

Crochet Santa 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: 2135-02 Black Glitz 1 balls
- C2: 2135-10 Cardinal Glitz 2 balls
- C3: 2135-01 White Glitz 2 balls

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

- C4: 1150-32 Shell 1 ball
- C5: 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,  $2 - \frac{3}{4}$ " safety eyes or buttons in color of your choice with needle and matching thread, yellow or gold scrap yarn for belt buckle

#### 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.
- Single crochet stitches.
- 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 5 loops on hook – 1 bobble made.

## **BAG**

# Bag Bottom (Boots)

With C1, ch 13.

**Row 1:** Sc in  $2^{nd}$  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".

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

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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 C1 and work Rnd 1 for 3 rnds. Switch to C2 and work Rnd 1 for 2".

# **Beard**

Switch to C3 and work Rnd 1 for 3".

## **Nose Section**

Switch to C4 and work Rnd 1 for 3 rnds.

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

Continuing in C4, work Rnd 1 for 4 rnds.

#### Hat

Switch to C3 and work Rnd 1 for 2". Switch to C2 and work Rnd 1 for 2%".

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

 $\textbf{Next Rnd 1:} \ \textbf{Sc in each sc and each ch-1 sp around}.$ 

Next Rnds 2-4: Sc in blo of each sc around.

## **FINISHING**

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.

# Mustache (make 2)

With C3, ch 4.

**Row 1:** Sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook and in each ch across, turn – 3 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, 2 sc blo in  $1^{st}$  sc, sc blo in next sc, 2 sc blo in last sc, turn -5 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, sc flo in each sc across, turn – 5 sc.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, 2 sc blo in  $1^{st}$  sc, sc blo in next 3 sc, 2 sc blo in last sc, turn – 7 sc.

**Rows 5:** Rep Row 3-7 sc.

**Row 6:** SI st in 1<sup>st</sup> sc, sc blo in next 5 sc, sI st in last sc, turn – 5 sc.

**Row 7:** Rep Row 3-5 sc.

**Row 8:** SI st in 1<sup>st</sup> sc, sc blo in next 3 sc, sI st in last sc, turn – 3 sc.

**Row 9:** Rep Row 3 – 3 sc.

Using photo as a guide, sew mustache pieces to face below nose.

# Eyes

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

## **Belt Buckle**

With yellow or gold scrap yarn and using photo as a guide for placement, thread tapestry needle and cross stitch buckle onto belt.

# Drawstring

With C2, 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.

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.

Weave in any remaining ends.

# **Abbreviations**

**blo** back loop only

ch colorch chain

dec('d) decrease(d)
flo front loop only

rep repeat(ing)
rnd(s)

**sc** single crochet

sc2tog single crochet the next 2 sts together (1 st

dec'd)
sl st slip stitch

sp(s) space(s)
st(s) stitch(es)

yo yarn over

