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Luster Sheen yarn in Think Pink, White and Bluette, size E crochet hook and needle to take both sizes of yarn.

<u>GAUGE:</u> Flower is  $3-1\setminus 2''$  across.

COVER:

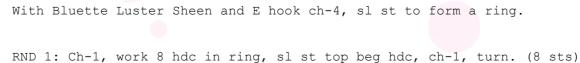
ROW 1: With White Luster Sheen and E hook ch-7, hdc 3<sup>rd</sup> ch from hook, hdc ea ch across, ch-1, turn. (4 sts)

ROW 2: Hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn.

Rep row 2 until the piece will fit around the vase, basket or pot you would like to cover and fasten off.

The cover is designed to be just wide enough to support the flower and no bigger. If you would like to cover the entire vase, basket or pot you just make multiple strips.

BLUE FLOWER:



RND 2-4: (2 hdc next st, hdc next st) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (12

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#### sts) (18 sts) (27 sts)

RND 5: (2 hdc next st, hdc next 2 sts) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (36 sts)

<u>RND 6:</u> \* sc next st, (hdc, dc) next, 2 trc next 2, (dc, hdc next) sc next, \* rep bet \*\* around, sl st top beg sc, fasten off. You will have 6 petals.

### COIL CENTER:

ROW 1: With Bluette and E hook loosely ch-9, 6 sc  $2^{nd}$  ch from hook, 6 sc next ch, 7 hdc next 2 ch, 8 dc next 2 ch, 8 trc last ch, fasten off.

Let coil and with Luster Sheen and needle tack to center of blue flower.

### PINK FLOWER:

With Think Pink Luster Sheen and E hook rep 1-6 of blue flower for the base.

### INNER PINK FLOWER:

With Think Pink Luster Sheen and E hook ch-4, sl st to form a ring.

RND 1: Ch-1, work 12 sc in ring, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (12 sts)

RND 2-3: (2 sc next st, sc next st) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (18 sts)(27 sts)

RND 4: (2 sc next st, sc next 2 sts) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (36 sts)

RND 5: \* sc next st, (hdc, dc) next, 2 trc next 2, (dc, hdc next) sc next, \* rep bet
\*\* around, sl st top beg sc, fasten off. You will have 6 petals.

### BUTTON CENTER:

With Rose and E hook ch-3, sl st to form a ring.

RND 1: Ch-1, work 8 hdc in ring, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn.

<u>RND 2:</u> (Hdc dec next 2 sts) around, sl st top beg hdc, fasten off. (4 sts)
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Layer one inner pink flower over the large flower making sure the petals do not line up. Place button in the center and with needle and Luster Sheen tack to hold tog.

# FINISHING:

Sew the flowers to your strip making sure the petals over lap. Sew short ends of the finished cover tog and side over the vase, basket or pot. If you have an irregular shaped item you are covering it may be easier to just place the cover over the item and then sew the end tog.



Basket



Abbreviations

Ch = Chain

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St = Stitch	Beg = Beginning			
SI St = Slip Stitch	Rep = Repeat			
Sc = Single Crochet	Bet = Between			
Hdc = Half Double	Dec = Decrease			
Crochet	Ea = Each			
Dc = Double Crochet	Sa = Same			
Trc = Treble Crochet	Tog = Together			

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