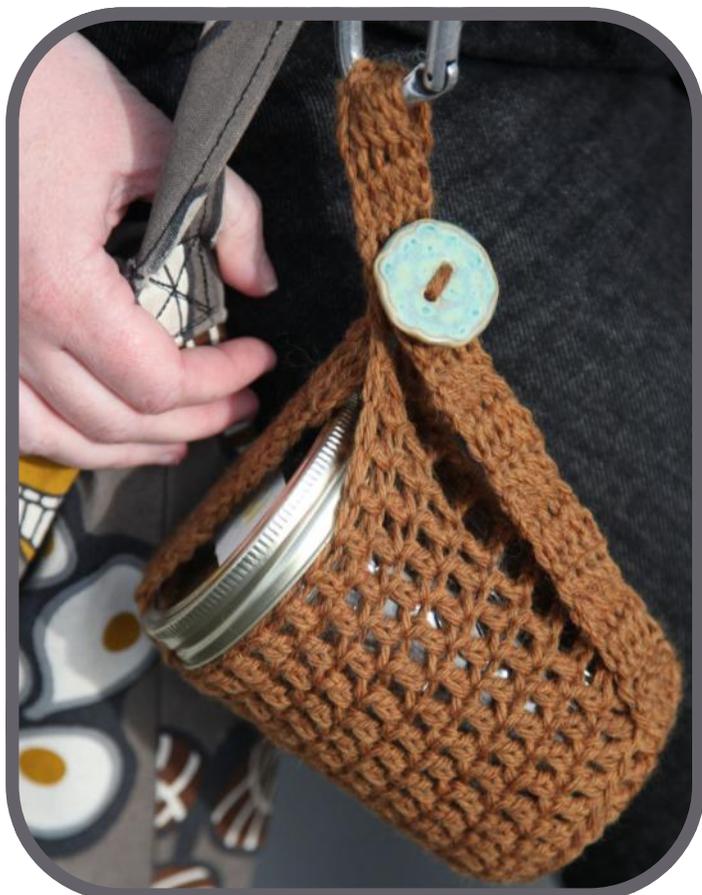




## #511 Jar, Bottle, or Can Cozy

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### Finished Size:

6-8" around, 4" tall or desired height

### Yarn:

1 skein Valley Yarns Northampton (100% wool, 247 yds / 100g) color Gold Heather (about 50 yds used)

### Hook:

US size 7 (4.50mm) crochet hook or size needed to get gauge

### Additional materials:

One 1" or larger button (optional)

### Gauge:

about 14sts and 8 rows = 4" in double crochet

### Abbreviations:

ch: chain; dc: double crochet; sl st: slip stitch

This simple, crocheted cozy will help you insulate and carry your favorite beverages, water bottles, soups, or canned goods. The base acts as a built-in coaster while the roomy carrying strap can be clipped to a bag or belt loop. Eyelets under the strap let you see how much of the contents remain. An additional security strap stretches over the top of a jar, but can easily be slid out of the way when necessary.

### Base:

Ch5 and sl st into 1st ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Ch3 (counts as first dc), 9dc into ring, sl st to 3rd ch of ch3. 10dc total.

Rnd 2: Ch3, 1dc into same st, 2dc in each dc around, sl st to 3rd ch of ch3. 20dc total.

Rnd 3: Ch3, \*2dc in next dc, 1dc in next dc; rep from \* to last dc, 2dc in last dc, sl st to 3rd ch of ch3. 30dc total.

### Sides:

Turning ridge: Ch3, 1dc in the back loop only of each dc around, sl st to 3rd ch of ch3.

Rnd 1: Ch6 (counts as first dc, ch3) skip 3dc, 1dc in each dc around, sl st to 3rd ch of ch3.

Rnd 2: Ch6, skip 3ch, 1dc in each dc around, sl st to 3rd ch of ch6.

Repeat Rnd 2 until sides measure about 4" or desired length.

### Side Strap:

Row 1: Ch3, 3dc into ch6 space, 1dc in next dc. Turn. 5dc total.

Row 2: Ch3, 1dc in each of next 4dc. Turn.

Repeat Row 2 until strap measures 6" or desired length

Attach to base by working 1 sl st into both 1dc of the strap and 1 front loop of the turning ridge at the same time across strap.

### Stability Strap:

Attach yarn to the side opposite the side strap.

Row 1: Ch3, 1dc in each of next 4dc. Turn.

Repeat this row for 4" or until strap stretches over the top of intended jar plus an inch or two. Fasten off yarn.

Thread strap through topmost ch6 eyelet on the side of the cozy, pinch the side strap so it forms a loop at the top and thread stability strap through the fabric of the side strap. Tie end of stability strap in a knot or sew on large button to secure it. Sew in all loose ends.