

# Pattern

## COTTON FUN

### Shopping net



#### Difficulty level:



#### Needles:



3.0 – 3.5

#### Quality:

Cotton Fun (Gründl)  
100 % cotton  
50 g / 115 m



4 x

**Size** (measured lying down):  
approx. 36 cm wide and 50 cm  
high (without handle)

**Usage:**  
approx. 200 g

#### Pattern:

sc in rd.: each round of sc begins with 1 ch as replacement for the 1. sc and ends with 1 slip st. into the ch of the start of the round. Only work the sc into the **rear** stitch link.

#### Net pattern in rows:

1. and 2. row: 1 start ch, 1 ch arch (= 5 ch and 1 sc) around each arch of the previous row, end with 1/2 ch arch (= 2 ch and 1 dc) into the start ch of the begin of the previous row

#### Increases in net pattern in rows:

Crochet 1 additional ch arch at the beginning of the row around the 1/2 ch arch of the previous row and crochet 1 additional ch arch around the last ch arch of the previous row at the end of the row and finish with 1/2 ch arch into the initial ch of the beginning of the previous row (= 2 ch arches more).

#### Net pattern in spiral rounds:

Continue crocheting 1 ch arch around each ch arch of the previous row as well as beyond the beginning of the round. Mark the beginning of the round respectively with a contrasting tread; this helps when counting rounds.

Dc in the spiral rounds:

Continue crocheting dc beyond the beginning of the rounds. Respectively mark the beginning of the rounds.

**Stitch test:** (measured lying down)  
6 ch arches x 11 r/rd. = 10 cm x 10 cm

#### **Instructions:**

The shopping net is crochet from the top down. Crochet one ring each for the handle of the net as follows: cast on 135 ch, close with 1 slip st. to a ring and crochet 6 rd of sc. Now crochet together the cast on edge and the 6. rd with slip stitches; hereby also only stitch into the rear stitch link. Now continue working back and forth with the working yarn initially in the net pattern, hereby crocheting the 1. row onto the slip st. of the handle as follows: 1 start ch and 1 ch arch into the next but one slip st., 16 x

1 ch arch each into the respectively next but one slip st., ending with 1/2 ch arch into the next but one slip st. (= 17 1/2 ch arches). Now work a further 14 rows in net pattern, hereby increasing respectively 2 ch arches in the 8. and 15. row (= 21 1/2 ch arches after the 15. row). Placing 1. net part on hold. Work a 2. part in the same manner. Then place both net parts on top of each other and continue working in spiral round in the net pattern. With the working yarn of the 2. part, crochet 1 sc around the 1. ch arch of the first part, crochet respectively 1 ch arch around each further ch arch of the previous row. Then connect the 1. part with the 2. part with 1 sc into the 1. ch arch of the 2. part. After approx. 33 cm (= 37 rd.) for the decreases at the bottom of the net, work as follows: mark the beginning of the round and crochet [1 ch, 1 dc, 1 ch, 1 dc] around each ch arch of the previous row. Continue working in dc in spiral rounds, hereby working in the following round respectively 1 dc around each ch of the previous row. Cast off every 4. and 5. dc together during the following round. Mark these dc cast off together and cast off respectively the dc above the marking together with the dc in front of it during the subsequent rounds until the opening is almost completely shut. Crochet 1 more round of sc, hereby casting off 2 sc together and pulling the opening together with the working thread.

**Abbreviations:**

rd. = round(s)  
r = row(s)  
st = stitch(es)  
sc = single crochet  
dc = double crochet  
ch = chain stitch(es)  
slip st. = slip stitch(es)