



 CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

### ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** =

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**Beg** = Begin(ning)

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Cont** = Continue

**Dcbp** = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work,

inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice.

**Dcfp** = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work, inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice.

**Hdc** = Half double crochet

**Hdcbp** = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work, inserting hook from right to left. Yoh and draw through 3 loops on hook.

**Hdcfp** = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work, inserting hook from right to left. Yoh and draw through 3 loops on hook.

**Pat** = Pattern

**Rem** = Remain(ing)

**Rep** = Repeat

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)

**RS** = Right side

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Scbl** = Single crochet in back loop only of next stitch

**Scfl** = Single crochet in front loop only of next stitch

**Scfp** = Draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work, inserting hook from right to left. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook.

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**Sp(s)** = Space(s)

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**Tog** = Together

**WS** = Wrong side

**Yoh** = Yarn over hook

### MATERIALS

**Patons® Hempster™** (3.5 oz/100 g; 190 yds/174 m)

**Main Color (MC)** White Sand (11013) **6 balls**

**Contrast A** Sepia (11017) **1 ball**

Size U.S. G/6 (4 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**  
Tapestry needle.

### MEASUREMENTS

Approx 18" [45.5 cm] wide x 12" [30.5 cm] high, excluding fringe.

### GAUGES

16 sc and 20 rows = 4" [10 cm].  
26½ sts and 16 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Diamond Pat section.

**Note:** Bag is worked in 2 pieces (Outer Bag and Inner Lining) and joined tog in Finishing.

## OUTER BAG

**Note:** Outer Bag is worked in 1 piece beg with Diamond Pattern Section worked from side to side. Next, Top and Bottom Sections are worked across edges of Diamond Pattern Section (see chart).

### Diamond Pattern Section:

With MC, ch 40. See diagram on page 5.

**1st row:** (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Ch 6. Skip next 6 ch. 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. Ch 13. Skip next 13 ch. 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. Ch 6. Skip next 6 ch. 1 sc in last ch. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 7 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 5). Skip next ch-6. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 7. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 7. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 5. 1 hdcbp around next sc. Turn.

**3rd row:** Ch 6 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 4). Skip next ch-5. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9.

Skip next ch-7. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-7. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 4. 1 hdcfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-7 from last row). Turn.

**4th row:** Ch 5 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 3). Skip next ch-4. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-9. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-9. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 3. 1 hdcbp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-6 from last row). Turn.

**5th row:** Ch 4 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 2). Skip next ch-3. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 3. Working over all 4 ch to enclose them, 1 sc in 7th foundation ch 5 rows below. Ch 3. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 2. 1 hdcfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-5 from last row). Turn.

**6th row:** Ch 3 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 1). Skip next ch-2. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Skip next (ch 3. 1 sc. Ch 3). 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 1. 1 hdcbp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-4 from last row). Turn.

**7th row:** Ch 2 (counts as 1 sc. Ch 1). Skip next ch. 1 scfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 scfp around each of next 6 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 scfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 1. 1 scfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-3 from last row). Turn.

**8th row:** Ch 4 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 2). Skip next ch. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 7. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 2. 1 hdcbp around next hdc (worked around first ch of ch-2 from last row). Turn.

**9th row:** Ch 5 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 3). Skip next ch-2. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-7. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 3. 1 hdcfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-4 from last row). Turn.

**10th row:** Ch 6 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 4). Skip next ch-3. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 4. 1 hdcbp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-5 from last row). Turn.

**11th row:** Ch 7 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 5). Skip next ch-4. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 3. Working around all 9 ch to enclose them, 1 sc in ch-7 sp 9 rows below. Ch 3. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 3. Working around all 9 ch to enclose them, 1 sc in

ch-7 sp 9 rows below. Ch 3. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 5. 1 hdcfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-6 from last row). Turn.

**12th row:** Ch 8 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 6). Skip next ch-5. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Skip next (Ch-3. 1 sc. Ch-3). 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Skip next (Ch-3. 1 sc. Ch-3). 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 6. 1 hdcbp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-7 from last row). Turn.

**13th row:** Ch 7 (counts as 1 sc. Ch 6). Skip next ch-6. 1 scfp around each of next 6 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 scfp around each of next 6 dc. Ch 6. 1 scfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-8 from last row). Turn.

**14th row:** Ch 7 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 5). Skip next ch-6. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 7. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 sc. Ch 7. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 5. 1 hdcbp around next sc (worked around first ch of ch-7 from last row). Turn.

**15th row:** Ch 6 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 4). Skip next ch-5. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-7. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-7. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 4. 1 hdcfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-7 from last row). Turn.

**16th row:** Ch 5 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 3). Skip next ch-4. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-9. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 9. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 11. Skip next ch-9. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 3. 1 hdcbp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-6 from last row). Turn.

**17th row:** Ch 4 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 2). Skip next ch-3. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-11. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 3. Working over all 9 ch to enclose them, 1 sc in ch-7 sp 9 rows below. Ch 3. 1 dcfp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-11. 1 around in each of next 3 dc. Ch 2. 1 dcfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-5 from last row). Turn.

**18th row:** Ch 3 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 1). Skip next ch-2. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Skip next (Ch-3. 1 sc. Ch-3). 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 13. Skip next ch-13. 1 dcbp around each of next 3 dc. Ch 1. 1 hdcbp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-4 from last row). Turn.

Rep 7th to 18th rows 10 times more, then rep 7th to 12th rows once.

**Next row:** (RS). Ch 7 (counts as 1 sc. Ch 6). Skip next ch-6. 1 scfp around each of next 6 dc. Ch 6. Working over all 5 ch to enclose them, 1 sc in ch-7 sp 5 rows below. Ch 6. 1 scfp around each of next 6 dc. Ch 6. 1 scfp around next hdc (worked around first 2 ch of ch-8 from last row). Fasten off.

