

Crutch Bag

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Easy



Caron® One Pound™

(16 oz / 453.6 g; 812 yds/742 m)

Used Assorted Scrap Yarn

- Red Heart Super Saver
- Bernat Super Value
- Caron One Pound

Hook

5.5 mm / Size I/US 9

- Buttons to Slide Between Stitches

Abbreviations

- Beg = Begin
- Ch = Chain
- Dc = Double Crochet
- Rep = Repeat
- Rnd = Round
- RS = Right Side
- Sl St = Slip Stitch
- Sp = Space

The Bag

Heather found herself needing crutches but carrying simply things are a problem. This could be good for walkers too.



The granny square is 7" x 7" with 9" x 2" long straps.

Change colour as often or as little as you wish.

Instructions

Granny Square - Make 2

Ch 4, join with sl st to beg ch to form ring.

Round 1: Ch 3 (counts as dc from here and throughout), 2 dc into center ring, ch 2. *3 dc in ring, ch 2. Repeat * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off if you wish to change colour.

Round 2: Fasten on new colour to ch-2 space with sl st. If not changing colour, just continue. Ch 3, 2 dc in same sp. Ch 1, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 space, ch 1. Repeat * around. Final space has 3 dc, ch 2 and sl st to the top of the beg ch-3. Fasten off if wanting to change colour.

Round 3: Fasten on new colour to ch-2 space with sl st. If not changing colour, just continue. Ch 3, 2 dc in same sp. Ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1. *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 space, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1. Repeat * around. Final space has 3 dc, ch 2 and sl st to the top of the beg ch-3. Fasten off if wanting to change colour.

Round 4: Fasten on new colour to ch-2 space with sl st. If not changing colour, just continue. Ch 3, 2 dc in same sp. (Ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1) twice. *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2

space, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1) twice. Repeat * around. Final space has 3 dc, ch 2 and sl st to the top of the beg ch-3. Fasten off if wanting to change colour.

Round 5: Fasten on new colour to ch-2 space with sl st. If not changing colour, just continue. Ch 3, 2 dc in same sp. (Ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1) three times. *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 space, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1) three times. Repeat * around. Final space has 3 dc, ch 2 and sl st to the top of the beg ch-3. Fasten off if wanting to change colour.

Round 6: Fasten on new colour to ch-2 space with sl st. If not changing colour, just continue. Ch 3, 2 dc in same sp. (Ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1) four times. *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 space, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1) four times. Repeat * around. Final space has 3 dc, ch 2 and

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sl st to the top of the beg ch-3. Fasten off if wanting to change colour.

Round 7+: If you want to keep going to make the square bigger, just continue in the same manner.

Make two granny squares. Using single crochet, place the granny squares together and single crochet around the sides and bottom of the granny to close 3 sides.

Straps - Make 2

Row 1: Sl st to corner of one of the granny squares. Ch 1, 2 sc in same space, sc next 3 stitches, 2 sc in next ch-1 space. Turn. - 8 sts

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in each stitch across. Turn. - 8 sts

Repeat row 2 until strap measures 9".

Optional Not Shown In Pic: Evenly space sc around 3 edges of the strap for more of a finished look. Place 3 sc in corners.

Attach Buttons

Attach buttons to the top corners of the opposite granny square. Be sure to ensure the button will slide between the double crochet stitches.

Attach to Crutch or Walker

Secure around handle and attach the straps by fastening the buttons.

Optional for Privacy

Use Solid Granny Square. We have tutorials available on The Crochet Crowd if you need help with that. Still only complete 6 rounds to keep the size consistent.

This design was by Heather Wilson, provided to The Crochet Crowd with photography being her own.