CROCHET PATTERN

As If

Purse

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MATERIALS
3 skeins of Ribbon col. 50
1 skein of Kind Feather col. 09
1 skein of Peacock col. 10

Crochet hooks:
4 mm/ US 6
5.5 mm/ US L/9
Stitch marker
Darning needle

YARN QUALITY
(5) Ribbon, Hobbii
100 % Cotton
250 g / 8.8 oz. = 125 m / 137 yds

(3) Kind Feather, Hobbii
100% Premium Acrylic
100 g / 3.5 oz = 235 m / 257 yds

(5) Peacock, Hobbii
100 % polyester
100 g / 3.5 oz = 65 m / 71 yds

GAUGE
10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4") = 12.25 sts x 13 rows
of sc with 4mm/US 6 hook

SIZE
One size

MEASUREMENTS
Width: 20 cm/ 8" x 10 cm/4"
Height: 23 cm/9"

PATTERN INFORMATION
The As If - purse is a fun project made in the Bulky Ribbon yarn. It has practical inside pockets for all your small belongings and you can easily adjust the two straps to the length you want. The small decorative rose and the furry Peacock details give the purse a little extra detail. You can also leave it out and keep the look of your purse more clean.

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QUESTIONS
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Happy Crafting!

Pattern

ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain
Sl st = slip stitch
sc = single crochet
dc= double crochet
ws-waistcoat stitch – Insert hook into the space between the two vertical bars of the next stitch, yarn over, pull up a loop on the hook, yarn over and pull through both loops on the hook.
Bor = beginning of round
Sm = stitch marker

BASE

Using 4mm hook, Ch 14,
Round 1: 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook (skipped ch counts as st), sc in next 12sts, in last ch work 3 sc, turn to the opposite side, sc to end, sl st in ch 1 at bor.
(30sts)
You will need 4 stitch markers. Place a sm in the 1st and last sc of 3 sc on both edges and remove and replace as instructed in each round as you go.
Round 2: ch 1, sc in same st, *in next st, (sc, ch 2, sc)**, place sm in ch 2 space, sc in each st up to next sm, REPEAT from * around ending at**, then sl st in bor.
(14 sc across, 3 sc down side)

Continue to remove and replace sm in ch 2 spaces in each round as you go.

Rounds 3-6: ch 1(counts as st), sc to sm, *in next st, (sc, ch 2, sc), place sm in ch 2 space**, sc in each st to next sm, REPEAT from * ending at **, sc in each st to end, sl st in top of ch 1 at bor.
(16 sc across, 5 sc down side)
Every round repeat, each of the spaces between the stitch markers will increase by 2sts and end with a total of (22 sc across, 11 sc down side).

Now change to a 5.5 mm/US L/9 hook and work the next round loosely.
Round 7: working in blo, ch 1, *sc in each st to sm, work 2 sc in each ch 2 space, placing a sm between them**, REPEAT from * ending at ** then sc to end, sl st in ch 1 at bor.
(74 sts)(24 sc across, 13 sc down side)

SIDE OF BAG

Using 5.5mm/US L/9 hook

Now you will be working continuously in the round with the waistcoat stitch and working loose is essential.

Loosely sl st to 1st st after nearest stitch marker then continue, ch 1

Rounds 8-29: ws in each st around making sure to leave all the sm in place, DO NOT sl st at bor, and continue in the round until the piece measures 19 cm/ 7.5". (74 sts)

Leave stitch markers in place on Round 30.

Round 30: sl st in bor and next st, ch 1, *working in blo, sc in each st to st before sm, skip the next 2 sts, place sm in st just made, sc in flo in each st next sm, skip next 2 sts, place sm in st just made, REPEAT from* then, sl st in ch 1 at bor.

(22 sc across, 11 sc down side)

Rounds 31-32: ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each st around to end, sl st in ch 1 of bor.

(70 sts)

Your bag depth should now measure approx 20 cm/8" if not continue with sc rounds until it does.

