

To Market, To Market Tote

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Finished Size: 16"x19"

Materials:

3 rolls Size 18 #58 Multi Turquoise Hilos Omega
LaEspiga

Size F aluminum crochet hook.

Tapestry needle

Fray Check - Dabbing Fray Check (can be purchased at any fabric store) on the ends is necessary when using nylon thread which ravel easily. When coming to an end or changing colors work over the thread just like yarn but leave a little more thread. Then clip close to the stitches and immediately dab Fray Check on the end and the surrounding area on the inside of your work. It can darken the thread so dab lightly but make sure it's saturated.

Special Stitch

Vdc (V double crochet) - dc, ch 1, dc in specified stitch

Ch 4, sl st in 1st ch to form ring.

Round 1 - Ch 4, (dc in ring, ch 1) 7 times, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4. Right side.

Round 2 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, dc in same sp, (ch 1, Vdc in next ch 1 sp) 7 times, ch 1, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 3 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, (Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 4 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, [Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 2 times] 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 5 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, [Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 3 times] 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 2 times, sl st in 3rd ch



of beginning ch 4.

Round 6 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, [Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 4 times]] 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 3 times, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 7 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 3 times [Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 5 times]] 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 8 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 3 times [Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 6 times]] 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 2 times, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 9 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 3 times [Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 7 times]] 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 3 times, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 10 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 3 times [Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 8 times]] 7 times, Vdc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) 4 times, sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Rounds 11-38 - Sl st in ch 1 sp, ch 4, (dc in next ch 1 sp, ch 1) in every ch 1 space around, ending with sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch 4.

Round 39 - Ch 3 turn. 2 dc in back loop only of joining sl st, (3 dc in back loop only of next dc) around, sl st in top of beginning ch 3.

Round 40 - Ch 3, dc in back loop only of next dc, (2 dc in next dc, dc in ea of next 3 dc) around, ending with sl st in top of beginning ch 3.

Round 41 - (Ch 1, sl st in back loop only of next dc) around. Sl st in beginning ch 1. Fasten off.

Top of Tote

Round 1 - Ride side facing. Attach thread to any ch 1 loop on round 38. Ch 5, (tr in next ch 1 space, ch 1) around, ending with sl st in 4th ch of beginning ch 5.

Round 2 - Ch 1, sc in ea tr and ch 1 space around, ending with sl st in beginning ch 1.

Round 3 - Back loop only. Ch 3, (dc in next sc, 2 dc in next sc) around, ending with st st in top of ch 3.

Round 4 - (Ch 1, sl st in back loop only of next dc) around. Sl st in beginning ch 1. Fasten off.

Drawstring Handles

Make 2

Ch 165. Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in ea ch across. Fasten off. Weave one drawstring in and out between 2 tr of round 1 of top of tote. Secure ends to each other making sure drawstring is not twisted. Weave second drawstring the same way, through the same stitches, and secure ends. You will be pulling one drawstring to the right and one to the left to close the bag.

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