

Easy Pop Tab Purse

Free Crochet Pattern



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MATERIALS : 3 oz Bernat Baby Sport in Buttercup, size F crochet hook or hook to obtain gauge, needle to take yarn and 140 pop tabs.

Gauge: 5 hdc = 1", 4 rows hdc = 1"

FINISHED SIZE: 6" X 8"

PURSE:

RND 1: With buttercup and F hook ch-14, hdc 3rd ch from hook, hdc next 10 ch, 3 hdc last ch, turn piece so you are now working across the bottom of the foundation ch (in bottom of sts just made) hdc next 10, 2 hdc last, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (26 sts)

RND 2: 2 hdc next 2 sts, hdc next 10, 2 hdc next 3, hdc next 10, 2 hdc last st, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (32 sts)

RND 3: 2 hdc next 2 sts, hdc next 10, 2 hdc next 6, hdc next 10, 2 hdc last 4 sts, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (44 sts)

RND 4: (2 hdc next st, hdc next st) 3 times, hdc next 12, rep bet () 5 times, hdc next 12, rep bet () twice, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (54 sts)

RND 5: (2 hdc next st, hdc next st) 3 times, hdc next 13, rep bet () 7 times, hdc next 13, rep bet () 4 times, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (60 sts)

RND 6-8: Hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn.

RND 9: (Hdc around pop tab, hdc next 3) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn.

RND 10: Hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn.

RND 11: Hdc next 2 sts, (hdc around pop tab, hdc next 3 sts) around to last 2 sts, hdc last 2 sts, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn.

RND 12: Rep rnd 10.

RND 13-16: Rep rnd 9-12.

RND 17: Rep rnd 9.

RND 18: Rep rnd 10.

RND 19: Rep rnd 11.

ROW 20: Sl st next 4 sts, hdc next 25, leave remaining sts unworked, ch-1, turn. (25 sts)

ROW 21: Hdc 1st st, (hdc around pop tab, hdc next 3 sts) 6 times, ch-1, turn.

ROW 22: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc ea st across to last 2 sts, hdc dec last 2 sts, ch-1, turn. (23 sts)

ROW 23: Hdc next 2 sts, (hdc around pop tab, hdc next 3 sts) 5 times, hdc last st, ch-1, turn.

ROW 24: Rep row 22. (21 sts)

ROW 25: * (Hdc around pop tab, hdc next 2 sts) twice, hdc around pop tab *, sl st next 7 sts, rep bet **, ch-1, turn.

ROW 26: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc next 3 sts, hdc dec next 2 sts, leave remaining sts unworked, ch-1, turn. (5 sts)

ROW 27: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc next, hdc dec last 2 sts, fasten off. (3 sts)

ROW 28: With F hook and Buttercup join in last st end row 25, ch-1, hdc dec same st as ch-1 and next st, hdc next 3, hdc dec next 2 sts, leave remaining sts unworked, ch-1, turn. (5 sts)

ROW 29: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc next, hdc dec last 2 sts, fasten off. (3 sts)

ROW 30: With F hook and Buttercup join in 9th st from end row 20, ch-1, hdc next 25 sts, leave remaining sts unworked, ch-1, turn. (25 sts)

ROW 31-39: Rep row 21-29. End row 39 fasten off.

HANDLES:

ROW 1: With F hook and Buttercup ch-5, hdc 3rd ch from hook, hdc ea ch across, ch-1, turn. (3 sts)

ROW 2-52: Hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn. End row 52 fasten off.

-Make 2. Sew handles to purse at short ends.

Abbreviations Used In This Pattern

Ch = Chain

St = Stitch

Sl St = Slip Stitch

Sc = Single Crochet

Hdc = Half Double Crochet

Dc = Double Crochet

Rnd = Round

Beg = Beginning

Rep = Repeat

Bet = Between

Sk = Skip

Dec = Decrease

Ea = Each

Tog = Together

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