



Stacked Chains Pencil Cup

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This pencil cup is made a bit differently from the other ones I have designed. I actually took the time to punch holes around the rim to make the crochet part permanent. It is made like the clutter bags I have designed in the past.

Materials Needed

Small amounts of worsted weight acrylic yarn in 2 contrasting colors of your choice.
Empty Crystal Light container or plastic frozen juice concentrate container.
Paper Punch with ¼" hole punch.
Size I/9 or 5.5mm aluminum crochet hook
Yarn Needle for weaving in ends.

Yarn Thickness: 4mm

Gauge: 4sc=1"

Finished Size: 3"dx5"h

Skill Level: Intermediate

Instructions

Punch 17 holes evenly spaced around rim of container. Set aside.

RND 1: With dark color, ch5, join w/slst to first ch to form ring. Ch2. Work 16hdc in ring. Join w/slst to top of ch2.

RND 2: Ch2. Hdc in same st as slst. 2hdc in each st around. Join w/slst to top of ch2. Fasten off dark color.

RND 3: Join light color in same st as slst. Working around the post of each st from the back, sc

in each st around. Join w/slst to first sc. Fasten off light color.

RND 4: Join dark color in same st as slst. Ch6, sk next st, sc in next st. Ch6. *Sk next st. Sc in next st. Ch6. Rep from * around. Join w/slst to first ch of the first ch6. Fasten off dark color.

RND 5: Join light color in any ch6 lp. 2sc same lp and in each lp around. Join w/slst to first sc. Fasten off light color.

RND 6: Join dark color in any space between the 2sc groups.



Not in the lp itself but between the lps. Ch6. *Sc in next space. Ch6. Rep from * around. Join w/slst to first ch of the first ch6. Fasten off dark.

RND 7-12: Rep rnds 5& 6. Weave all ends through work at this point.

RND 13: Join to cup by working rnd 5 through the holes and lp at the same time. Make sure that the 2sc go through the each hole. Fasten off light and weave ends through work.

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