

Croton

Designed by the Berroco Design Team / Skill level: Intermediate



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Approximately 38" / 95 cm around
x 15" / 38 cm high before felting
(not including straps)

Approximately 32" / 80 cm around
x 11" / 28 cm high after felting
(not including straps)

YARN

**BERROCO ULTRA ALPACA
CHUNKY** (100 grs): 3 hanks color
of your choice

Note: Original model pictured
was made in Berroco Hip Hop
(100 grs), #7271 Delishis

HOOK and NOTIONS

Crochet hook, size 12 mm (P-16)

GAUGE

There are no gauge requirements
for this item.

Berroco Ultra® Alpaca
Chunky

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BAG

Bottom: With crochet hook, ch 4, join with a sl st to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Work 10 sc in ring, join with a sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, * work 2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc; rep from * 4 times more, join with a sl st in beg ch-1—15 sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, * work 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of the next 2 sc's; rep from * 4 times more, join with a sl st in beg ch-1—20 sc.

Continue in this manner to inc 5 sc every round, having 1 more sc between incs, 14 times more—90 sc. Mark end of last round for beginning of top.

Top: Work even in sc until piece measures 8" / 20 cm from marker.

Dec Rnd: Ch 1, * sc in each of the next 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each of the next 3 sc, dec 1 sc over the next 2 sc; rep from * 9 times more, join with a sl st in beg ch-1—70 sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Straps (Make 2): Ch 33. Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across—72 sc. Turn.

Dec Row: Ch 1, * sc in each of the next 3 sc, skip 1 sc; rep from * across—54 sc. Fasten off.

Turn piece and work 1 sc in each ch on opposite side of foundation chain—72 sc.

Rep Dec Row—54 sc. Fasten off.

Lay bag out flat. Measure in 4½" / 11 cm in from each edge of bag on back and front and mark for edge of strap. Sew one end of first strap to back of bag with outer edge at marker. Sew the other end of first strap to front of bag with outer edge at marker. Repeat of the other side of bag with second strap.

Felt bag in top loading washing machine, using hot water and soap. Check piece often. When piece has reached the desired measurements, remove from washer, shape by hand and allow to air dry. Using sharp scissors, carefully trim any extra fuzz left from felting if necessary.



STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

beg: beginning

CC: contrasting color

cont: continue

ch: chain

dec: decrease

dc: double crochet

dtr: double treble crochet

est: established

hdc: half double crochet

inc: increase

MC: main color

pat(s): pattern(s)

pm: place marker

rep: repeat

rnd(s): round(s)

RS: right side

sc: single crochet

sl st: slip stitch

sliding loop: Form a loop of yarn around your fingers, with the end attached to the ball on the right and the tail on the left. Insert hook into the loop under both pieces of yarn and draw up a loop onto hook. (This does not count as your first stitch.) Work first row into the original loop. Pull up the yarn tail after your first row is complete to close the loop.

sp: space

st(s): stitch(es)

tog: together

tr: treble

WS: wrong side

yo: yarn over

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