



Travel Hook Case

Instructions

Front Pocket (approx. 12cm x 18cm) - Yarn A
Row 1: 18ch, dc in 2nd ch from hook, dc in each ch to end, turn. (17dc)

Row 2: 1ch, 1 dc in each dc to end, turn.

Rows 3 to 26: 1ch, 1 dc in each dc to end, turn. Fasten off and weave in ends

With the front pocket dc rows held vertically, join yarn b to the top left hand corner with ss, 1ch, crab stitch (reverse dc) into each row end. Fasten off and weave in ends. (26 crab stitch)

Small Front Pocket (approx. 8cm x 10cm) - Yarn B

Row 1: 13ch, dc in 2nd ch from hook, dc in each ch to end, turn. (12dc)

Row 2: 1ch, 1 dc in each dc to end, turn.

Rows 3 to 9: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, turn. Fasten off leaving approx. 10cm tail

With the small pocket held with dc rows laying horizontally, attach the small pocket to front pocket approx. 6cm in from the right hand edge, stitching only the left hand short edge to the front pocket. The left hand edge will be joined when making the back.

Back Cover (approx. 17cm x 18cm)

Row 1: Starting along the bottom edge of front pockets with right side facing, join Yarn C with dc, dc in next 13 row ends, working through both layers dc in next 12 row ends/dc, ss into next 2 row ends of pocket side, turn. (26dc)

Row 2: dc in each st across, ss into next 2 row ends of pocket side, turn. (26dc)

Rows 3 to 11: dc in each st across, ss into next 2 row ends of pocket side, turn. (26dc)

Row 12: dc in each st across, ss into next 2 row ends of pocket side, join Yarn B, turn. (26dc)

Row 13: working into 2nd row below, dc in each st across, ss into next 2 row ends of pocket side, turn. (26 spike dc)

Materials

1 x caron x pantone 100g/3.5oz (approx. 116m/127yds)

60% acrylic/20% nylon/20% merino wool - Frozen Berry

Yarn A - 13-4103 (pocket front)

Yarn B - 19-4044 (sml pocket front)

Yarn C - 17-5034 (lower back)

Yarn D - 18-2929 (upper back)

Yarn E - 17-4540 (zipped pocket)

Notions

6mm Hook, zip 14cm/4.5", 2 or 3 snap fasteners approx. 5-10mm in diameter

Tension

15 sts and 17 rows are 10cm square

Finished size

Approx. 18 x 16cm

Special Stitches

Spike dc: Insert hook into specified row below the one currently being worked, yarn over and pull up the loop to your working position [2 loops on hook], yarn over and pull through both loops. Be sure to pull the loop up to the height of the row being worked so as to not pull the work tight.

Crab Stitch (reverse dc): Working from left to right (or right to left for left-handed crocheters), insert hook into the next stitch on the right, yarn over and pull up loop, yarn over and pull through both loops on the hook.

Row 14: dc in each st across, ss into next 2 row ends of pocket side, change to Yarn D, turn. (26dc)

Rows 15 to 18: dc in each st across, ss into next 2 row ends of pocket side, turn. (26dc)

Rows 19 to 26: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, change to Yarn B, turn. (26dc)

Row 27: 1ch, working into 2nd row below, dc in each st to end, turn. (26 spike dc)

Row 28: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, change to Yarn E, turn. (26dc)

Row 29: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, turn. (26dc)

Row 30: 1ch, working in front loops, dc in each st to end, turn, now working in the back loops, dc in each stitch to end, ss to 1st dc, turn. (52dc)

Rows 31 & 32: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, ss to 1st dc, turn. (52dc)

Row 33: 1ch, dc in next 5sts, 16ch, skip 16sts, dc in next 32sts, ss to 1st dc, turn. (39dc, 16ch)

Row 34: 1ch, dc in next 32sts, working into the back bump of the ch, dc in next 16ch, dc in next 5sts, ss to 1st dc, turn. (52dc)

Row 35: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, ss to 1st dc, turn. (52dc)

Row 36: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, change to yarn B, ss to 1st dc, turn. (52dc)

Row 37: 1ch, working into 2nd row below, 1 dc in each st to end, ss to 1st dc, turn. (52 spike dc)

Row 38: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, ss to 1st dc, turn. (52dc) Fasten off and weave in ends.

Sew in the zip using a simple over stitch in regular sewing thread before closing off the pocket. Tip - sew to the inside loops of your dc sts for a neat finish. Using a long length of Yarn E, blanket stitch through the back loop of row nearest to you and front loop of row furthest from you.

Row 39: With the WS of the case facing you, re-join Yarn C with a dc to the front loop of previous row, dc into next 25 sts, turn (26dc)

Row 40: 1ch, 1 dc in each st to end, turn. (26dc)

Row 41: 1ch, 1 dc in each dc to end, Fasten off and weave in ends. (26dc)



Scissor Pocket - Yarn D

Row 1: 2ch, 2dc in 1st ch, turn

Row 2: 1ch, dc, 2dc in next st, turn (3dc)

Row 3: 1ch, dc in next 2sts, 2dc in last st, turn (4dc)

Row 4: 1ch, dc in next 3sts, 2dc in last st, turn (5dc)

Row 5: 1ch, dc in next 4sts, 2dc in last st, turn (6dc)

Row 6: 1ch, dc in next 5sts, 2dc in last st, turn (7dc)

Row 7: 1ch, dc in next 6sts, 2dc in last st, turn (8dc)

Row 8: 1ch, dc in next 7sts, 2dc in last st, turn (9dc)

Row 9: 1ch, dc in each st across. Fasten off leaving a tail long enough to stitch inside the case on the back of the zip pocket.

To make up: Using the lengths of yarn that you have left, sew vertically at even intervals to create pockets for your hooks (or pens). The case shown has 1 pocket 5cm wide and 3 pockets at 4cm wide. Sew 2/3 pop fasteners evenly to row 40, with the counterparts sewn to the pocket front just below the crab stitch.