



**CROCHET PATTERN** 

# **Blooming Spring**

**Coasters** 

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### **MATERIALS**

1 skein of **Friends Cotton 8/6** in each of the following colors:

(21) Pastel Yellow

(54) Pink Berry Smoothie

(72) Cool Iris

(108) Pistachio

Crochet hook 3 mm (D-3) Scissors Darning needle Tape measure

# YARN QUALITY

Friends Cotton 8/6, Hobbii 100 % Cotton 50 g / 1.75 oz = 105 m / 115 yds

### **GAUGE**

 $17 dc \times 10 rows = 10 cm \times 10 cm / 4" \times 4"$ 

**Note:** Wash and dry your sample before making measurements.

#### **SIZE**

One size

### **MEASUREMENTS**

Coaster diameter 15 cm / 6" Basket diameter 8 cm / 3.25"

### **PATTERN INFORMATION**

This flower basket is both beautiful and practical. It includes a small flowerbed and a flower that is actually made up of five coasters arranged as petals. When assembled, it serves as a home decoration, or you can use the flowers for coasters during a tea gathering with family or friends, adding warmth to a special occasion.

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### **BUY THE YARN HERE**

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# **QUESTIONS**

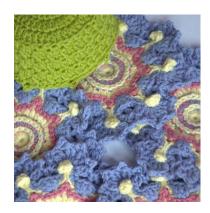
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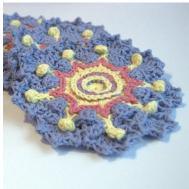
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Happy Crafting!



# **Pattern**







### **ABBREVIATIONS**

rnd = round

st (s) = stitch (es)

sp(s) = space(s)

yo = yarn over

FLO = front loop only

BLO = back loop only

sl st = slip stitch

ch = chain

sc = single crochet

dc = double crochet

picot = chain 3, slip stitch in the back bump of the 3<sup>rd</sup> chain from hook

2-dc cluster = double crochet 2 stitches together made in same stitch

2-tr cluster = treble crochet 2 stitches together made in same space

### **INFO AND TIPS**

For each coaster-flower, several elements need to be made: first, the center (in yellow), then the purple petals, and finish with the purple-lilac decor. The basket-flowerbed of the given size is designed to hold 5 flowers.

The amount of yarn specified will be enough for two baskets if you make:

5 flowers with petals in col. 54 and decor in col. 72

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When washing the coasters, dry them flat before assembling them into the flowerbed.

### Special stitches

**surface sl st** = surface slip stitch: insert your hook into the fabric at the point as pattern requires from front to back, keeping the yarn behind the work, yarn over and pull the yarn through the fabric and the working loop on your hook to complete the slip stitch.

**sdc** = stacked double crochet: ch1, sc in same st\* as ch1, insert hook in space between ch1 and sc from front to back, grab the yarn and pull up a loop, yo and pull through 2 loops. \*For the first sdc – into the ring.



**TLO** = work into the third loop only: make your stitch by inserting the hook from top to bottom in the third loop (one at the wrong side of your work just below the back loop) of the previous round stitch as pattern requires, leaving the front and back loops facing forward on the right side of the work

**FS** = finishing stitch: drop the loop from your hook; with yarn behind the work, insert hook into the 1<sup>st</sup> st from back to front, put the loop back on the hook and pull through (in total stitches count I do not count this stitch)

**stamen** = ch6, yo, insert hook into the back bump of the 1st ch from hook, grab the yarn and pull up a loop, (yo, insert hook into the back bump of the next ch from hook, grab the yarn and pull up a loop) x2, yo and pull through all 7 loops on hook, pull tight, ch1, sl st into the back bump of the last 3 sl sts.

**invisible join** = cut your yarn, leaving a few inches tail, and pull this tail all the way through the top of the last stitch made. Pick up your yarn needle and thread it with the tail of yarn. Or you may use your hook instead of a needle. Insert your needle back to front under both top loops of the second stitch. Back to the last stitch made and insert your needle into the top of it. Make sure that you insert your needle through the third loop of the stitch as well.

# **FLOWER CENTER**

With col. 21, magic ring.

