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Spa Accessories

A trio of designs (Basket, Pillow, and Rug) for *skacel collection, Inc.*



Photo above shows Pillow and Basket from this pattern.
Pattern for the Mitt can be found inside the Rub-a-dub ball band.

SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZES AND MATERIALS:

Finished Measurements:

	Basket	Pillow	Mat
Finished Measurements	8"l x 8"w x 4"h	12" x 14"	24" x 29"
Yarn	1 hank	1 hank	2 hanks

Featured Yarn: HiKoo® *Rub-a-dub*, 100% Microfiber; 108 yds / 200g.

addi Needles:

9 mm (approx US M) crochet hook (for basket)

8 mm (approx US 11) 24" circular (for pillow & mat)

or sizes needed to obtain gauge

Additional Notions: Tapestry needle, three 1.5" buttons,

All yarn and needles distributed by skacel collection, Inc.

STITCH PATTERNS:

Stockinette Stitch: Knit all RS rows and purl all WS rows.

Garter Stitch: Knit all rows.

Fisherman's Rib:

Row 1: *P1, k1b; repeat from * to end of row.

Repeat Row 1 for pattern.

GAUGES:

For Basket: 8 sts x 7 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4") in single crochet

For Pillow: 7 sts x 11 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4") in St st

For Mat: 6 sts x 14 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4") in Garter st

To save time, check your gauge and read all instructions thoroughly before beginning.



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INSTRUCTIONS:**Basket:**

Base: (worked flat in rows)

Ch 15.

Row 1: Sc in each st across (14 sts), ch 1, turn.

Repeat Row 1 until piece is square (approx 12 rows). Do not ch 1 on the last row; turn only.

Sides: (worked in the round)

Note: *It is helpful to mark the corners and the ch 1 on each round.*

Rnd 1: Ch 1, sc 13 sts across the first side of the established square, working into the front loop of each stitch. Sc 14 sts across each of the 3 remaining edges of the square as for the first edge. Sl st into the ch-1 stitch (56 sts).

Rnds 2 - 7: Ch 1, sc in each sc st around all 4 sides, ending with a slip stitch in beginning chain of round.

Rnd 8: Ch 1, 4 sc, ch 6, skip 6 sts, 22 sc, ch 6, skip 6 sts, 17 sc, ending with a slip stitch in beginning chain of round.

Rnd 9: Ch 1, 4 sc, sc 6 times around the chain from previous round, 22 sc, sc 6 times around the chain from previous round, 17 sc, ending with a slip stitch into beginning chain of round.

Cut yarn and weave in ends.

Pillow:

CO 24 sts.

Work in St st for 7", ending after working a WS row.

Work Fisherman's Rib for 12", ending after working a WS row.

Beginning with a RS row, work in St st for 6", or until entire piece measures 25" from cast on.

Bind off all sts.

Finishing:

Fold the piece where the Stockinette Stitch sections meet the Fisherman's Rib section and seam the side edges.

Note: *Do not sew together the opening where the two Stockinette Stitch sections meet.*

Button Loop Closures: (make 3)

Create a crochet chain with 6 sts. Tie the ends together to create a loop. Attach the three loops, evenly spaced, to one side of the unseamed Stockinette Stitch section. Sew three buttons on opposite unseamed edge to match loops.

Stuff the pillow cover with a pillow form.

Note: *If pillow is to be used in the bath, use an inflatable pillow form.*

Weave in all ends.

Mat:

Loosely CO 42 sts.

Work 10 rows of Garter Stitch.

Row 10 (RS): Knit.

Row 11 (WS): K6, p30, k6.

Repeat Rows 10 & 11 another 2 times for a total of 6 rows.

Row 16 (RS): Knit.

Row 17 (WS): K6, p5, k20, p5, k6.

Repeat Rows 16 & 17 until piece measures approx 24" from cast on.

Work Rows 10 & 11 three more times.

Work 10 rows of Garter Stitch.

Bind off all sts VERY LOOSELY.

Weave in all ends.



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ABBREVIATIONS:

approx	approximate(ly)
ch	chain
CO	Cast On
k	knit
k1b	knit into the stitch one below the next (working) stitch on the needle and knit these two sts together as one
p	purl
rnd(s)	round(s)
RS	Right Side
sc	single crochet
st(s)	stitch(es)
St st	Stockinette Stitch
WS	Wrong Side

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