

CD Wall Pockets



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For CDs in jewel cases...a request from my son :)



Materials:

- About 8-10 ounces of a stiff worsted weight acrylic yarn (I used Red Heart)
- Crochet hook size H or size needed to achieve gauge
- Six safety pins or stitch markers
- Optional: Piece of small diameter dowel cut to fit inside the width of the piece
- Yarn needle

Gauge: Rows 1-5 = 7 1/4" x 1 1/4"

Finished Size: About 6 1/2 wide x 20" long

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Front

Ch 25.

Row 1: Sc in the 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 2-14: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc) Check gauge after row 5.

Row 15: Sc in the back loop only of the first sc and mark the unworked front loop with a safety pin, sc in the back loop only of each of the next 2 sc, ch 18, skip next 18 sc, sc in the back loop only of each of the last 3 sc; ch 1, turn.

Row 16: Sc in each of the first 3 sc, sc in each of the next 18 ch's, sc in each of the last 3 sc; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 17-28: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 29-108: (Repeat rows 15-28) 5 times. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: Join yarn with a sc in the foundation ch at the base of the first sc on row 1 of the front (this would be the stitch opposite the beginning yarn tail), sc in each remaining foundation ch across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 2-14: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Row 15: Insert hook into the first sc and into the first unworked front loop on row 15 of the front (marked with a safety pin) and pull up a loop, yo and pull through both remaining loops on hook to complete sc, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 15 of the front; complete sc) 2 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the front loop only of the next sc on row 15 of the front; complete sc) 18 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked

front loop on row 15 of the front; complete sc) 3 times; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 16-28: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 29: Insert hook into the first sc and into the first unworked front loop on row 29 of the front (marked with a safety pin) and pull up a loop, yo and pull through both remaining loops on hook to complete sc, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 29 of the front; complete sc) 2 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the front loop only of the next sc on row 29 of the front; complete sc) 18 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 29 of the front; complete sc) 3 times; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 30-42: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 43: Insert hook into the first sc and into the first unworked front loop on row 43 of the front (marked with a safety pin) and pull up a loop, yo and pull through both remaining loops on hook to complete sc, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 43 of the front; complete sc) 2 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the front loop only of the next sc on row 43 of the front; complete sc) 18 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 43 of the front; complete sc) 3 times; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 44-56: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc) Do not fasten off. We will continue with this piece next week.

Row 57: Insert hook into the first sc and into the first unworked front loop on row 57 of the front (marked with a safety pin) and pull up a loop, yo and pull through both remaining loops on hook to complete sc, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 57 of the front; complete sc) 2 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the front loop only of the next sc on row 57 of the front; complete sc) 18 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 57 of the front; complete sc) 3 times; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 58-70: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 71: Insert hook into the first sc and into the first unworked front loop on row 71 of the front (marked with a safety pin) and pull up a loop, yo and pull through both remaining loops on hook to complete sc, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 71 of the front; complete sc) 2 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the front loop only of the next sc on row 71 of the front; complete sc) 18 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 71 of the front; complete sc) 3 times; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 72-84: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 85: Insert hook into the first sc and into the first unworked front loop on row 85 of the front (marked with a safety pin) and pull up a loop, yo and pull through both remaining loops on hook to complete sc, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 85 of the front; complete sc) 2 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the front loop only of the next sc on row 85 of the front; complete sc) 18 times, (insert hook in the next sc and into the next unworked front loop on row 85 of the front; complete sc) 3 times; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Rows 86-98: Sc in each sc across; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Row 99: Inserting hook through both loops of row 98 of the front and back, sc in ea. sc across to join back to front; ch 1, turn. (24 sc)

Row 100: Sc in each sc across; do not turn. Continue sc'ing the front and back together in the sides of the rows along the side of the piece (you may need to use a smaller hook to keep these stitches from ruffling) until you reach row 1 at the top, ch 50, (at this point you may optionally insert a piece of thin dowel, cut to fit the width of the piece, inside the top), sc the front and back together in the sides of the rows along the opposite side of the piece; join with a sl st to the first sc.

Next round: Sl st in each sc and in each ch around to reinforce stitches for strength. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Optional finishing: If you added a dowel in row 100, push the dowel to very top of the inside of the piece, so that is nestled securely under row 1. Thread a yarn needle with a length of yarn and sew the front and back together just below the dowel to hold the dowel in place. Adding the dowel will prevent the wall pocket from sagging at the top when filled with CD's.

