

Gypsy Satchel

Approximately 130 yards of cotton sport weight (I used Tahki Cotton Classic)

Approximately 10 yards of ribbon yarn for edging. 3.25 mm crochet hook.

Approximately 25 yards of thin sparkly yarn for lace trim. Size 1 steel crochet hook.

With cotton yarn, make a magic ring – 9 sc

Ch2, *(2 dc) in each – 18

Ch2, *(inc, dc) around 27

Ch2, *(inc, 2 dc) around 36

Ch2, *(inc, 3 dc) around 45

Ch2, *(inc, 4 dc) around 54

Ch2, *(inc, 5 dc) around 63

Ch2, *(inc, 6 dc) around 72

Ch2, *(inc, 7dc) around 81

Dc in each stitch for 3 rounds.

Ch2, *(7dc, dec) around 72

Ch2, dc around

Ch2, *(6dc, dec) around 63

Ch2, dc around

Ch2, *5(dc, dec) around 54

Dc in each for 5 rounds, inc 2 stitches evenly across last row (56)

Ch3, *(sk1, dc in next, ch1) around, ss in 2nd ch. 28 spaces.

Ss in next sp, ch2, dc in same sp, *2dc in ea space around

Dc in each around. On last stitch, switch to ribbon yarn.

Ch1, turn work, Sc in each stitch around

Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Handles: with main color, work 2 extended chains for 18” Weave in ends

String through holes starting and ending on each side – tie a knot leaving 1.5”

Make sure both are running together in and out so they slide easier for opening.

Edge lace:

With sparkly yarn and size 1 steel hook, ch 76

Row 1: Dc in 4th chain from hook, and in next 3 chains, *(ch3, dc in next 8 chains), repeat from * ending with 5 dc

Row 2: In each ch3 loop, work 7 tc with 2 ch in between and after 7th, end with a dc in top of last dc

Row 3: ch3, sc in each ch2 space across row, ending with a sc in last stitch. Fasten off. Leave long tail to attach.