

Apple Handle Cover



Materials:

J. & P. Coats "Knit-Cro-Sheen" Art. A.64, 1 ball each of No. 1 White, No. 9 Yellow, No. 126 Spanish Red, No. 48

Hunter's Green and No. 17 Shaded Browns; or

J. & P. Coats or Clark's O.N.T. Pearl Cotton, Art. A. or B.19, Size 5, 2 balls of No. 1 White, 1 ball each of No. 48 Hunter's Green, No. 126 Spanish Red, No. 43 Dk. Yellow and No. 81 Dk. Brown; and

J. & P. Coats Six Strand Embroidery Floss, Art. A.11, or Clark's O.N.T. Six Strand Cotton, Art. B.11, 1 skein of No. 12 Black

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 7

Piece of red felt for lining

Starting at center with Yellow, ch 6. Join with slst to form ring.

1st Rnd: Ch 3, 15 dc in ring, ch 3, slst in ring.

2nd Rnd: 5 sc over first ch-3, sc in next 5 dc, 2 sc in each of next 2 dc, 3 sc in next dc, 2 sc in each of next 2 dc, 5 sc over next ch 3, slst in first sc.

3rd Rnd: Slst in next sc, sc in next 2 sc, dc in next 11 sc, 3 dc in next sc, dc in next 11 sc, sc in next 2 sc, slst in next 2 sc. Join with slst to first slst.

4th Rnd: Slst in next slst, 2 sc in each of next 3 sts, sc in next 11 dc, 3 sc in next dc, sc in next 11 dc, 1 sc in each of next 3 sts, slst in next 2 slst. Join and break off.

5th Rnd: Attach White to first st, ch 3, dc in next 5 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sc, dc in next 8 sc, 2 dc in each of next 2 sc, dc in next 5 sc, 2 dc in each of next 2 sc, dc in next 8 sc, 2 dc in each of next 2 sc, dc in next 6 sts. Join to top of ch-3.

6th Rnd: Sc in same place as slst, sc in next dc, hdc in next 2 dc, dc in next 3 dc, tr in next 3 dc, 2 tr in next dc, 2 dc in each of next 3 dc, dc in next 5 dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc in next 9 dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc in next 5 dc, 2 dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 tr in next dc, tr in next 3 dc, dc in next 3 dc, hdc in next 2 dc, sc in next 2 dc. Join.

7th Rnd: Sc in same place as slst, sc in next st, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, 2 tr in each of next 2 sts, tr in next 4 sts, (2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts) twice; 2 dc in next st, dc in next 9 sts, 2 dc in next st, (dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts) twice; tr in next 4 sts, 2 tr in each of next 2 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in next 2 sts. Join.

8th Rnd: Sc in same place as slst, sc in next sc, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, 2 tr in each of next 2 sts, tr in next 4 sts, (2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts) 3 times; 2 dc in next st, dc in next 15 sts, 2 dc in next st, (dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts) 3 times; tr in next 4 sts, 2 tr in each of next 2 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in next 2 sts. Join.

9th Rnd: Ch 2, hdc in same place as slst, hdc in next 2 sts, dc in next 3 sts, tr in next 3 sts, 2 tr in each of next 3 sts, tr in next 6 sts, dc in next 15 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 19 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next 15 sts, tr in next 6 sts, 2 tr in each of next 3 sts, tr in next 3 sts, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts. Join to first hdc.

10th Rnd: Ch 3, dc in next 9 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, tr in next 25 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in 4 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 23 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in each of the next 2 sts, tr in next 25 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next 10 sts. Join.

11th Rnd: Sc in same place as slst, sc in each st around. Join and break off.

12th Rnd: Attach Red to same place as slst, sc in same place, sc in each sc around. Join.

13th Rnd: Slst in next 3 sc, sc in each sc around to within last 4 sc, slst in last 4 sc. Join.

14th Rnd: Slst in next 5 sts, sc in each st around to within last 6 sts, slst in last 6 sts. Join and break off. Make another piece the same way.

Leaf (make 2): Starting at center with Green, ch 30.

1st Rnd: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 2 ch, hdc in next 3 ch, dc in next 3 ch, tr in next 3 ch, dtr in next 5 ch, tr in next 3 ch, dc in next 3 ch, hdc in next 3 ch, sc in next 2 ch, 3 sc in next ch (tip of leaf); working along opposite side of starting chain make sc in next 2 ch, hdc in next 3 ch, dc in next 3 ch, tr in next 5 ch, dc in next 3 ch, hdc in next 3 ch, 2 sc in same place as first sc.

2nd – 3rd Rnd: Sc in each st around, making 3 sc in center sc of each 3-sc group. Join and break off at end of 3rd rnd.

Embroider veins with Black Embroidery Floss.

Stem (make 2): Starting at long side with Brown, make a chain 3" long.

1st Row: Dc in 4th ch from hook and in each ch for 1", 2 dc in each remaining ch (leaving 1" free from beginning of row), slst in next ch on opposite side of starting chain to form loop. Break off.

With Black Embroider Floss, embroider 2 lazy daisy sts on each side of center for seeds.

Cut a piece of felt slightly larger than outer edge of each potholder piece. Sew in place so felt overlaps edge slightly. Sew stem in place. Sew edge of leaf to each side. Sew loose ends of leaf together. Sew potholder pieces together at top over rounded sides for 3".