**Note:** First and last sts at each edge of Top and Bottom Sections are selvage sts and will be used for Side Seam.

**Top Section: 1st row:** (RS). Join MC with sl st at corner to work across first long edge of Diamond Pattern Section (see chart). Ch 3 (counts as 1 dcfp). 1 dcfp around each vertical ch across. Turn. 146 dc.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 scfl around each dc to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each st to end of row. Fasten off.

**Bottom Section: 1st row:** (RS). Join MC with sl st at corner to work across second long edge of Diamond Pattern Section (see chart). Ch 3 (counts as 1 dcfp). 1 dcfp around each vertical ch across. Turn. 146 dc.

Proceed with Twisted Tabs (see diagram on page 4) as follows:

**1st row:** (WS). Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 2 sc. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

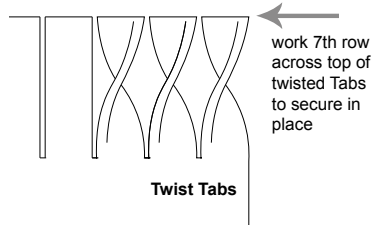
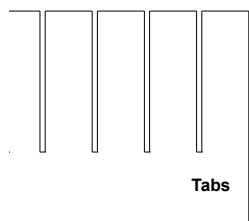
**2nd to 6th rows:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each of 2 sc. Turn.

Fasten off.

With WS facing, join MC with sl st in next st along row. Rep 1st to 6th rows to create next Tab. Fasten off.

Cont working in this manner, working individual 2-st Tabs across. 73 Tabs. **Do not** turn.

**7th row:** With WS facing, twist 1st Tab so RS of top of Tab is facing and Tab has a single twist in it. Join MC with sl st in first sc of Tab to work across. Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. 1 sc in next sc. Twist 2nd Tab in same manner as 1st, being sure to twist in same direction. 1 sc in each sc across 2nd Tab. Cont working in this manner, twisting each Tab and working 1 sc in each sc across. 146 sc. Turn.



**8th to 12th rows:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. Fasten off.

## INNER LINING

With MC, ch 73.

**1st row:** 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 72 sc.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Rep 2nd row until piece from beg measures 18" [45.5 cm]. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

### Seam Outer Bag

**Side seam:** With RS facing each other, fold Outer Bag in half aligning shortest edges with each other. Join MC with sl st to corner of Bag to work across side seam. Ch 1. *Working through both thicknesses* and taking care to align pat, work sc evenly across (around selvage sts), fastening and rejoining as necessary to avoid seaming Twisted Tab edges. Turn Outer Bag RS out.

**Bottom seam:** With RS facing, join MC with sl st to corner of Bag to work across bottom seam. Ch 1. *Working through both thicknesses*, work sc evenly across. Fasten off.

**Trim: 1st rnd:** With RS of Outer Bag facing, join MC with sl st at side seam to work around top edge. Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 144 sc around, skipping 2 selvage sts in side seam. Join with sl st to first sc.

**2nd rnd:** Ch 1. 1 scbl in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

**3rd rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each st around. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

**4th rnd:** Join A with sl st at top edge. Ch 1. \*1 scbl in each of next 3 sc. 1 dc in rem loop of next sc 1 row below top edge, skipping next sc along top edge. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st in first sc. 144 sts.

**5th to 8th rnds:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each st around. Join with sl st to first sc.

Fasten off.

**Next rnd (strap hole rnd):** Fold Bag to find side seam. Count back 3 sts from side seam and re-join A with sl st. Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. Ch 6. Skip next 4 sc. 1 sc in each of next 68 sc. Ch 6. Skip next 4 sc. 1 sc in each of next 67 sc. Join with sl st to first sc.

**Next rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. 6 sc in next ch-6 sp. 1 sc in each of next 68 sc. 6 sc in next ch-6 sp. 1 sc in each of next 67 sc. Join with sl st to first sc. 148 sts.

**Next 3 rnds:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

## Strap

With A, ch 481.

**1st row:** (WS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 480 sc.

**2nd and 3rd rows:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

**4th row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. **Do not** turn. Cont working around Strap as follows:

**Edging rnd:** (RS). Ch 1. Sl st evenly around 4 sides of Strap. Join with sl st to first ch. Fasten off.

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### Seam Inner Lining

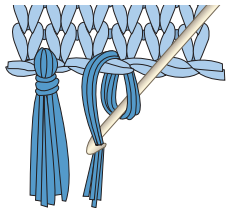
Fold Inner Lining in half aligning foundation ch and final row edge. Join MC with sl st to corner of Inner Lining to work across side seam. Ch 1. *Working through both thicknesses*, work sc evenly across side seam. Fasten off. Rep for second side seam.

## Sew Inner Lining and Outer Bag Tog

Place Inner Lining into Outer Bag, aligning top edge of Inner Lining with top edge of MC section of Outer Bag. With MC and tapestry needle, sew Inner Bag Lining in place ensuring sts are not visible on RS of Outer Bag.

## Fringe

Cut lengths of MC 15" [38 cm] long. Taking 6 strands, fold in half and knot into fringe in every 2nd st along Bottom Seam of Outer Bag. Trim fringe evenly.



**Attach Strap:** Fold Strap in half and pull looped end through ch-6 sp in Trim. Pull loose ends of Strap through loop to secure in place (in same manner as making fringe knot). Take loose ends of Strap and knot through rem ch-6 sp in Trim to secure in place, adjusting to desired length and leaving ends hanging loosely.

