



PATTERN 26

COLOURS: 1

## Sand dollar (US)

Do not turn, do not join.



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| Rnd 1.  | Start with MR. ch 1 (does not count as a st), 6 sc in MR (6) |
| Rnd 2.  | inc in each st around (12)                                   |
| Rnd 3.  | (sc 1, inc) * 6 (18)   |
| Rnd 4.  | (sc 1, inc, sc 1) * 6 (24)                                   |
| Rnd 5.  | (sc 3, inc) * 6 (30)   |
| Rnd 6.  | (sc 2, inc, sc 2) * 6 (36)                                   |
| Rnd 7.  | (inc, sc 5) * 6 (42)   |
| Rnd 8.  | (sc 5, inc, sc 1) * 6 (48)                                   |
| Rnd 9.  | (sc 3, inc, sc 4) * 6 (54)                                   |
| Rnd 10. | sc 27, inc, sc 26 (55)                                       |
| Rnd 11. | F/O, weave in all loose ends.                                |

### Upper Part (with star shaped embellishment):

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| Rnd 1. | Make a MR. 1 ch (does not count as st) 5 sc into MR (5 sts)   |
| Rnd 2. | (PM-1 in 8th ch, PM-2 in 11th ch and PM-3 in 14th ch) [1 sc, 21 ch, 1 sc] crochet 5 times (10 sc, 100 ch)   |
| Rnd 3. | (work in the sc of previous rd, make sure that the chains are on the top of the work) 1 inc, 1 sc crochet 5 times (15 sts)  |
| Rnd 4. | (sc 2, inc) * 5 (20)  |
| Rnd 5. | (sc 1, inc, sc 2) * 5 (25)  |
| Rnd 6. | (sc 3, inc, sc 1) * 5 (30)  |
| Rnd 7. | (inc, sc 5) * 5 (35)  |
| Rnd 8. | (sc 4, inc, sc 2) * 5 (40)  |
| Rnd 9. | 1 sc each in next 2 sts, 1 inc in next st, 1 sc in next st, work 1 sc by inserting the hook in ch with M-1 of rd 2 and in next st at the same time, 1 sc in next 2 sts, work 1 sc by inserting the hook in ch with M-3 of rd 2 and in next st at the same time crochet 5 times (45 sts) |

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**Rnd 10.** Rnd 10: 1 sc each in next 4 sts, 1 inc in next st, 1 sc each in next 2 sts, work 1 sc by inserting the hook in ch with M-2 of rd 2 and in next st at the same time, 1 sc in next st crochet 5 times (50 sts)

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**Rnd 11.** Rnd 11: 8 sc, 1 inc, 1 sc crochet 5 times, do not F/O (55 sts) DIDNT FIX YET

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Both pieces of the sanddollar are finished now. To shape the sand dollar, cut out a circle of cardboard. The diameter should be just a little smaller than the diameter of the lower part. Place the cardboard between the upper and lower part during crocheting Rnd 12. Fill the sand dollar before crocheting both pieces close completely. Only fill the upper part, the cardboard circle is situated directly on top of the lower part.

**Join upper and lower part (Edging = Rd 12):**

Use the yarn tail of the upper part. Holding both pieces together, right sides outside. Crochet the edges of both parts together as follows:

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**Rnd 12.** (start in the next st of the upper part and in any st of the lower part - crochet in the st of the last round of both pieces at the same time) \*2 ch (count as first dc), 1 dc in next st, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc each in next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc each in next 2 sts, 2 ch, 1 slst in next st - the slst lie above each peak of the 5-pointed-star, 2 ch, 1 dc in next st\* crochet 5 times (start with 1 dc instead of the 2 ch for the next 4 repeats) (65 sts)

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F/O, weave in the ends.