



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx =	Rem = Remaining	Sl st = Slip stitch
Approximately	Rep = Repeat	Sp(s) = Space(s)
Beg = Begin(ning)(s)	Rnd(s) = Round(s)	St(s) = Stitch(es)
Ch = Chain(s)	RS = Right side	Tog = Together
Dc = Double crochet	Sc = Single crochet	Yoh = Yarn over hook

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 12" [30.5 cm] square x 3" [7.5 cm] deep, excluding handles.

GAUGE

12 dc and 7.5 rows = 4" [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

MOTIFS (make 6 each of Square 1, 2, and 3):

Square 1: C as Color 1, A as Color 2, B as Color 3, MC as Color 4.

Square 2: A as Color 1, B as Color 2, C as Color 3, MC as Color 4.

Square 3: B as Color 1, C as Color 2, A as Color 3, MC as Color 4.

Note: Ch 3 at beg of row counts as dc.

With Color 1, ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form a ring. See diagram on page 3.

1st rnd: Ch 3. 2 dc in ring. (Ch 2. 3 dc in ring) 3 times. Ch 2. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

2nd rnd: Join Color 2 with sl st to any ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. *(3 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp. Rep from * twice more. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

3rd rnd: Join Color 3 with sl st to any ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. *3 dc in next sp between 3-dc cluster. (3 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp. Rep from * twice more. 3 dc in next sp between 3-dc cluster. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

MATERIALS

Red Heart® Super Saver® (7 oz/198 g; 364 yds/333 m)

Main Color (MC) Aran (0313) **1 ball or 350 yds/320 m**

Contrast A Minty (0520) **1 ball or 75 yds/68.5 m**

Contrast B Shocking Pink (0718) **1 ball or 75 yds/68.5 m**

Contrast C Bright Yellow (0324) **1 ball or 75 yds/68.5 m**

Size U.S. I/9 (5.5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® yarn needle. Safety pins for assembly.

4th rnd: Join Color 4 with sl st to any ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. *3 dc in next sp between 3-dc cluster twice. (3 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp. Rep from * twice more. 3 dc in next sp between 3-dc cluster twice. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

Body of Bag

Using Motif Assembly Diagram on page 3, sew Squares tog using MC.

Top Edges of Body of Bag:

With RS facing, join MC with sl st to top right corner of Body of Bag.

1st row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each dc or corner sp to end of Top Edge. Fasten off.

Rep for second Top Edge as indicated in Motif Assembly Diagram.

Bag Sides (make 2).

With MC, ch 44. See diagram on page 3.

1st row: 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each of next 41 ch. 3 sc in last ch. Working into opposite side of foundation ch, 1 sc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 87 sc.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 42 sc. 2 sc in each of next 3 sc. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 90 sc.

3rd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 42 sc. (2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc) 3 times. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 93 sc.

4th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 42 sc. (2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc) 3 times. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 96 sc.

5th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 42 sc. (2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc) 3 times. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 99 sc.

6th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 42 sc. (2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 sc) 3 times. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. **Do not** turn. 102 sc. Working across straight edge of Bag Side, ch 1 and work 10 sc evenly across. Fasten off.

Join Bag Sides to Body of Bag

Using safety pins, pin Sides to Body of Bag as shown in Bag Assembly Diagram on page 3.

With RS of Body of Bag facing, join MC with sl st to top corner of Body of Bag and Side.

1st row: Ch 1. Working through both thicknesses, work 104 sc evenly around edge. Fasten off.

Rep for second side.

Bag Handles (make 2).

With MC, ch 67.

1st row: 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of ch. Turn. 66 sc.

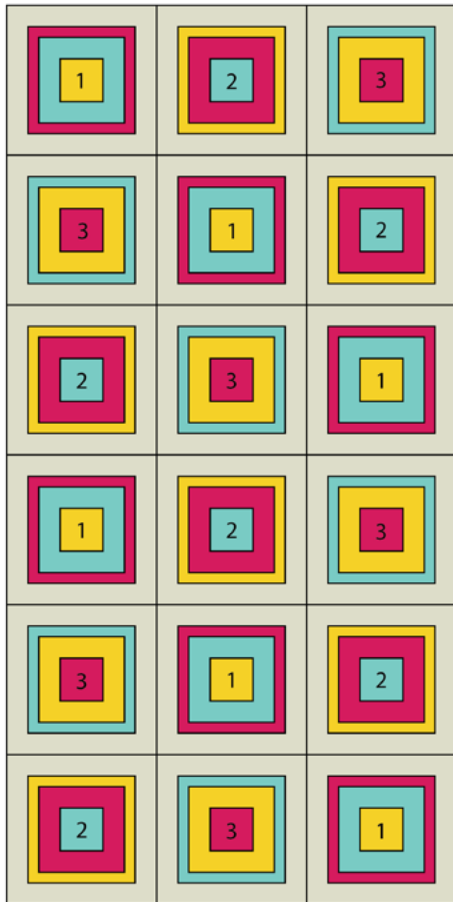
2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Rep 2nd row until work from beg measures 3" [7.5 cm]. Fasten off.

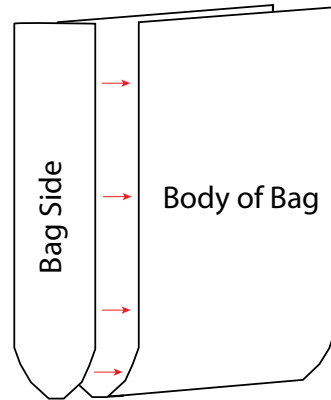
Sew Handles to Bag as shown in photo.



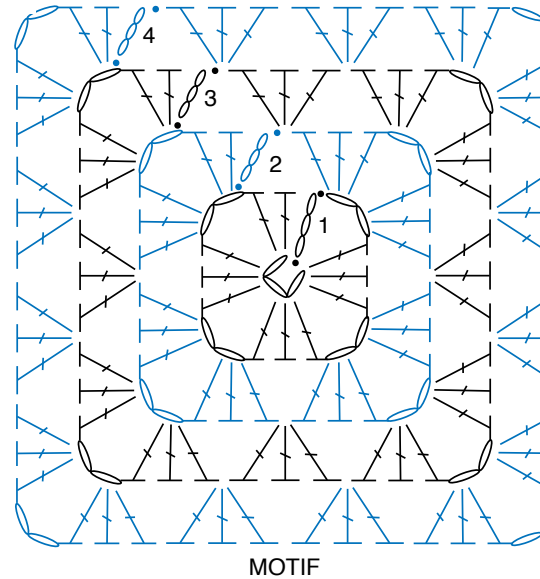
MOTIF ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM







BAG ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM



MOTIF DIAGRAM



- STITCH KEY
-  = chain (ch)
 -  = slip stitch (sl st)
 -  = single crochet (sc)
 -  = double crochet (dc)

