



Felted Makeup Bag

No. 1001-171-5163

Materials

Crochet hook US size: J/10-L/11 (7mm)
Happy Sheep Woolpower
Zipper 9.8 inches (25 cm)
"My Lifestyle" label from Go Handmade
Textile glue
Leather string as a pendant

Buy yarn and supplies here:

http://shop.hobbii.com/felted-makeup-bag

Measurements: approx. 8.7-9 inches (22-23 cm) wide and approx. 6.7 inches (17 cm) in height

Crochet gauge:

12 stitches x 10 rows = 4×4 inches (10 x 10 cm) prior to felting

Amount of yarn needed: approx. 4.8 oz. (135g) per bag.

Abbreviations:

ch: chain stitch

ss: slip stitch

s: stitch

sts: stitches

sc: single crochet

hdc: half double crochet



Pattern:

Start by chaining 34.

- 1. In the 2nd ch stitch from the hook work 1 hdc. Work 1 hdc in each stitch till the end of the row (33)
- 2. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (33)
- 3. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 31 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (35)
- 4. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (35)
- 5. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 33 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (37)
- 6. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (37)
- 7. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 35 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (39)
- 8. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (39)
- 9. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 37 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (41)
- 10. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (41)
- 11. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 39 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (43)
- 12. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (43)
- 13. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 41 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (45)
- 14. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (45)
- 15. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 43 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (47)
- 16. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (47)
- 17. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 45 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (49)
- 18. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (49)
- 19. Turn by chaining 1. Work 2 hdc in the first s, 1 hdc in the next 47 sts. Work 2 hdc in the last s. (51)
- 20. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (51)
- 21. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (51)
- 22. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (51)
- 23. Turn by chaining 1. Work slip stitches in the first 9 sts. Work 1 hdc in the next 33 sts. (33) (Leave the last 9 sts).
- 24. Turn by chaining 1. Work hdc till the end of the row (33)

Repeat row 24 29 times in total. Cut the yarn and weave in the ends.



Assembly:



1. This is how your work looks like when it is finished and ready to be assembled.



2. Sew the bag together, so you create a base: the piece with the increases which has been closed with slip stitches is folded up along the side of the longer part.



3. This becomes the base (the bottom) of the bag.



4. Continue sewing the parts together along the oblique edge.



5. Repeat on the other side. The bag is now sewn together, and ready to be washed.





Felting:

NOTE: Felting varies a lot from machine to machine.

Machine wash the bag using a regular setting at $104^{\circ}F$ ($40^{\circ}C$). (Don't use a fast/quick setting). If the bag is not felted enough, you can wash it one more time. I have washed the makeup bag at $104^{\circ}F$ ($40^{\circ}C$) at a duration of 60 minutes. Stretch out / shape the bag to your satisfaction while it is still wet. Let it dry.

How to attach the label and the leather string:



1. Stretch / shape the makeup bag to the preferred shape while it is still wet. Let it dry.



2. Sew or glue a stylish small label from Go Handmade onto the bottom right corner of the bag, if you like.



3. Attach the zipper by sewing and tie a small leather string to the zipper as a pendant, if you like.



4. Your makeup bag is now ready to use 😂





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