

SILVER FANS SHOULDER BAG

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Finished size: 37x25 cm (width x height)

Yarn: Ministeri tube yarn (100 % polyester, 1 kg = appr. 360 m) 1 kg Grey (47).

Other supplies: 10x30 cm Stafil bag base, 1 Stafil shoulder strap, 1 large snap button, grey sewing thread and some sturdy thread (for example black 12-ply Liina cotton twine) for sewing on the strap.

Hook: nr 3 (US D/3) and 6 (US J/10) or according to personal gauge.

Gauge: 11 dc and 5,5 rows = 10 cm

Instructions: With smaller hook, crochet 1 sc to each hole in the Stafil bag base, slst to 1st sc. Start from the middle hole of the curved end. Change to hook nr 6.

Row 1: ch 1 + 2 sc to same sc, *1 sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat *-* once more, *2 sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat *-* 5 more times, *1 sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat *-* 4 more times, *2sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat *-* 5 more times, *1sc, 2 sc to same sc*, repeat *-* once more, 1 sc, slst to 1st sc = 78 sc.

Row 2: ch 1, *1 sc, skip 2, 5 dc to same sc, skip 2*, repeat *-* 12 more times, slst to 1st sc.

Row 3: ch 3, 2 dc to sc, *1 sc to middle dc of dc-cluster, 5 dc to sc*, repeat *-* 11 more times, 1 sc to middle dc of dc-cluster, 2 dc to same st as starting dc (= 5dc), slst to 3rd ch.

Row 4: ch 1, 1 sc, *5 dc to sc, 1 sc to middle dc of dc-cluster*, repeat *-* 11 more times, 5 dc to sc, slst to 1st sc.

Rows 5-13: repeat rows 3-4.

Row 14: Crochet through back loops as follows: ch 1, 2 dc, *1 hdc, 1 dc to sc, 1 hdc, 3 sc*, repeat *-* 11 more times, 1 sc, slst to 1st sc.

Rows 15-17: ch 1, 1 sc to each st, slst = 78 st.

Finishing: Melt the ends of yarn as follows: hold the end of the yarn on a flame until the edges turn brown and start to melt. Finish off yarn ends into the stitches. Sew yarn ends in place with a few stitches so they don't fray when washed. Fasten shoulder strap and sew the snap button onto the inside of the bag, in the middle of the top edge.



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