

## **Beaded Phone Holder**

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4ply cotton approx. 40g 280 beads 3mm hook

To suit phone 16.5cm x 7.5cm x 1cm.\*

Chain 20.

**Round 1** 1TR in 4<sup>th</sup> chain from the hook until the last chain.(first three ch counts as 1 TR) In the last chain do 3 TR.

Work 1 TR in the back of each chain until the last 3 chain and sl st to the top of the 3<sup>rd</sup> chain. (36 TR)

**Round 2** 3 chain (counts as first TR). 2 TR in the next stitch, 1 TR in the next 15 TR, 2 TR in the next stitch, 1 TR in the next stitch, 2 TR in the next stitch, 1 TR in the next 15 stitches, 2 TR in the next stitch, sl st to the top of the 3<sup>rd</sup> chain, (40 TR). Turn.

**Round 3** Chain 1, DC in last TR, beaded DC in the next TR, \*DC in next TR, beaded DC in the next TR\* repeat to the end, sl st to the first DC. Turn

**Round 4** Chain 3, 1TR in each stitch to the end, sl st to the top of the 3<sup>rd</sup> chain. Turn

**Round 5** Repeat round 3.

Round 6 SI st to the DC after the bead, chain 3, 1 TR in the next 2 stitches, then 1 TR around the previous three stitches in the last DC from the previous round. \*miss one stitch and 1 TR into the next 3 stitches, 1 TR around the previous three stitches into the missed stitch \* repeat to the end, sI st to the 3<sup>rd</sup> chain. Turn.

**Round 7** Repeat round 3.

Repeat round 4 to 7 five times.

Repeat round 4 and 5.

To add a handle – sl st to the beaded DC before turning at the end of Round 5. Once you have turned, Ch 1, DC into the next 3 stitches. Work as many rows of 3DC as you wish to get the length of the handle you want. On the opposite side find the centre 3 stitches and sl stitch the handle to the other side.

Fasten off and sew in the ends.

\*If you want this just a little wider add two extra chains and in round 2 work 17 TR instead of 15. At the end of round 1 you will have 40TR and end of round 2 you will have 44TR.