



Crochet Elf Gift Bag

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Circumference: 34"

Height: 19"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Parfait Chunky® Glitz (94% Polyester, 6% Silver Glitter; 3.5oz/100g, 109yds/100m)

- C1: 2135-10 Cardinal Glitz – 1 ball
- C2: 2135-08 Key Lime Glitz – 2 balls
- C3: 2135-01 White Glitz – 2 balls
- C4: 2135-03 Sunshine Glitz – 2 balls

Premier® Yarns Parfait Chunky® (100% Polyester; 3.5oz/100g, 131yds/120m)

- C5: 1150-32 Shell – 1 ball
- C6: 1150-03 Cotton Candy – 1 ball

Hook: US Size J-10 (6mm) crochet hook *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, removable stitch marker, 2 – ¾" safety eyes or buttons in color of your choice with needle and matching thread

GAUGE

10 sc x 11 rows = 4" in Single Crochet

Save time, check your gauge.

Techniques/skills used in this pattern:

- Chain stitches.
- Crocheting in the round.
- Slip stitches, single, half double, and double crochet.
- Sc2tog decreases.
- Changing colors.
- Bobble stitches.

- Seaming/sewing.

PATTERN NOTES

This Gift Bag is worked from the bottom up beginning with one flat rectangular piece that is then joined to work in the round. Do not join at the end of each round, instead work in continuous rounds. Use a removable stitch marker to mark the first stitch of the round, and move the marker up with each subsequent round.

STITCH GUIDE

Magic Ring: Wrap yarn around your left middle finger twice, leaving a 6" tail. Insert hook under both strands and pull up a loop. Ch 1 and beg working directly into center of ring. This ring can be tightened later by pulling on the yarn tail.

MB (Make Bobble): (Yo, insert hook in indicated st and pull up a loop, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook) 5 times, yo and pull through all 6 loops on hook – 1 bobble made.

BAG

Bag Bottom (Boots)

With C1, ch 13.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn – 12 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. Rep Row 2 until piece measures 12".

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Note: You will now work the final row to setup for working in the rnd for the Bag Body.

Setup Row: Ch 1, sc in each sc across to last sc, work 2 sc in last sc, do not turn.

Bag Body (Boots)

Setup Rnd: Continuing with C1, turn piece at a 90-degree angle and working around the perimeter of the Bag Bottom (Boots), work 30 sc evenly along edge, work 2 sc in corner, sc in 10 sc along short edge to next corner, work 2 sc in corner, work 30 sc evenly along long edge, work 2 sc in corner, sc in each sc to end – 88 sc.

Rnd 1: Sc in each sc around.

Rep Rnd 1 for 1”.

Pants

Switch to C2 and work Rnd 1 for 2”.

Belt Section

Switch to C3 and work Rnd 1 for 3 rnds.

Switch to C2 and work Rnd 1 for 3”.

Optional Fancy Collar

Rnd 1: Switch to C3 and work 1 hdc in each sc around.

Rnd 2: In the flo, *sl st, sk 1, (2 dc, ch2, 2 dc) in next st, sk 1, sl st in next st; rep from * around – 22 collar points.

Rnd 3: Switch to CC3, sc through the two unused lps from the prev rnd (2nd and 3rd lps of hdc) in

each st around – 88 sc.

Face Section

Switch to C5 and work Rnd 1 for 2”.

Nose Section

Continuing with C5, work Rnd 1 for 3 rnds.

Next Rnd: Sc in next 21 sc, **MB** in next sc, sc in each sc around.

Continuing in C5, work Rnd 1 for 4 rnds.

Hat

Switch to C4 and work Rnd 1 for 2”.

Switch to C2 and work Rnd 1 for 2½”.

Next Rnd: *Sc in next sc, ch 1, sk next sc; rep from * around.

Next Rnd: Sc in each sc and in each ch-1 sp around.

Next 3 Rnds: Sc in blo of each sc around. Fasten off.

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Ears (make 2)

With C5, make **Magic Ring**.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in ring, pm in first sc to mark beg of rnd.

Rnds 2-3: Sc in each sc around – 6 sc.

Rnd 4: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * around – 9 sc, 3 sc inc’d.

Rnd 5: Sc in each sc around – 9 sc.

Rnd 6: *Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from *

around – 12 sc, 3 sc inc’d.

Rnd 7: Sc in each sc around – 12 sc.

Rnd 8: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * around – 18 sc, 6 sc inc’d.

Rnd 9: Sc in each sc around – 18 sc.

Rnd 10: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * around – 24 sc, 6 sc inc’d.

Rnds 11-12: Sc in each sc around – 24 sc.

Rnd 13: *Sc2tog, sc; rep from * around – 18 sc, 6 sc dec’d.

Rnd 14: *Sc2tog; rep from * around – 9 sc, 9 sc dec’d.

Rnd 15: Sc2tog [4 times], sc in last sc.

Fasten off. Using photo as a guide, sew Ears to sides of Gift Bag on the last rnd of the Face Section.

Eyes

Using the photo as a guide, sew buttons or attach safety eyes approximately 1” above nose.

Drawstring

With C1 and C3, make a crochet chain 36” long. Fasten off.

Weave drawstring through ch-1 sps in Hat section.

Crocheted Pompoms (make 2)

With C3, make a **Magic Ring**. Sc 6 into the ring – sc.

Rnd 1: 2 sc into each st around (12 sc)

Rnd 2: *2 sc in next st, sc in next st; rep from * around – sts inc’d, 18 sc.

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Rnd 3: *2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 st; rep from * around – sts inc'd, 24 sc.

Rnd 4-6: Sc in ea sc around.

Rnd 7: *Sc2tog, sc in next 2 st; rep from * around – sts dec'd, 18 sc rem.

Rnd 8: *Sc2tog, sc in next st; rep from * around – sts dec'd, 12 sc rem.

Rnd 9: Sc2tog 6 times – 6 sts dec'd, 6 sc rem.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail to cinch the top and sew to end of Drawstring.

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Rosy Cheeks (*make 2*)

With C5, make **Magic Ring**.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in ring.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around – 12 sc.

Fasten off. Using the photo as a guide, sew Rosy Cheeks on Face Section.

Using Photo as a guide, use length of C1 to add diagonal stripes to Belt Section. Stripes should be 3 sts apart and slant at an angle of 1 st. Weave in any remaining ends. Sew on eyes, using Photo as a guide.

Abbreviations

beg	beginning
blo	back loop only
C	color
ch	chain
dc	double crochet
dec('d)	decrease(d)
flo	front loop only
hdc	half double crochet
inc('d)	increase(d)
pm	place marker
rep	repeat(ing)
rnd(s)	round(s)
sc	single crochet
sc2tog	single crochet the next 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
sk	skip
sl st	slip stitch
sp(s)	space(s)
st(s)	stitch(es)
yo	yarn over

