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# Easter basket

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### IZE

## Diameter

approx. 16 cm

Height (without ears)

approx. 10 cm

## **MATERIALS A**

Schachenmayr Catania Grande, 50 g ball

approx. 50 g = 63 m

Col. 03212 (sand) 3 balls

Schachenmayr Catania, 50 g ball

approx.  $50 \, g = 125 \, m$ 

Col. 00401 (aprikose) remnants

**Anchor embroidery floss:** Length 1 skein = 8 m

Col. 00403 (schwarz) 1 skein Col. 00023 (rosé hell) 1 skein

## **MATERIALS B**

Schachenmayr Catania Grande, 50 g ball

approx. 50 g = 63 m

Col. 03210 (aprikose) 3 balls

Schachenmayr Catania, 50 g Knäuel

approx.  $50 \, g = 125 \, m$ 

Col. 00130 (crème) remnants

**Anchor embroidery floss:** Length 1 skein = 8 m

Col. 00403 (schwarz) 1 skein Col. 00275 (eierschale) 1 skein

Yarn amounts are approximate. Make sure to purchase enough of the same dye lot in order to complete your project. The colour names refer to the German names on the sleeves. The amount of yarn needed can vary from person to person.

1 crochet hook 5,0 mm and 4,0 mm

1 tapestry needle needle for weaving in ends

1 sharp embroidery needle

Pick&Pom, Pompommaker by Schachenmayr

+ Cherry picking

# **ABBREVIATIONS (US)**

st = stitch

= single crochet SC slst = slip stitch ch = chain

= double crochet dc hdc = half double crochet

st(s) = stitch(es) rnd(s) = round(s)

# **GAUGE**

# Basisc pattern, size 4,0 mm needle:

16 sts and 15 rounds =  $10 \times 10 \text{ cm}$ 

If your gauge differs from the given gauge, use a hook of a larger or smaller size accordingly.

### **BASIC TECHNIQUES**

## Spiral rounds

Spiral rounds are not closed with 1 sl st, but are continuously worked in spirals. This ensures that the round transition is invisible. So as to be able to tell when one rnd ends, mark the end with a contrasting color. To ensure a smooth finish, work a sl st in the next st after the last st.

# Crochet pattern for base

Work in spiral rounds of sc.

## **Basic pattern**

Continually work dc2tog. Draw the 1st loop out the last insertion point, draw the 2nd loop out through the following st so that you insert in 1 st twice. There are now 3 loops on the hook. 1 yo and fasten off all 3 loops.

# **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### Base

Using Catania Grande in Sand or Aprikose and a 5 mm hook work 6 sc in a magic ring. Continue working in spiral rounds:

#### **Rnd 1**:

Double every sc (= 12 st)

Rnd 2: double every 2th st (= 18 st)

Rnd 3: double every 3th st (= 24 st)

Rnd 4: double every 4th st (= 30 st)

**Rnd 5:** double every 5th st (= 36 st)

Rnd 6: double every 6th st (= 42 st)

Rnd 7: double every 7th st (= 48 st)

Rnd 8: double every 8th st (= 54 st)

Rnd 9: double every 9th st (= 60 st)

**Rnd 10:** double every 10th st (= 66 st)

**Rnd 11:** double every 11th st (= 72 st)

**Rnd 12:** double every 12th st (= 78 st)





### **Side sections**

Switch to a 4 mm hook and continue working in spiral rounds

**Rnd 13:** work 1 sc in every st, only inserting hook in the blp (= 78 st.)

Rnd 14-27: work in the basic pattern.

**Rnd 28:** work 1 sl st in every st (= 78 st.) Draw through and secure all threads.

#### Ears (2x)

Using Sand or Aprikose and a 5 mm hook work 6 sc in a magic ring. Continue working in spiral rounds:

Rnd 1: double every 2th st (= 9 st)

Rnd 2: double every 3th st (= 12 st)

Rnd 3: double every 4th st (= 15 st)

Rnd 4: double every 5th st (= 18 st)

Rnd 5: double every 6th st (= 21 st)

**Rnd 6 - 12:** in jede M 1 fM arb (= 21 st)

Rnd 13: work every 6th and 7th sc together (=18 st)

**Rnd 14–16:** work 1 sl st in every st (= 18 st.)

Rnd 17: work every 5th and 6th sc together (= 15 st)

**Rnd 18–23:** work 1 sl st in every st (= 18 st.) Close last rnd with 1 sl st. Draw the working thread through and cut off slightly longer. Use this thread to sew the ears onto the basket later. Work the second ear in the same way.

### **FINISHING OFF**

Squeeze the ears together slightly in the middle and sew them on to the sides of the basket. Then embroider the eyes, nose and cheeks according to the photo. Using Catania and a pompom maker (or by hand) make a bobble approx. 4.5 cm large for the tail and sew it on to the back of the basket. For Sand baskets make a tail in Aprikose and for Aprikose baskets make a tail in Crème. Fasten off all threads.

## Magic Ring





