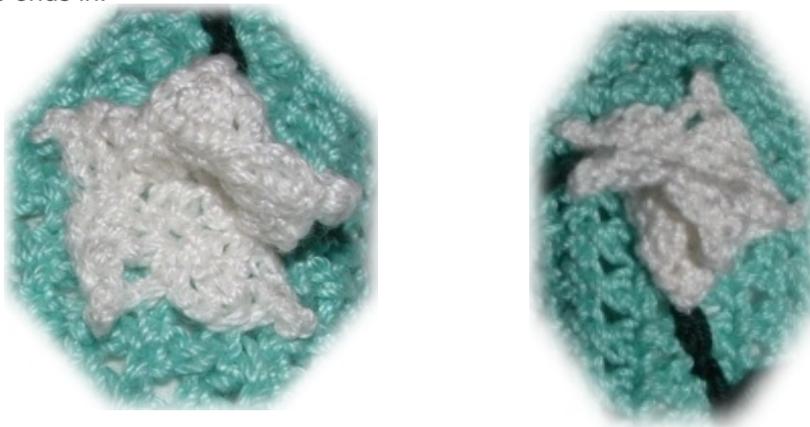
Rnd 4 * ch 2 holding the last loop of each st on hook dc in the same st, 1 dc in each of the next 2 dc, yo and draw through all 4 loops on hook, ch 3 sl st into 3rd ch from hook (picot made) ch 2 sc in same dc as last dc of cluster, * repeat from * to * around to last petal, last petal is worked as follows, ch 2, holding the last loop of each st on hook dc in the same st, dc in next dc, dc in 1st dc of rnd, yo and draw through all 4 loops on hook, ch 3 sl st into 3rd ch from hook (picot made) ch 2, sl st into base of first petal, end off , weave end in, (5 petals)

Arrange flower on tissue tote to your satisfaction and sew into place,

Stem and leaves

Attach green thread as close to the bottom of the flower as possible, ch 1 sc in same st, work sc's down the piece working in any st necessary to keep the stem flat and even, trying to weave back and forth across 2 rows of dc on main piece, Add the leaves where desired, *To make a leaf ch 3 holding the last loop of each st on the hook work 2 more tr in same sc, yo draw through all lps on hook, sl st where you want the tip of your leaf to be, ch 4 sl st back into sc, * continue sc your stem to the next place you desire a leaf, repeat from * to * to form next leaf, continue your stem on down to where you choose to end your stem. End off weave ends in.

Sew on Button,



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