

Tunisian Phone Cozy #2



Hooked on Häkelmaschen - Edith Horn

Materials

Stylecraft Special DK (100% premium acrylic, 100 g / 295 m)

For my sample I used about 22 g yarn in total

colour A - 1099 Grey

colour B - 1835 Buttermilk

4.5 mm Tunisian hook

yarn needle, scissors, 2 buttons (optional)

Finished Size

about 9.5 x 17 cm

The size can be adjusted by adding or reducing stitches and/or repeats.

The pattern has a four-row repeat and works in multiples of 4 stitches plus 1

Gauge

not crucial for this project

Skill Level

Easy

If you are unfamiliar with any of the stitches or techniques used, the following links provide step-by-step explanations

- [foundation row](#)
- [standard return pass](#)
- [end stitch](#)
- [binding off](#)
- [Tunisian Simple Stitch \(TSS\)](#)
- [Colour change on the right-hand side](#)

The pattern uses one special stitch: the *extended Tunisian front post double crochet (extTFPdc)* .

The colours are changed in each row at the end of the return pass on the right-hand side.

The special stitch and the colour change are explained on page 5.

Stitches and abbreviations used are listed on page 5.



Pattern

Foundation chain 33

Colour A **FwdP:** start in the second chain from hook, pick up a loop from the back bar of each chain and keep it on the hook - (33 loops on hook)
RetP: work standard return pass, change to colour B on the last 2 loops

Row 2 **FwdP:** skip first vertical bar, 31 TSS, work end stitch

Colour B **RetP:** work standard return pass, change to colour A on the last 2 loops

Row 3 **FwdP:** skip first vertical bar, [3 TSS, 1 extTFPdc] 7 times, 3 TSS

Colour A **RetP:** work standard return pass, change to colour B on the last 2 loops

Row 4 **FwdP:** skip first vertical bar, 32 TSS, work end stitch

Colour B **RetP:** work standard return pass, change to colour A on the last 2 loops

Rows 5 **FwdP:** skip first vertical bar, 1 TSS, 1 extTFPdc, [3 TSS, 1 extTFPdc] 7 times, 1 TSS, work end stitch

Colour A **RetP:** work standard return pass, change to colour B on the last 2 loops

Repeat rows 2-5 four more times, then repeat row 2 once (this completes row 22), cut yarn B at the end of row 22.

Row 23 **FwdP:** bind off the first 16 stitches, working the stitches as [3 TSS, 1 extTFPdc] 3 times

Colour A then continue with the flap working
[3 TSS, 1 extTFPdc] 2 times, 3 TSS - (17 loops on hook)

RetP: work standard return pass, change to colour B on the last 2 loops

Row 24 **FwdP:** skip first vertical bar, 15 TSS, work end stitch

Colour B **RetP:** work standard return pass, change to colour A on the last 2 loops

Row 25 **FwdP:** skip first vertical bar, 1 TSS, 1 extTFPdc, [3 TSS, 1 extTFPdc] 3 times, 1 TSS, work end stitch

Colour A **RetP:** work standard return pass, change to colour B on the last 2 loops

Row 26
Colour B Repeat row 24



Row 27 **FwdP:** skip first vertical bar, [3 TSS, 1 extTFPdc] 3 times, 3 TSS, work end stitch
Colour A **RetP:** work standard return pass, change to colour B on the last 2 loops

Repeat rows 24-27 once (this completes row 31).

Row 32
Colour B repeat row 24, cut yarn B at the end of the return pass

Row 33 skip first vertical bar, bind off, working the stitches as TSS
Colour A 1 extTFPdc, [3 TSS, 1 extTFPdc] 3 times, 1 TSS, end stitch

Work away the tails.

Finishing

For my sample, I used colour A to join the bottom and side edges.
The join is created using a running stitch, working through the back loops (*the inner loops*).

The flap and the upper edge are framed with a small border, also using colour A. Just attach the yarn somewhere and work a round of slip stitches.

You can, of course, use any other joining method you prefer or add a different border to the flap.

Optional

Sew on one or two buttons and crochet matching loops to close the cover.



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Abbreviations and stitches used (US Terms)

FwdP	forward pass	yo	yarn over
RetP	return pass	[]	work instructions within brackets as many times as directed
TSS	Tunisian Simple Stitch		
extTFPdc	extended Tunisian Front Post Double Crochet		

Extended Tunisian Front Post Double Crochet (extTFPdc)

- yo, insert the hook from front to back and to front again under the front and back vertical bar of the next stitch 2 rows down
- yo and pull up a loop
- yo and pull through 1 loop on hook
- yo and pull through 2 loops on hook - keep the loop on the hook



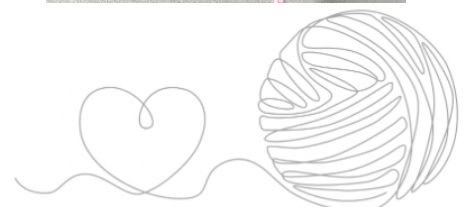
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Colour change

For this pattern, you need to change the colour after each row. It is changed at the end of the return pass, when there are only two loops left on the hook. Simply pick up the new colour and pull it through the last two stitches at once. The last stitch on the crochet hook now has the new colour. The unused yarn is not cut but carried along the side.



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- Formatting and layout improvements
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No changes were made to the pattern instructions.

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