



#### **WOVEN LOOK KNIT BUCKET BAG** | KNIT



#### **MATERIALS**

**Lily** Sugar'n Cream (2.5 oz/70.9 g; 95 yds/86 m)

Contrast A Teal (01133) 2 balls or 110 yds/101 m **Contrast B** Seabreeze (01201) 1 ball or 24 yds/22 m Contrast C Rose Pink (00046) 1 ball or 27 yds/25 m 1 ball or 39 yds/36 m Contrast D Ecru (00004)

Sizes U.S. 4 (3.5 mm) and U.S. 6 (4 mm) circular knitting needles 16" [40.5 cm] long. Set of 4 size U.S. 6 (4 mm) double-pointed knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge. Stitch marker.





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#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**Alt** = Alternate(ing)

**Approx** = Approximately

**Beg** = Beginning

**Cont** = Continue(ity)

K = Knit

**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches

together

**Pat** = Pattern

**Rem** = Remain(ing)

**Rep** = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

**Sl1Pwyif** = Slip next stitch purlwise with yarn held in front

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

**Tog** = Together

**Yo** = Yarn over

#### **MEASUREMENTS**

Approx 20" [51 cm] circumference x 10" [25.5 cm] tall.

### **GAUGE**

22 sts and 40 rnds = 4'' [10 cm] in Linen St Pat on larger needles. 22 sts and 28 rnds = 4" [10 cm] in stocking st on larger needles.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

### **BAG**

**Stripe Pat** 

With A, work 2 rnds.

With B, work 2 rnds.

With C, work 2 rnds.

With D, work 2 rnds.

These 8 rnds form Stripe Pat.

Beg at top edge of Bag, with A and larger circular needle, cast on 108 sts. Join in rnd, being careful not to twist. Place marker for beg of rnd.

1st rnd: \*K1. Sl1Pwyif. Rep from \* around.

2nd rnd: \*SI1Pwyif. K1. Rep from \* around.

These 2 rnds form Linen St Pat. First 2 rnds of Stripe Pat are now in position.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, work a further 12 rnds in Linen St Pat.





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With D, knit 4 rnds (stocking st). **Next rnd (eyelet rnd):** (K18. yo. K2tog) 3 times. K6. (K2tog. yo. K18) twice. K2tog. yo.

Knit 4 rnds.

Beg at first rnd of Stripe Pat, work 32 rnds in Linen St Pat.

Break D.

Change to A and smaller circular needle, proceed as follows:

1st rnd: Knit. 2nd rnd: Purl.

Rep these 2 rnds 6 times more.

Change back to larger circular needle and knit in rnds until work from beg measures 10" [25.5 cm].

## **Shape Base**

**Note:** Transfer sts onto double-pointed knitting needles when necessary.

**1st rnd:** \*K10. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 99 sts.

**2nd and alt rnds:** Knit.

**3rd rnd:** \*K9. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 90 sts.

**5th rnd:** \*K8. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 81 sts.

**7th rnd:** \*K7. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 72 sts.

**9th rnd:** \*K6. K2tog. Rep from \* around, 63 sts.

**11th rnd:** \*K5. K2tog. Rep from \* around, 54 sts.

**13th rnd:** \*K4. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 45 sts.

**15th rnd:** \*K3. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 36 sts.

**17th rnd:** \*K2. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 27 sts.

**19th rnd:** \*K1. K2tog. Rep from \* around. 18 sts.

**21st rnd:** \*K2tog. Rep from \* around. 9 sts.

Break yarn leaving a long end. Thread end through rem 9 sts. Draw up and fasten securely.

### **DRAWSTRING**

Cut 9 strands of C approx 35" [90 cm] long. Fasten all strands tog at one end with a knot, leaving a 3" [7.5 cm] tail. Braid tog with yarn held in groups of 3 strands. When 3" [7.5 cm] yarn tail remains, fasten with a knot. Trim evenly. Weave through eyelets in Eyelet rnd, ensuring that ends of Drawstring are located in 2 eyelets that are closest tog (center front).

#### **HANDLE**

Cut 3 strands each of A, B, and C approx 70" [178 cm] long. Fold strands in half around a 6" [15 cm] length of A, and secure by tying a knot in A. Separate yarn into 3 groups of 6 strands (2 strands each of A, B and C). Braid tog. When 6" [15 cm] yarn tail remains, fasten with a knot. Trim evenly. Secure both ends of Handle to center back of Bag, 2" [5 cm] down from top of Bag.