Cut yarn and sew in the ends. DO NOT remove sm.

SURFACE SLIP STITCH BORDER

Now go back to Round 30 in the front loops this will give your bag more structure. Attach yarn to bor.

Round 1: ch 1 and *sl st in each st to side sm, ch 3, sl st in next st, sl st to next sm, ch 3, REPEAT from *to end, sl st in bor.

Take stitch markers out after this round.

SLIP STITCH BORDER UNDER BAG

Turning the bag over to the flo of Round 7, attach yarn to any st.

Round 1: ch 1, sl st in neach st around, sl st in bor.

Cut yarn and sew in ends.

STRAPS

Using 5.5mm/US L/9 hook and holding 2 strands of Ribbon yarn.

Starting at bor sm skip 6 sts and *attach in the blo of the 7th st, ch 1, yo, pull up a loop in the blo of the next 2 sts, yo, pull loop through all 3 loops on hook**, Ch 17 sts, ch 1, skip 6 sts, attach in the blo of the 7th st, sc3tog, turn, working in ch 17 space work 20 sc, sl st in 1st st of handle.

Cut a long tail and sew through the handle to give it more stability.

Repeat for second strap.

SIDE TIE STRINGS

Ch 60, cut yarn and tie a knot about a 2,5 cm/1" from the end on both sides.

REPEAT for the second string.

These strings will be pulled from the bottom up in the ch 3 spaces of the surface slip st border. Pull and tie a bow. (pictured above)

INSIDE POCKETS (worked flat, make 2):

Using 5.5mm/US L/9 and 1 strand of Ribbon

ch 21, turn

Row 1: sc in 2nd ch from hook (skipped ch counts as st) and in each ch across, turn

Rows 2-19: ch 1, sc in each st across, turn

Row 20: ch 1, work a reverse sc in each st to end.

Cut long tail for sewing onto inside of bag.

Turn bag inside out, line up the pocket with the side of the bag, and using the whip st, sew on the pocket.

Using 4.5mm/US 7 and 1 strand of Kind Feather yarn.

ch 21, turn

Row 1: sc in 2nd ch from hook (skipped ch counts as st) and in each ch across, turn

Row 2-19: ch 1, sc in each st across, turn

Row 20: ch 1, work a reverse sc in each st to end.

Cut long tail for sewing onto inside of bag.

Turn bag inside out, line up the pocket with the side of the bag, and using the whip st, sew on the pocket.

PEACOCK FAUX FUR ACCENT: (optional)

Using 5.5mm/US L/9

Attach yarn in st after ch 3 space of surface slip st border.

Round 1: ch 3, working on the top loop of sl st, dc in each st to st before ch 3 space, turn

Now you will be connecting last round to top round of bag and fur.

Round 2: ch 1, sc both layers together in each st to bor.

Cut yarn and sew in ends.

REPEAT for the opposite side.

ROSE APPLIQUE: (optional)

Using 4.5 mm/US 7 hook,

ch 6, join in a loop with a sl st in the 6th ch from hook.

Round 1: ch 4(counts as sc and ch 3), sc in loop, (ch 3, sc in loop)6x total, ch 3, sl st in top of ch 1. (8 ch 3 spaces)

Round 2: sl st into 1st ch 3 space in it work (ch 3, dc, ch 3, sl st), *sl st into next ch 3 space in it work (ch 3, dc, ch 3, sl st)**, REPEAT from * around ending last repeat at**(8 petals)

For Round 3 you will be working in front of Round 2 petals and sl st into center space of 2 petals.

Round 3: *(ch 3, move across next petal, sl st in space between), REPEAT from *around to end then, sl st in ch 1 of ch 3

Round 4: sl st into 1st ch 3 space, *in it work (ch 3, 3 dc, ch 3, sl st**), sl st into next ch 3 space, REPEAT from * around ending last repeat at **, sl st in 1st ch.

See photo above for placement. Sew the rose applique onto the purse.

Enjoy!

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