**Rnd 1:** Sdc, 11 dc into the ring, FS. Tighten the ring. (Total: 12 dc)

**Rnd 2:** Work in TLO. Sdc into the 1<sup>st</sup> st, dc in same st, (2 dc in next dc) x11, FS. (Total: 24 dc)

**Rnd 3:** Work in TLO. Sdc into the 1<sup>st</sup> st, (2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc) x11, 2 dc in next dc, FS.

(Total: 36 dc)

**Rnd 4:** Ch1 (does not count as a st), sc In BLO of same st, sc in BLO of next 2 sts, (stamen, sk st, sc in BLO of next 3 sts) x8, stamen, sk st, FS. (Total: 9 stamens, 27 sc)

Cut the yarn and secure ends.

Make 5 middle pieces.

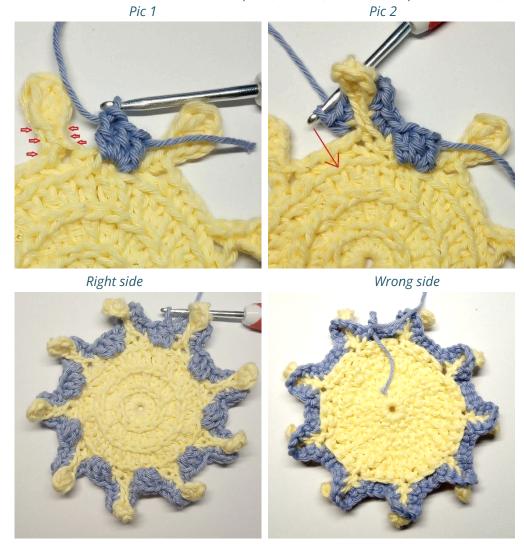




# **PETALS**

With col. 72, slip knot. Start working in the middle st of a 3-dc group of Rnd 3 between stamens of Rnd 4 (pic 1). Keep the right side facing you.

**Rnd 1:** (3 dc in FLO of the middle dc, sc in BLO of the first 3 sl sts of stamen, ch3 behind the work, sc in BLO of the last 3 sl sts of stamen, pic 2) x9, FS. (Total: 9 ch3-sps, 54 sc, 27 dc)



**Rnd 2:** Ch1 (does not count as a st), \*dc in the middle st of 3-sc group of Rnd 4 between stamens – behind the work, sk 2 sc of previous rnd, 2-dc cluster in next sc, picot, (2-tr cluster in ch3-sp, picot) x3, 2-dc cluster in next sc of previous rnd\* 9 times, FS. (Total: 36 picot, 9 dc, 18 2-dc clusters, 27 2-tr clusters). Cut the yarn and secure ends. Make for each flower.





# **DÉCOR**

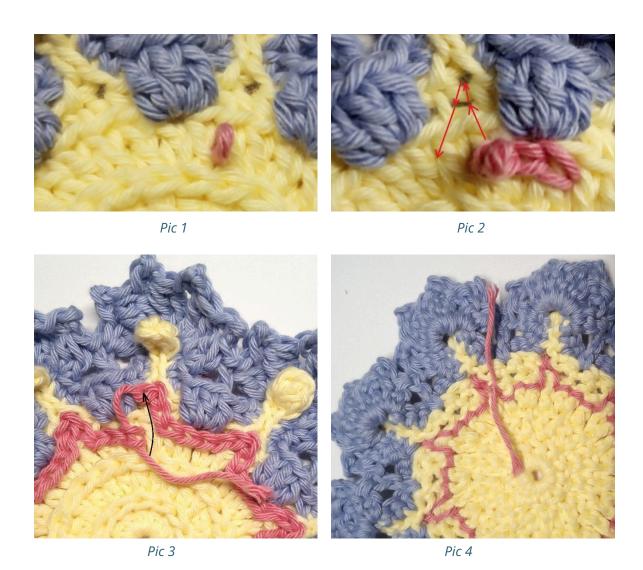
The first step of the decor is a circle made with col. 54 using surface slip stitches. Keep the right side facing you, find the skipped dc in Round 3 of the flower's middle (this is the stitch under the stamen). Insert your hook from front to back to the left of this stitch, and holding the yarn on the reverse side, pull up a loop (pic 1). \* Moving counterclockwise, make 3 surface slip stitches between the posts of the next 3 dc.

