



## how-to project: crafty crochet basket



### ABBREVIATIONS

ch—chain; cm—centimeter(s); g—gram(s);  
mm—millimeter(s); oz—ounce(s); rnd(s)—round(s);  
RS—right side; rnd(s)—round(s); sc—single crochet;  
sl—slip; st(s)—stitch(es); yd—yard(s)

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

10" [25.5 cm] diameter x 8" [20.5 cm] high

### MATERIALS

- Boye® crochet hook US size T [30 mm]
- **#7 Jumbo Yarn:** Approximately 50 yd [46 m]
- Split-ring stitch marker

### GAUGE

3 sts & 4 rows = 4" [10 cm] in sc.

Different yarn brands may vary. Take time to check your gauge.

*Notes: Slide each st up to the full circumference of the hook to maintain gauge.  
Do not join at the end of rounds: work in a spiral.*

### DIRECTIONS

#### BOTTOM

Ch 2.

**Rnd 1:** 4 sc into 2nd chain. Place marker in last sc to indicate end of rnd and move marker up as work progresses.

**Rnd 2:** 2 sc in each sc around—8 sc.

**Rnd 3:** \*Sc in next sc, 2 sc into next sc, rep from \* three more times—12 sc.

**Rnd 4:** \*Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc into next sc, rep from \* three more times—16 sc.

**Rnd 5:** \*Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc into next sc, repeat from \* three more times—20 sc.

#### SIDES

**Rnds 6-10:** Sc in each sc around and moving stitch marker up on each rnd.

#### HANDLES

**Rnd 11:** Sc into next 4 sc, ch 3, skip 3 sc, sc into next 7 sc, ch 3, skip 3 sc, sc into last 3 sc.

**Rnd 12:** Sc into next 4 sc, 3 sc into ch-3 space, sc into next 7 sc, 3 sc into ch-3 space, sc into last 3 sc.

**Rnd 13:** Sc in each sc around.

**Rnd 14:** Sl st in each sc around, join to first sc and fasten off.

### FINISHING

Weave in ends.