

BENDIGO WOOLLEN MILLS YARN REQUIREMENTS x 200g BALLS

You will need 1 ball of 10 Ply Cotton for each bag. (You should have enough cotton left over to make a stripy bag like the one pictured).

ACCESSORIES

A 4.50mm & 5.00mm crochet hook.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = beginning, ch = chain, dc = double crochet, dtr = double treble crochet, htr = half treble crochet, patt = pattern, rep = repeat, sl st = slip stitch, sp = space, st/s = stitch/es, tr = treble crochet.

BAG BASE for all Bags

Using 4.50mm hook make 3ch and join with a sl st in first ch to form a ring.

1st Round: Ch2 (counts as 1st tr), 11tr into centre of ring, sl st into 1st tr.
12 sts.

2nd Round: Ch2 (counts as 1st tr), 2tr in each st to end, join to top of 1st tr.
24 sts.

3rd Round: Ch2 (counts as 1st tr), *2tr in next tr, 1 tr in next tr, rep from * to last st, 2tr in last st, join to 1st tr.
36 sts.

4th Round: Ch2 (counts as 1st tr), tr in same st, *1tr in next 2 sts, 2tr in next st, rep from* to last 2 sts, tr in last 2 sts, join to 1st tr.
48 sts.

5th Round: Ch 2, (counts as 1st tr), tr in same st, 1tr in next 3 sts, *2tr in next st, tr in next 3 sts, rep from * end, join to 1st tr.
60 sts.

BAG STRAP for all Bags

Change to 4.50mm hook.

Next Row: Dc across next 13 htr, turn.

Next Row: Dc 13 sts.

Rep last row until strap measures approx 40cm long from beg, or length desired (remember the strap will stretch).

Fasten off and join strap end to opposite side of bag.

TO MAKE UP

Weave in ends.

* Unlike crocheting a garment, a tension measurement is not crucial when making these market bags.



MARKET BAG 1 - Snow

Make bag base (back page).

Change to 5.00mm hook.

1st Round: Ch3 (counts as 1st tr and ch 1), *tr, ch1, rep from * to end, join to 2nd ch.

2nd Round: Ch7, *miss next tr, (dtr, ch3) in next tr, rep from * to end, join to 4th ch of beg ch7.

3rd Round: Ch7, *(dtr, ch3) in each dtr, rep from * to end, join to 4th ch of beg ch7.

Rep last round until bag measures 30cm from 1st round of patt.

Next Round: Ch 1, htr in each st to end.

Rep last round 3 times.

Make bag strap (back page).



MARKET BAG 2 - Glacier and Stripe

Make bag base (back page).

Change to 5.00mm hook.

1st Round: Ch3 (counts as 1st tr and ch1), 1tr, 1ch in each st to end, join to 1st tr.

2nd Round: Ch3, (counts as 1st tr and ch1), *tr in ch1 sp, ch1, miss next tr, rep from * to end, join to 1st tr.

Rep last round until bag measures 30cm from 1st round of patt.

Next Round: Ch1, htr in join from last round, htr in ch1 sp, *htr in next st, htr in ch1 sp, rep from * to end.

Next Round: Ch1, work 1 htr into each st to end.

Rep last round twice.

Make bag strap (back page).



MARKET BAG 3 - Pink Rose

Make bag base (back page).

Change to 5.00mm hook.

1st Round: Ch5, dtr in same st, *miss 1 st, (dtr, ch1, dtr) in next st, rep from * to end, join in 4th ch of beg ch5.

2nd Round: Sl st into first ch sp, ch5, dtr in same space. *(dtr, ch1, dtr) in next ch1 sp, rep from * to end, join into 4th ch of beg ch5.

Rep last round until bag measures 30cm from 1st round of patt.

Next Round: Ch1, htr in join from last round, htr in ch1 sp, *htr in next 2 sts, htr in ch1 sp, rep from * ending with htr in last st.

Next Round: Ch1, work 1 htr into each st to end.

Rep last round twice.

Make bag strap (back page).



MARKET BAG 4 - Arctic

Make bag base (back page).

Change to 5.00mm hook.

1st Round: Ch3 (counts as first tr and 1ch), *1tr, 1ch into each st, rep from * to end, join to 1st tr.

2nd Round: Sl st to first ch sp, ch3 (counts as first tr and 1ch), *1tr, 1ch, into each ch space, rep from * to end, join to 1st tr.

3rd Round: Rep 2nd round.

4th Round: Sl st to ch sp, ch2, htr into same space, 2htr into each ch sp to end.

5th Round: Ch2 (counts as 1st htr, 1ch), sk1, *htr, 1ch, sk1 st, rep from * to end, join to 1st htr.

6th Round: As 2nd round.

The last 5 rounds form patt.

Rep last 5 rounds of patt until bag measures 30cm from 1st round of patt.

Next Round: Ch1, work 1 htr into each st to end.

Rep last round twice.

Make bag strap (back page).

