Fishermans Met Bag



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Materials

- Raffia for crocheting in your color of choice. I used <u>this</u> Natural Cotton Raffia Yarn in Brown.
- US size E4 (3.5 mm) hook.

Gauge

10 Stitches X 7 rows= 2"X2" square Pattern used for gauge: HDC

Sizes

Finished bag measures 13"X13".

abbreviations

CH – Single Crochet FSC – Foundation Single Crochet HDC – Half-double Crochet DC – Double Crochet SLST – Slip Stitch ST(S) – Stitch(es) SK – Skip TRCRO- Treble Crochet

## Notes

When you want to pack light with just a beach towel, swimsuit, sandals, sunscreen, and water, this is your go to bag for great sunkissed style that will help you leave the sand at the beach. Minimal supplies needed to make this bag, Grab your hook and some cotton raffia and you're ready to start. The square fishermans net stitches are made using the Treble Crochet Stitch. Keep reading to learn the Stitch.

Special Stitches TREBLE CROCHET: (TRCRO)



Yarn over twice



Oull through the first two loops on the hook.



Skip two stitches and insert into the third Stitch...



Yarn over and pull through Treble Crochet made two more loops on the hook. Yarn over once more and pull through last two loops on the hook.



Pull up a loop and yarn over. Now you have 5 loops on the hook.



Pattern Instructions

## BOTTOM OF BAG:

Rnd 1: Chain 51, turn. Now we will be crocheting around this foundation chain in a round.

Rnd 2:HDC in second chain from the hook and in the next 49 ST. 3 HDC in next stitch . Now continue working around the foundation chain, HDC in next 49 St. 3 HDC in last ST (104 HDC).

Rnd 3:HDC in next 50 HDC. 3 HDC in next ST. HDC in next 50 ST, 3 HDC in last ST. (106)

Rnd 4:HDC in next 50 ST. 2 HDC in each of the next 3 ST. HDC in next 50 ST. 2 HDC in each of the last 3 ST. (112)

Rnd 5:HDC in the next 50 ST. 2 HDC in each of the next 6 ST. HDC in next 50 ST. 2 HDC in each of the next 6 ST. (124)

Rnd 6: CH 5. SK next 2 ST, TRCRO in the next ST. \* CH 2, SK next 2 ST, TRCRO in next ST. \*\* Repeat from \* to \*\* around. You should now have 42 squares in the row.

Rnd 7-21: \* CH 2, SK next 2 CH, TRCRO in next TRCRO.\*\* Repeat from \* to \*\* around. Don't fasten off.



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## HANDLES:

Lay bag flat and mark the center squares on both sides with a stitch marker or paper clip. Now mark one square to the right and to the left of the middle square o both sides. These marked squares will be the space for the handles.

Rnd 22: Starting at the end of rnd 21, \*CH2, SK next 2 ST, TRCRO in next TRCRO.\*\* Repeat from \* to \*\* until you reach the squares marked for the handles.

CH 20, SK next 2 TRCRO Posts, TRCRO in next TRCRO. Continue working around. \*CH 2, SK next 2 ST, TRCRO in next TRCRO.\*\* Repeat from \* to \*\* 18 times.

CH 20, Sk next 2 TRCRO posts, TRCRO in next TRCRO.

Finally, finish out the remainder of the round with \*CH 2, Sk next 2 ST, TRCRO in next TRCRO. \*\*Repeat from \* to \*\* 9 times to the end of the round.

Rnd 23: \*CH2, SK next 2 ST, TRCRO in next TRCRO.\*\* Repeat from \* to \*\* 9 times to CH 20 space. 40 HDC in CH 20 Space. \*CH 2, SK next two ST, TRCRO in next TRCRO\*\* Repeat 18 times to the other CH 20 Space. 40 HDC in CH 20 space. \*CH 2 , SK next 2 ST, TRCRO in next TRCRO.\*\* Repeat 9 times to the end of the row. Finish with a DC instead of a TRCRO to adjust for height difference. Fasten off and weave in end.







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My name is Abby Holmgren, and like you, I love to create using the art of crochet. This project was inspired by the idea of nautical fishing nets and the idea that a beach bag made from a fishermans net would be a unique and pretty addition to a day at the beach.



Briarberry Farmhouse isn't a real farmhouse at all, it's just a cozy place where I compile my ideas to share them with you. I hope you'll enjoy browsing the site and that it might be a welcoming place where you might find some inspiration for your next project. Stop by for a visit!

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This Fisherman's Net Bag is the perfect summer accessory for your next beach getaway or trip to the Farmers Market. When asked "Where did you get that bag?" I hope you'll proudly say, " I made it!"

I learned to crochet from my Grandma Sherrie when I was 8 years old. Learning new stitches, making washrags and hotpads was just a chance to spend time with my Grandma then. Something happened as I continued crocheting into adulthood. I developed a love for crocheting and handmade creativity. My wish is that you might share your love of crocheting by patiently teaching a friend, coworker, neighbor, child, or loved one the basics of how to crochet so that just maybe, they might find the same spark that you and I, and Grandma Sherrie share.

Thank you for your dedication to learning and creating something handmade. Keep going!

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