

Rose Petal Sachet

The example shown here was made with DMC Cebelia size 20 thread and a 1.25 mm crochet hook. Sample measures: 7" across (edge to edge). You can use whatever thread and hook size you wish.

Notes: The original pattern (1950s) had directions for using different colored threads, I've kept those instructions as-is below in case you wanted that type of multi-colored sachet. For the finished item pictured, I just used one color.

Abbreviations: Ch (chain); st (stitch); sc (single crochet); dc (double crochet); sl st (slip stitch); lp (loop); hdc (half double crochet)--thread over as for a dc, insert hook in st and pull through, thread over and pull through all 3 lps at once; rnd (round); sp (space); p (picot).



Directions:

Ch 5, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Round 1: Ch 4 (for a ch 2 and hdc), (hdc in ring, ch 2) 4 times, join last ch 2 in second ch of ch 4 first made.

Round 2: (Sc, hdc, 3 dc, hdc, sc) over each of the ch 2 sps.

Round 3: * Ch 4, taking ch behind petals, sc between the next two petals, repeat from * around.

Round 4: (Sc, hdc, 5 dc, hdc, sc) over each ch, join and fasten off.

Round 5: Join second color between two petals with a sl st, * ch 7, sl st in center dc of petal, ch 7, sl st between two petals, repeat from * around, join at beginning.

Round 6: * 3 sc over ch lp, (ch-3 for a p, 3 sc) 3 times over lp, repeat from * over each ch lp around. Fasten and cut off.

Round 7: Join yellow to middle p of 3 p group, * ch 7, sl st to center ch 3 p of next group, repeat from * around.

Round 8: Ch 7, * dc in center of ch of preceding rnd, ch 4, dc in joining at lp, ch 4, repeat from * around and join.

Round 9: (Sc, hdc, 3 dc, hdc, sc) over each ch 4 around, join and fasten off.

Make two motifs for each sachet. For the inner pad, cut two circle pieces of satin and sew up partially. Stuff with cotton and sprinkle with your favorite sachet or fill with a homemade potpourri mix. Finish sewing it together.

Place the pad between the two crocheted pieces and thread narrow ribbon through the openings, finishing with a bow.

Sachet Roll

This is a pattern from 1944 for a pincushion that could also be used as a sachet, just replace the muslin body with fresh herbs or potpourri as needed.

Materials:

Daisy Mercerized Crochet Cotton
size 30 in White
Crochet hook size 10
1 yard ribbon
Muslin and silk covering for
cushion.

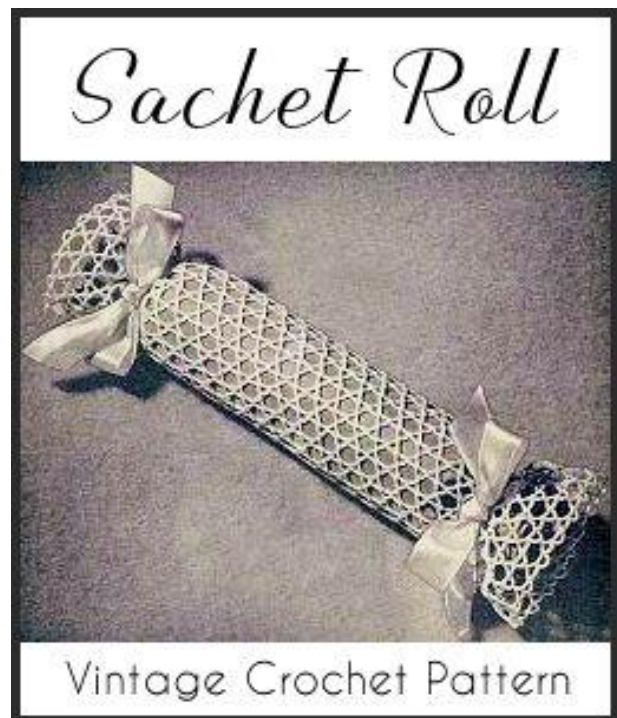
Directions:

Cut muslin 5 1/2" x 7 1/2", seam
together long sides, turn hem on
one end and gather tightly. Stuff hard with cotton, hem and gather
open end.

Make a ch 1" longer than cushion, sc in 12th st, (ch 8, sc in next 7th st)
across to length of cushion, ch 3, tr in next 4th st. Cut off excess ch.

Row 2--Ch 5, turn, sc in 3-ch, * ch 3, (sc, ch 5, sc) in next loop. Repeat
from * across. Ch 3, (sc, ch 2, dc) in end loop.

Row 3--Ch 1, turn, sc in dc, (ch 8, sc in next 5-ch loop) across.



Row 4--Ch 5, turn, * (sc, ch 5, sc) in next loop, ch 3. Repeat from * across. Ch 2, dc in end sc.

Row 5--Ch 8, turn, sc in next 5-ch loop, (ch 8, sc in next 5-ch loop) across, ch 3, tr in end loop. Repeat from Row 2 until size around cushion, ending with Row 2. Ch 1, turn, sc in dc, (ch 6, sc in next 5-ch loop) across. *

Beading Row--Continue across end with ch 10, tr in next 8-ch row, (ch 5, tr in next 8-ch row) across to corner. Turn, (ch 8, sc in next 5-ch loop) across, ch 3, tr in end st.

Repeat Rows 2, 3, 4 and 5 twice and Row 2 again. Fasten off.

Repeat from * on other end.

Cover cushion with a silk casing, with hemmed ends slightly shorter than crochet. Run ribbon thru Beading Row on each end and tie in bows.

Source: Lily's Album of Crocheted Designs (1944)



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