

Danica Boho Bag

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Width: 13½" Height: 18"

MATERIALS Combo #1:

Premier® Yarns Cotton Fair® Bulky (52% cotton, 48% acrylic; 3.5oz/100g, 153yds/140m)

- A: 2081-18 Turquoise 1 ball
- B: 2081-06 Bubblegum 1 ball
- C: 2081-11 Classic Blue 1 ball

Premier® Yarns Cotton Fair® Bulky Prints (52% cotton, 48% acrylic; 2.9oz/85g, 130yds/119m)

• D: 2082-06 City Lights - 2 balls

Combo #2:

Premier® Yarns Cotton Fair® Bulky (52% cotton, 48% acrylic; 3.5oz/100g, 153yds/140m)

- A: 2081-18 Silver 1 ball
- B: 2081-01 White 1 ball
- D: 2081-19 Black 1 ball

Premier® Yarns Cotton Fair® Bulky Prints (52% cotton, 48% acrylic; 2.9oz/85g, 130yds/119m)

• C: 2082-08 Newsprint - 2 balls

Hook: US Size I-9 (5.5 mm) or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers

GAUGE

Each granny square = 6%" square Save time, check your gauge.

Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Chain, single and double crochet stitches.
- Single crochet 3 stitches together.
- Changing colors.
- Seaming.
- Working in joined rounds.

STITCH GUIDE

Single crochet 3 together (sc3tog): Insert hk in indicated st, yarn over and pull up a lp, (2 lps on hk), (insert hk in next st, yarn over and pull up a lp) twice, (4 lps on hk), yarn over, pull through all 4 lps (2 sts dec'd).

PATTERN NOTES

15 Granny Squares are worked separately, then sewn together to make the bag. A border is worked around top of bag. Handles are worked separately and sewn to top of granny square point on each side. Granny squares are worked in joined rounds and yarn color is changed at beginning of most rounds. Color sequence can be changed to make the squares your own. To change color, fasten off old color and join new color, as instructed.

BAG

Granny Square (make 15) With A, ch 4.

Rnd 1 (RS): 2 dc in 4th ch from hk (3 skipped ch count as dc), [ch 3, 3 dc in same ch] 3 times, ch 3, join with sl st to top of beg ch-3 – four 3-dc groups and 4 ch-3 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: From RS, draw up a lp of B in any ch-3 sp, ch 3 (counts as first dc), (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same ch-sp, *ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next ch-3 sp; rep from * 2 more times, ch 1, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 –

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eight 3-dc groups, 4 ch-3 sps and 4 ch-1 sps. Do not fasten off.

Rnd 3: Continuing with B, ch 1, sc in same st as joining sl st, sc in next 2 dc, (sc, ch 1, sc) in next ch-3 sp, *sc in next 3 dc, ch 3, sc next ch-1 sp, sc in next 3 dc, (sc, ch 1, sc) in next ch-2 sp, rep from * 2 more times, sc in next

3 dc, ch 3, sk next ch-1 sp, join with sl st in first sc – 32 sc, 4 ch-3 sps and 4 ch-1 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 4: From RS, draw up a lp of C in any corner ch-3 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch-1 sp, *ch 2, (4 dc, ch 3, 4 dc) in next ch-3 sp (corner made), ch 2, sc in next ch-1 sp, rep from * 2 more times, ch 2, (4 dc, ch 3, 4 dc) in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, join with sl st in first sc — eight 4-dc groups, 4 sc, 4 corner ch-3 sps and 8 ch-2 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: From RS, draw up a lp of D in any corner ch-3 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same ch-sp, *(ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp) twice, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp, rep from * 2 more times, (ch 1, 3 d cin next ch-2 sp) twice, ch 1, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 16 3-dc groups, 4 corner ch-3 sps and 12 ch 1 sps. Do not fasten off.

Rnd 6: Continuing with D, ch 1, sc in each dc and ch-1 sp around, working 3 sc in each corner ch-3 sp, join with sl st in first sc – 68 sc.

Fasten off.

FINISHING

From RS, arrange Granny Squares following Assembly Diagram. From RS with D, sew along edges to join Granny Squares. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Top Border

Rnd 1 (RS): From RS, draw up a lp of D in the ch-3 sp of the top Granny Square at one top point, ch 1, 3 sc in same ch-3 sp, *sc in each st to the 'valley' in center, working over next 3 sts, sc3tog, sc in each st to next ch-3 sp at top point**, 3 sc in ch-3 sp; rep from * around, ending last rep at **.

Handle

Leaving a 12" long tail for sewing, with D, ch 6, join to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 1, 6 sc in ring, do not join, work in continuous rnds (spiral).

Place a marker in first st made to indicate beg of rnd. Move marker up at beg of each rnd.

Rnd 2: Sc in each st around.

Repeat Row 2 until Handle is 20" or desired length. Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing.

Sew each end of handle over (3 sc, ch 1, 3 sc) on each point of assembled bag.

Abbreviations

beg begin(ning)

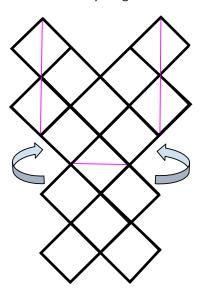
ch chain

dc double crochetdec'd decreasedhk hook

lp loop

pattern patt remain(ing) rem repeat rep rnd(s) round(s) RS right side single crochet SC sp(s) space(es) stitch(es) st(s) sl st slip stitch

Assembly Diagram:





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Combo #2



