



CROCHET PATTERN

# Cherry

## Bag

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## MATERIALS

### Friends Cotton 8/4

C1: 1 skein in Pink Berry Smoothie (54)

C2: 1 skein in Pink (47)

C3: 1 skein in Cream (04)

Crochet hook 3mm (US~D-3)

Embroidery Yarn Mouliné Spécial 25 in color 909

Go Handmade Glass Beads in Red

Bamboo Handles D-shape

Sewing or embroidery needle

Scissors

## YARN QUALITY

 Friends Cotton 8/4, Hobbii

100% Cotton

50 g / 1.75 oz = 160 m / 175 yds

## GAUGE

32 dc x 12 rows = 10x10 cm / 4x4" with colour changing technique.

## ABBREVIATIONS

Ch = Chain

Sc = single crochet

Dc = Double crochet

C1 = Color 1

C2 = Color 2

C3 = Color 3

Rep = repeat

## SIZE

One size

## MEASUREMENTS

24 cm/ 9" width x 16 cm/ 6" length (not counting the base) x 6 cm/ 2" depth

## PATTERN INFORMATION

The lovely Cherry bag is constructed with two pieces, made in double crochets, that are sewn together. To secure the bamboo handles, a rectangle part is added in single crochets.

Since there are constant color changes, the tapestry technique should be used. This makes the fabric dense and heavy, so the bag doesn't need lining.

There are optional instructions for the embroidered cherries.

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## BUY THE YARN HERE

<https://shop.hobbii.com/cherry-bag>

## QUESTIONS

If you have any questions regarding this pattern, please feel free to email us at [support@hobbii.com](mailto:support@hobbii.com). Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

# Pattern



## INFO AND TIPS

When you have to change colors, don't cut the previous color. Use the tapestry technique: carry and wrap the yarn(s) you're not using until you have to use it/them again.

## PATTERN BEGINS

With C2, Ch 72 + 3 for the first dc.

Row 1: In the 5<sup>th</sup> ch counting from the hook to the chain (don't count the st on the hook), work a dc. Work 2 more dc, one in each ch. \*Change to C1 and work 4 dc. Change to C2 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C1.

Row 2: Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C2 and work 4 dc. Change to C1 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C2.

Your first row of squares is finished. Now we'll work in the same manner but changing the C2 for C3.

Row 3: Ch 3 in C1 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C3 and work 4 dc. Change to C1 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C3.

Row 4: Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C1 and work 4 dc. Change to C3 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C1.

This is one half of the base. Now you'll move to the body and one side of the bag.

Change to C2 and cut yarns C1 and C3.

Ch 16 + 3 for the first dc.

Row 5: In the 5<sup>th</sup> ch, work a dc. Work 2 more dc. Attach C1 and work 4 dc. \*Change to C2 and work a dc. Change to C1 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end up with 4 dc in C1.

Row 6: Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C2 and work 4 dc. Change to C1 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C2.



Row 7: In C1, ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C3 and work 4 dc. Change to C1 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C3.

Row 8: Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C1 and work 4 dc. Change to C3 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C1.

Row 9: Change to C2. Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C1 and work 4 dc. Change to C2 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end up with 4 dc in C1.

Row 10: Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C2 and work 4 dc. Change to C1 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C2.

Row 11: Change to C1. Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C3 and work 4 dc. Change to C1 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end up with 4 dc in C3.

Row 12: Ch 3 and work 3 dc. \*Change to C1 and work 4 dc. Change to C3 and work 4 dc\*. Rep \* to \* until end of row. You should end with 4 dc in C1.

Rep Rows 9 to 12 – 3 more times. You should end up with 2 rows of squares for the base, and 10 rows of squares for the body and side of the bag.

Repeat the same instructions once more for the other half of the bag.

Once you have two identical pieces, place them so that both fronts are facing (the “ear” on each piece should be opposed to the other one, not both to the same side).

Join the base edges together with an invisible seam.

Now fold one on the “ears” and join it to the side of the base, so that it covers it completely.

Do the same with the other “ear” on the other side of the bag.

Finally, seam the sides together, and your bag is almost complete!

## HANDLES

With either front of the bag facing you, count 5 squares from the right side to the center. Attaching C3, work one sc in each stitch until you have worked 32 sc, and continue as follows:

Row 1: Ch 1, 1 sc in each sc (be careful not to work one sc under the ch)

Rep for 13 more rows.

You’ll end up with a rectangle which will wrap around the bamboo handle.

Position the bamboo handle over the rectangle, and fold it to the inside of the bag.

Sew together the top and bottom of the rectangle and hide the end of the yarn.

Repeat the process for the other side of the bag. Check that the handles are aligned when the bag is closed.

### EMBROIDERY (optional)

Start at the bottom left corner of the bag (of one of the fronts – do not embroider on the base!), and on the first square in C3, embroider an upside down “V” in green thread. Repeat the process to the right, on the next C3 square. Once you get to the last one, go up to the C3 square above, and continue embroidering upside down “V” until you get to the other side. Continue in this manner until you cover as many squares as you want!

Cut embroidery thread.

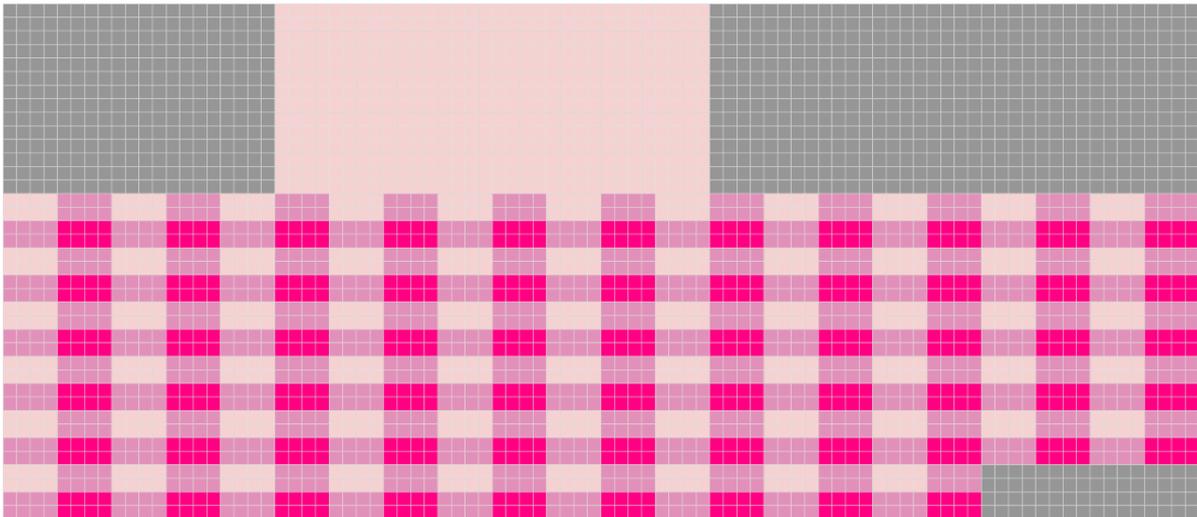
Thread the embroidery needle with any sewing thread and at each leg of the upside down “V”, embroider 3 red beads together. These are the cherries...yum!

**Your bag is ready to use!**

**Congratulations ☺ you did a wonderful job!!!**

### Extra:

For reference, this is the shape each piece should have before sewing them together with the fronts facing each other. There’s also a reference for the rectangle to attach the handle.



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