

PILE RAG RUG

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Finished size 50x85 cm

Yarn approx. 1 kg of Aino Rag Rug Yarn (cut from recycled cotton sheets, 1-2 kg/package)

Other supplies 100x50 cm piece of Stafil Plastic net (width 100cm, 100% polypropylene, square 10x10 mm), a curved needle with a large eye, 3 cm wide guide for making the knots, e.g. 3x30-40cm ruler or a strip cut from sturdy cardboard.

Instructions Cut a 50x85 piece of the Stafil plastic net and cut off the notches left at the edges.

To make the edges neat, use the rag rug yarn and whipstitches to go around all the edges of the net.

Use the guide to make pile rows across the shorter side of the net.

Start from the bottom and leave the first row of the net empty. Start making rya knots into 2 vertical net threads next to each other.

Make 10 knots, or a desired number, at a time and pull the guide away from inside the knots. When one whole row is knotted, cut the pile open and move onto the next row.

Make the next row one thread aside of the previous one so that the knots do not lie directly above the previous knots.



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