Now you are to the right of the skipped dc under the next stamen. The next surface sl st should be made in the space above the skipped dc, and another one in the bottom base of the stamen. Then, make two surface sl sts in reverse order. Follow the red arrows in pic 2, which indicate the direction of movement.

Continue working around the circle, starting from \*, and stop after making the second-to-last stitch.

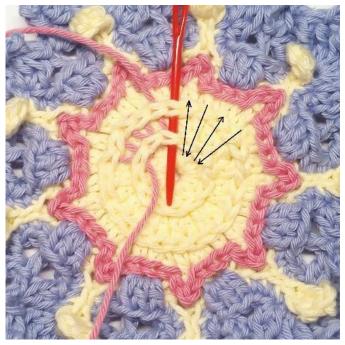
Cut the yarn and pull it through the second-to-last stitch. To form the final stitch, pass the yarn through both loops of the first surface sl st (pic 3), then insert it into the second-to-last stitch (follow the black arrow in pic 3) and pull it to the wrong side. Join it with the second end of the yarn (pic 4).





Final step: embroider the circle on the right side of the middle of the flower. Cut about 23 inches (60 cm) of col. 54 Using a needle, work along the stitches of Round 2, moving up and down (the direction is shown by the black arrows in pic 5), working under the front and back loops of the dc of Rounds 1 and 2. \* You need to insert the needle from below upwards through the loops of Round 1 and Round 2, turn the needle, insert it into the next stitch of Round 2, and return it to the same stitch of Round 1. Repeat from \* a total of 12 times: you will be using 2 stitches from Round 2 for each stitch from Round 1.





Pic 5

Pull both ends of the yarn through the center of the embroidered circle and secure the ends (pic 6). Repeat the same with a purple yarn, so that in Round 2, the stitches alternate in a checkerboard pattern relative to col. 54: from the bottom side, col. 54 and col. 72 will duplicate each other for each stitch, while on the top side, they will alternate, as shown in pic 7. Secure the ends. Hide the yarn ends between the embroidery and the middle of the flower. Work the décor for each flower.





Pic 6 Pic 7



# **FLOWERBED**

With col. 102, magic ring.

**Rnd 1:** Sdc, 11 dc into the ring, FS. (Total: 12 dc)

**Rnd 2:** Sdc into the 1<sup>st</sup> st, dc in same st, (2 dc in next dc) x11, FS. (Total: 24 dc)

**Rnd 3:** Sdc into the 1<sup>st</sup> st, (2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc) x11, 2 dc in next dc, FS. (Total: 36 dc)

**Rnd 4:** Sdc into the 1<sup>st</sup> st, dc in same st, (dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc) x11, dc in next 2 dc, FS. (Total: 48 dc)

**Rnd 5:** Work in TLO. Ch1 (does not count as a st), sc in same st as ch1, sc in next 47 sts. (Total: 48 sc)

**Rnd 6:** Ch1 (does not count as a st), sc in BLO of same st as ch1, dc in BLO of dc 2 rnds below, sk sc, (sc in BLO of next sc, dc in BLO of dc 2 rnds below, sk sc) x23, FS. (Total: 24 sc, 24 dc)

**Rnd 7:** Ch1 (does not count as a st), (dc in FLO of sc 2 rnds below, sk sc, sc in BLO of next dc) x24, FS. (Total: 24 sc, 24 dc)

**Rnd 8:** Work in BLO. Ch1 (does not count as a st), sc in same st as ch1, sc in next 47 sts. (Total: 48 sc)

**Rnd 9:** Ch1 (does not count as a st), sc in BLO of same st as ch1, dc in FLO of sc 2 rnds below, sk sc, (sc in BLO of next sc, dc in FLO of sc 2 rnds below, sk sc) x23, FS. (Total: 24 sc, 24 dc)

**Rnd 10:** Ch1 (does not count as a st), (dc in FLO of sc 2 rnds below, sk sc, sc in BLO of next dc) x24, FS. (Total: 24 sc, 24 dc)

**Rnds 11-13:** Repeat rnds 8-10 once.

**Rnd 14:** Work in BLO. Ch1 (does not count as a st), sc in same st as ch1, (picot, sk st, sc in next 5 sts) x8 omitting last sc, invisible join. (Total: 8 picot, 40 sc)

Weave in ends. Wash and dry flat.

# **Enjoy!**

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