

# BUCKET BAG NATURAL

**DIFFICULTY** =

**YARN** = [Natural Bag](#) by Laines du Nord: color n. 4 brown, 3 skeins (100gr); color n. 5 dark grey, 1 skein da (100gr).

**HOOK** = n. 3.5

**OTHER** = tapestry needles, stitch markers, scissors



**DIFFICULTY LEVEL:** Easy

The base and the edge of the bag are worked in a continuous spiral of sc, without ending the round with 1 sl st. To help you, place a SM in 1a st of every round, moving it upward while working.

## POINTS USED

**Chain, slip st, single crochet, double crochet, treble crochet**

**sc in back loop:** insert hook only in the back loop of the stitch and work 1 sc.

**increase:** 2 sc in same st.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**RS** = right side

**WS** = wrong side

**st(s)** = stitch(es)

**ch** = chain

**sl st** = slip stitch

**sc** = single crochet

**dc** = double crochet

**tr** = treble crochet

**inc** = increase

**rep\*\*** = repeat from \* to \*

**SM** = stitch marker

## MEASURES

Height: 30 cm

Diameter: 21cm

## PROCEDURE

### BASE OF THE BAG

With color brown make a magic loop.

**1 round (LD):** 1 ch (don't count as 1a sts), 6 sc in magic loop; pull to close the circle.

**2 round:** 6 inc. [12 sts]

**3 round:** (1 sc, 1 inc) 6 times. [18 sts]

**4 round:** 1 sc, 1 inc, (2 sc, 1 aum) 5 times, 1 sc. [24 sts]

**5 round:** (3 sc, 1 inc) 6 sc. [30 sts]

**6 round:** 2 sc, 1 inc, (4 sc, 1 inc) 5 times, 2 sc. [36 sts]

**7 round:** (5 sc, 1 inc) 6 times. [42 sts.]

**8 round:** 3 sc, 1 inc, (6 sc, 1 inc) 5 times, 3 sc. [48 sts]

**9 round:** (7 sc, 1 inc) 6 times. [54 sts]

**10 round:** 4 sc, 1 inc, (8 sc, 1 inc) 5 times, 4 sc. [60 sts]

**11 round:** (9 sc, 1 inc) 6 times. [66 sts]

**12 round:** 5 sc, 1 inc, (10 sc, 1 inc) 5 times, 5 sc. [72 sts]

**13 round:** (11 sc, 1 inc) 6 times. [78 sts]

**14 round:** 6 sc, 1 inc, (12 sc, 1 inc) 5 times, 6 sc. [84 sts]

**15 round:** (13 sc, 1 inc) 6 times. [90 sts]

**16 round:** 90 sc in back loop; don't cut the yarn and continue with the body of the bag.

### **BODY OF THE BAG**

**From 17 to 21 rounds:** 1 sc in in each st of the round [90 sts]

**22 round:** 1 inc in 1a st., 1 sc in in each of the next st [91 sc] 1 sl st in next st

**23 round:** 4 ch (count as 1a tr here and forward), 1 tr in next 3 sts, 3 ch, skip 3 sts,

\* 1 tr in next 4 sts, 3 ch, skip 3 sts \*, rep\*\*another 11 times; 1 sl st in 4a ch from beginning.  
[13 group of 4 tr, 13 space of 3 ch]

**24 round:** 3 ch (count 1a dc here and forward), 1 dc in each tr and 3 dc in each 3 ch-space; 1 sl st in 3a ch from beginning

**25 round:** 3 ch, 1 dc in each sts of the round; 1 sl st in 3a ch from beginning

**From 26 to 31 rounds:** rep (from 23 to 25 round) 2 times.

**32 round:** like 23 round.

**33 round:** 1 sc in each tr and 3 sc in in each 3 ch-space; at the end don't close the round with sl st al termine. [91 sc]

**From 34 to 41 rounds:** 1 sc in each st of the round

**42 round:** 1 mbss in each st of the round

Cut the yarn and close. Weave in all ends.

### **FINISHING**

#### **First cord (coulisse)**

With color grey, work an even number of ch long 130 cm, turn and starting from the 2a ch from hook, work. 1 sl st in each ch. Cut the yarn and close.

#### **Second cord (shoulder strap)**

With color il grey, work an even number of ch long 100 cm, and starting from the 2a ch from hook work 1 sl st in each ch for the next 14 cm; pass these 14 cm cord through the empty space of ch-3 in the 32nd round to create the 1st buttonhole, insert the hook in the sl st at the end of the 14 cm cord (photo) and work 1 sl st to close the buttonhole; continue to work 1 sl st in each ch to the end; pass the last 14 cm of the cord through the space of ch-3 of the 32nd round on the opposite side of the 1st buttonhole and work 1 sl st in the sl st at 14 cm from hook to close the 2nd buttonhole. Cut the yarn and close.

Create the drawstring with the 1st cord, passing it through the ch-3 spaces of the 32nd round and fixing each end over the slots of the shoulder strap.

Weave in all ends.

## PHOTOGALLERY

