

Pattern

COTTON QUICK BATIK

Shopping Bag

Difficulty level:



Needles:



3,0 - 3,5



3,5 - 4,0

Quality:

Cotton Quick Batik from Gründl
100 % Cotton (mercerised, gas-
sed, combed)
100 g / 260 m



2 x

Size:

Circumference: approx. 80 cm,
Net-Height: approx. 33 cm,
Handle length: approx. 60 cm

Usage: approx. 200 g

Stitch Pattern:

Tr in rows/ rnds: start every row/ rnds with 2tch to replace the first tr and end with 1 sl st/ tr worked into the first ch of the previous rnd/ row.

Tr between tr in spiral rnds:

Work 1 tr between the tr in the previous rnd and do not end rnd with a sl st but cont working over the beg of the rnd. Mark the first st in each new rnd with a contrast piece of yarn or stitch marker.

Tr between tr in rows:

Work 1 tr between the tr in the previous row. Start each row with 2tch to replace the first tr. Work the 2nd tr between the first tr and 2nd tr of the previous row. Work the last tr between the second to last and last tr.

Tension:

23 sts and 11 rows/rnds to 10 cm meas over treble crochet using size 2,5 - 3mm needles or size needed to achieve given tension.
16 sts and 12 rows/rnds to 10 cm meas over treble crochet between tr of prev rnd/ row

Instructions:

Make a magic ring and using needle size 3,5 - 4 mm, work 7tr into the ring (= rnd 1)
Rnd 2: double every st (= 2tr into one st) (= 24 sts)
Rnd 3: double every 2nd st (= 36 sts)
Rnd 4: double every 3rd st (= 48 sts)
Rnd 5: double every 4th st (= 60 sts)
Rnd 6: double the 3rd st and then double every 5th st 11 times and end rnd with 2tr (= 72 sts)
Rnd 7: double every 6th st (= 84 sts)
Rnd 8: double the 4th st and then double every 7th st 11 times and end rnd with 3tr (= 96 sts)
Rnd 9: double every 2nd st (= 108 sts)
Rnd 10: double the 5th st and then double every 9th st 11 times and end rnd with 4tr (= 120 sts)
Then work approx. 24 cm (= 29 spiral rnds) with tr between the tr of the prev rnd.
Rnd 30: alt 6dc, 24 tr between the tr of prev rnd 4 times then turn work and work the handle in rows over the last 24tr. In every row work the

2nd and 3rd tr tog until only 10 sts remain, change to needle size 3 - 3,5 mm and work the length of the handle 40 cm (= 44 rows) in treble crochet. Then change back to needle size 3,5 - 4 mm and work tr between the tr of the prev row. In every foll row double the 2nd treble (= 2tr between 2tr of prev row). Make these incs until 24 sts. Attach the handle (24 treble) onto the next 24tr on the top of the bag with sl sts.

Work the 2nd handle over the 24tr on the right and then attach the end of the handle in the same manner over the last rem 24 tr.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations:

approx. = approximate(ly)

beg = begin(ning)

bptc = back post treble crochet

ch = chain

col = colour(s)

cont = continue (continuously)

dc = double crochet

dec(s) = decrease(s)

foll = follow(s)/ following

inc = increase

meas = measure(d)

prev = previous

rnd(s) = round(s)

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

tch = turning chain

tr = treble