

ICE CREAM BORDER

US crochet terms used throughout.

Abbreviations: st(s) = stitch(es)

ch = chain

sc = single crochet

dc = double crochet

pc = popcorn

Design: Lankava, Molla Mills

Finished size: 5x105 cm

Yarn: 100 g of Liina Cotton Twine, 12-ply, in Undyed (1) (100% cotton, 500 g/roll), and Molla Cotton Twine, 12-ply: 100 g in Lavender (71), and 100 g in Lion yellow (35) (100% cotton, 500 g/roll).

Hook: 2.5 mm (US 1/2), or according to personal gauge

Gauge: 28 rows = 10 cm

Other supplies: Ø 30 mm key ring, 2 pieces

Tapestry crochet: The strap is worked flat, using 2 colors according to the chart. Crochet around the color not in use. At each edge, do not crochet the yarn inside the edge st, but leave it waiting, turn, and then work it again inside the 2nd st from the edge. This will make the edges neater. When you change color, make the last yarn over of the previous sc with the new color. Keep both yarns at an even tension throughout the work, and check that the yarn running inside the sts is not too loose.

Popcorn (pc): Make 5 dc in same st, remove hook from loop and insert into 1st dc and then into dropped loop, yarn over and pull through both sts. The pc will pop on the right side of the work.

Instructions: Ch 9 with the Undyed Liina Cotton Twine.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 7 sts = 8 sc.

Rows 2-17: Ch 1, sc in next 7 sts.

Row 18: Fold the piece in half, and crochet scs through both the starting edge and sts from row 17 (= loop for the key ring).

Row 19: Ch 1 and sc in the 1st st, sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in the last st = 10 sts.

Row 20: Take up the Lion yellow yarn and begin tapestry crochet: Ch 1, sc in next 6 sts with Undyed, change to yellow, sc in next 3 sts.

Row 21: Ch 1, sc in next 4 sts with yellow, sc in next 5 sts with Undyed.

Row 22: Ch 1, sc in next 2 sts with Undyed, sc in next 7 sts with yellow.

Row 23: Ch 1, sc in next 4 sts with yellow, sc in next 5 sts with Undyed.

Row 24: Ch 1, sc in next 6 sts with Undyed, sc in next 3 sts with yellow.

Row 25: Ch 1, sc in next 9 sts with Undyed. Repeat 41 more times rows 20-25. End with 20 rows of scs in Undyed. Cut yarn, but leave a 20 cm tail for sewing.

Take up the Lavender yarn and make popcorns into the other edge of the strap. Make 2 pcs into each of the cones made with the Lion yellow yarn, with even spaces from the edge of each cone.

Row 1: Pc into ch-1 space between rows 21 & 22, ch 2, skip 2 rows, pc,*ch 2, skip 4 rows, pc, ch 2, skip 2 rows, pc*, repeat *-* till the end of row. Cut yarn.

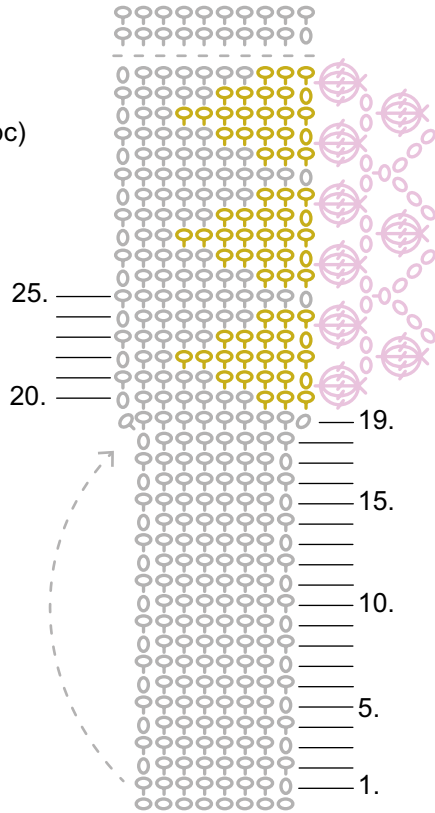
Row 2: Attach yarn again into ch-2 space between the 1st and 2nd pc of previous row. Make pc into the ch-2 space (replace 1st dc with a ch 3), *ch 3, sc into next ch-2 space, ch 3, pc in next ch-2 space*, repeat *-* till the end of row. Cut yarn and weave in ends.

Finishing: Fold the end of the strap and sew it on the wrong side, on top of 18th row counting from the end. Put key rings into the loops.

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- 🍿 = popcorn (pc)



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