

Abbreviations:

ch = chain

sc = single crochet

st = stitch

sk = skip

sl knot = slip knot

slst = slip stitch

fo = fasten off

Materials:

- 1. 2 pieces of T-shirts, made them into T-shirt yarn (15mm width strands). The bag shown above used a green and a grey T-shirts respectively.
- 2. 8mm crochet hook
- 3. fabric glue
- 4. 2 beads
- 5. 8 nos. of 15mm eyelet

Finished dimension:

approx. 17.5cm H x 12cm W (6.8" H x 4.7" W)

Directions:

Bag

Base

Work on green color yarn

beg sl knot

r1 – ch2, 6sc in 2nd ch from hook (6 st)

r2 - *2sc in each st* repeat 6 times (12 st)

r3 - *2sc in first st, 1sc in next st* repeat 6 times (18st)

r4 - *2sc in first st, 1sc in next 2st* repeat 6 times (24st)

r5 - *2sc in first st, 1sc in next 3st* repeat 6 times (30st)

r6 - *2sc in first st, 1sc in next 4st* repeat 6 times (36st)

r7 - *2sc in first st, 1sc in next 5st* repeat 6 time (42st)

r8 - *2sc in first st, 1sc in next 6st* repeat 6 times (48st)

Body

r9-r13 – sc in each st around

change to grey color yarn (glue both end of green and grey yarn together by using fabric glue)

r14-r26 - sc in each st around

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r27 & r28 - sc in each st around

r29 - *sc in next 5 st, 1ch sk 1st* repeat 8 times (to create 8 holes)

r30 & r31 – sc in each st around. slst, fo.

Mount 15mm eyelet onto the hole.

Shoulder strap

Work on grey color yarn

beg sl knot, ch 70cm long, fo and attach to the top most row of the bag.

Drawstring

Work on green color yarn

beg sl knot, ch 60cm long, fo. Draw the string through the 8 holes. Insert one bead at each end and tie a knot to secure the bead.