

## CLOVE BIKINI

## MATERIAL

YARN = "Summer Vibes" by "Laines du Nord": 1 ball x
50 grams of white col. and 1 ball of col. 4
CROCHET-HOOK = size 4.5
OTHERS = darning needle, scissors, pins, marker.

POINTS USED
Chain stitch, single crochet, half treble crochet, treble crochet, double crochet. dunion

## NOTES

## SKILL LEVEL: Easy

## ABBREVIATIONS

RS = right side of work
WS = wrong side of work
st./ sts. = stitch / stitches
ch = chain stitch
col. = colour
$\mathbf{s c}=$ single crochet
dc = double crochet
h-tr = half treble crochet
tr $=$ treble crochet
rep. = repeat
foll. = follow / following
cont. = continue
prev. = previous

## INSTRUCTIONS

## BIKINI BRA

Using 2 different colours of same ball, shape 2 triangles.
First bra-cup (triangular shape)
Using the colour you prefer, cast-on 8 ch and close in ring shape with 1 sc in beg. ch.
1st round: 3 ch (= 1 st tr, also in next r.), 5 tr inside the ring, ( $4 \mathrm{ch}, 5 \mathrm{tr}$ ) inside the ring; close with 2 ch and $1 \mathrm{~h}-\mathrm{tr}$ in 3 rd beg. ch. [3 groups of $5 \mathrm{tr}, 3$ space of ch]

Cont. following the triangular motif of diagram 1 until the end of 7th round.
Cut and tie off the thread.

## Second bra-cup (triangular shape)

Using different colour, work as given for first bra-cup until al 6th round then, across the 7th round joint the two bracups.

7th round: $3 \mathrm{ch}, 2 \mathrm{tr}$ in same base space of $3 \mathrm{ch}, 1 \mathrm{tr}$ in each tr until next ch-corner-space, ( $3 \mathrm{tr}, 3 \mathrm{ch}, 3 \mathrm{tr}$ ) in cornerspace, 1 tr in each tr until next ch-corner-space, 3 tr in space-corner, 9 ch (= 2 ch for corner shaping 7 joining ch), 1 sc in the corresponding corner of first bra-cup, turn and work 1 sc in first 7 ch of 9 -ch-group, 1 ch to complete the corner-space of this motif, 3 tr in the corner-space of prev. $3 \mathrm{tr}, 1 \mathrm{tr}$ in each tr until next corner, 3 ch ; 1 sc in 3 rd beg. $c h$. Cut end tie off the yarn.

Open-work lower band of the bra
Use different col. yarn.

## KNITTING PASSION

Turn 2 bra-cups upside down (points facing downwards) and on WS, join the yarn at right corner, then work 1 row in dc along the lower edge of 2 cups and of 7 -ch-central-group like shown by the diagram 1 . After reaching the left corner, turn and work 5 rows more, always according to the red highlighting of diagram 1.

## FINIGHING

At the end of 6th row of open-work band, to not turn and do not cut the yarn, then continue in dc along the 1st short side of open-wok band, around the top edge of bra, working ( $2 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{ch}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ ) in 3 -ch-space of the point of each bra-cup and along the 2 nd short side of open-work band, at last close with 1 sc in 1st dc of 6th row of the open-work band.

Work the second round in dc around the perimeter of the bra, always working ( $2 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{ch}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ ) in 2-ch-space of the cup points.

Cut and tie off the yarn. Hide the ends inside the fabric.
Laces: refer to the photos, shape 4 ch-laces of the desired length, to fasten the bra behind: neck and back. Shape some tassels and sew 1 tassel at the ends of the laces.

## BRAZILIAN PANTIES

The panties consist of 2 panels: front and back.
PANEL (x 2)

## Hexagon

Using the colour you prefer, shape a magic ring.
1st round: 3 ch (= 1 st tr, also in next r.), 2 tr inside the ring, ( $2 \mathrm{ch}, 3 \mathrm{tr}$ ) 5 times; pull the end of the yarn to tighten the ring, then close with 1 ch and 1 dc in 3 rd beg. ch. [6 groups of $3 \mathrm{tr}, 6$ spaces of ch]

Cont. foll. the diagram 2 until you have worked the 6th row of the hexagon, at last, do not cut the yarn and begin the first side strip.

## First side strip

1st row: $3 \mathrm{ch}, 1 \mathrm{tr}$ in 3 rd beg. ch of 6 th round of the hexagon, 1 tr in each of 11 tr along 1 st side of the hexagon, 2 tr tog. (work the 1st leg in last tr of the same side and 2nd leg in next corner-space), turn.

Cont. foll. the red section of the diagram 2, rep. 2nd and 3rd row until you have worked the 13th row, then work 5 rows more, decr. 1 st. on both sides of every row, like shown. Cut and tie off the thread.

## Second side strip

Skip one side of the hexagon and along the opposite side, work second strip as given for first one.

## Lower strip

Skip one side of the hexagon and along the opposite side, work 17 rows as give for first 2 strips, whereas across 18th row work 1 tr in each st.

At the end of 18th row, do not cut the yarn and on RS, work one round in dc around the panel. Cut and tie off the thread.

## FINISHING

Place one panel on the other one (RS against RS) and on WS, join the 18th row of 2 lower strips (crotch of the panties).

Hide the ends inside the fabric.

## KNITTING PASSION

Work 2 laces as made for bra. Pass each lace through the empty squares of the corresponding side strips and close the sides of the panties with one bow.

Shape 2 tassels and sew them at the end of each lace.

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