

Unicorn combo backpack



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Materials:

Yarn: Hooked spaghetti approx. 1 spool of white and ½ of pink, some black aran weight yarn for the eyes, and some grey bulky weight yarn for the horn.

2 D-rings approx. 1”

Hooks: 7,0mm, 4,5mm and 3,0mm

Stitch markers

Scissors

A blunt needle with a large eye

Measuring tape

Terms used:

This pattern is written using standard US crochet terms

Sc – single crochet

ss – slip stitch

St/sts – stitch/stitches

Ch – chain

Mr – magic ring/ magic circle

Vsc – waistcoat single crochet

3vsc – 3 vsc in the same st

Inc – 2sc/vsc in 1 st

Pattern info:

I always recommend reading through the entire pattern before starting

Since tshirt yarn tends to differ in size and thickness I recommend making the test circle before starting.

When the pattern reads inc x2 you make 2sc/vsc in the next 2 sts.

When the pattern reads sc x12 or vsc x12, you make 1 sc/vsc in the next 12 sts.

Unless otherwise stated the pattern is worked in the round and each round is joined by a slip stitch and then a chain 1.

When a series of stitches are repeated those are written within * - * meaning, *inc, sc* x2, means you make an inc in the first st, 1 sc in next st, and then repeat it again, inc in next st, 1 sc in the following st.

Best of luck, and if you have any questions or get stuck please send me a message, I would be happy to help 😊

How to make vsc and check gauge

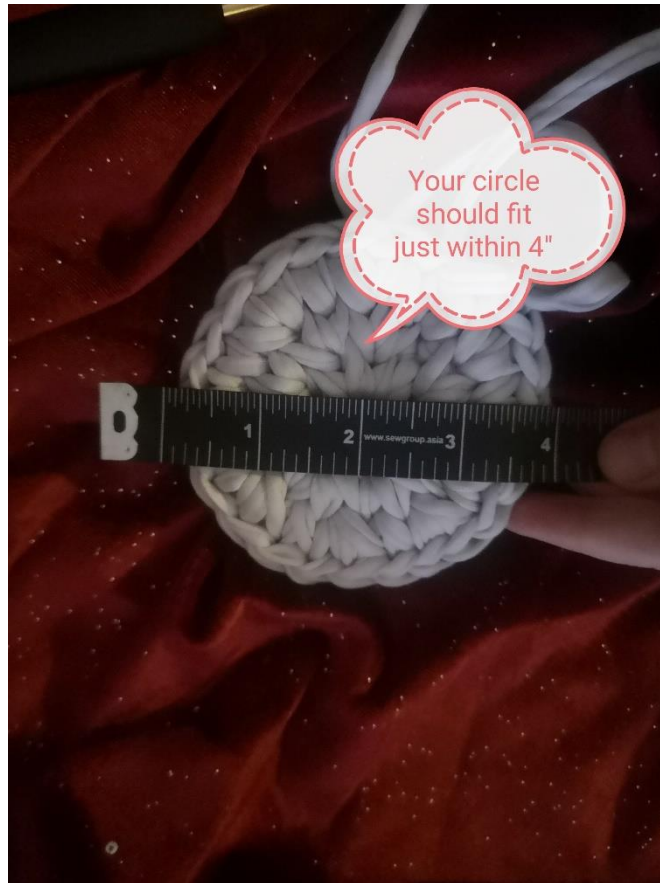
To check that your basket will be a good size you will work 3 rounds of vsc.

1. Mr, 8sc in mr, sl st, ch 1(8)
2. 2vsc in each st, sl st, ch 1 (16)
3. * 1vsc, 2vsc in next st* x8 sl st (24)

Now measure your circle it should fit just inside 4"

If its much bigger or smaller you might want to consider changing your hook size.





Time to begin!

Start with with pink colored T-shirt yarn and 7mm hook.

Ch 15

1. in second ch from hook make 2 sc, sc x12, 4sc in last ch, now working the other side of the ch, sc x12, 2sc in last st, ss, ch1 (32)
 2. Inc x2, sc x12, inc X4, sc x12, inc X2, ss, ch1 (40)
 3. 2sc X2, sc X16, incX4, scx16, inc x2, ss, ch1 (48)
- 4-6: sc X48, ss, ch1

Change to white

7. working in back loop only, sc X48, ss, ch1
 - 8-24. sc x48, ss, ch 1 (on last round finish with a false stitch instead of a ss)
- Find instructions for how to make the false st at the end of the pattern.

Lid

Ch 14, close the ch to a circle, ch 1

1. Inc x 13, ss, ch 1 (26)
2. Vsc x3, 3vsc into next st, vsc x18, 3vsc into next st, vsc x3 (30)
3. Vsc x4, 3vsc into next st, vsc x20, 3vsc into next st, vsc x4 (34)
4. Vsc x5, 3vsc into next st, vsc x5, inc, vsc x3, inc, vsc x3, inc, vsc x7, 3vsc into next st, vsc x5 (41)
5. Vsc x6, 3vsc into next st, vsc x27, 3vsc into next st, vsc x6 close (45)

Horn

Using bulky weight yarn and a 4.5mm crochet hook

The horn and base are worked in continuous rounds

Make a Mr

1. 6sc in mr (6)
2. *inc, sc* x3 (9)
3. Sc x9
4. *inc, scx2* x3 (12)
5. Sc x12
6. *inc, scx3* x3 (15)
7. Sc x15
8. *inc, scx4* x3 (18)
9. Sc x18
10. Sc x18
11. *inc, scx5* x3 (21)
12. Sc x21
13. Sc x21
14. *inc, scx6* x3 (24)
15. Sc x24
16. Sc x24
17. *inc, sc x7* x3 (27)
18. Sc x27
19. Sc x27

Cut yarn and make the bottom of the horn

Make a Mr

1. 6sc in mr (6)
2. Inc x6 (12)
3. *inc, sc x1* x6 (18)
4. *inc, sc x2* x6 (24)
5. *inc, sc x7* x3 (27)

Attach the base to the horn.

Make 1 sc through both pieces all the way round, stuff the horn before you close the horn.

The horn should measure about 6,7 inches at the base



Straps

chain until your chain measures

child: 54"

youth: 58"

adult: 60"

In second chain from hook, make 1 sc in each st across the chain, cut yarn and leave enough for sewing the strap in place.

Eyes

Using black aran weight yarn and 3,0mm hook

Ch 18

1. Start In second ch from hook, sc x5, *inc, sc* x 4, sc x2, sk1, ss into last st, cut yarn and make another eye



Assembling the bag

Start by folding the bag in half, find your center back stitch and place a marker in it, count 6 stitches to the right and place a marker in the 7th stitch.

Place a marker in the center stitch on the top of the lid, count 6 stitches to the right and place a marker in the 7th stitch.

Match the markers, starting in the marker placed in the 7th st, pull the yarn through, then ss x 14, cut yarn and weave in your ends.



String:

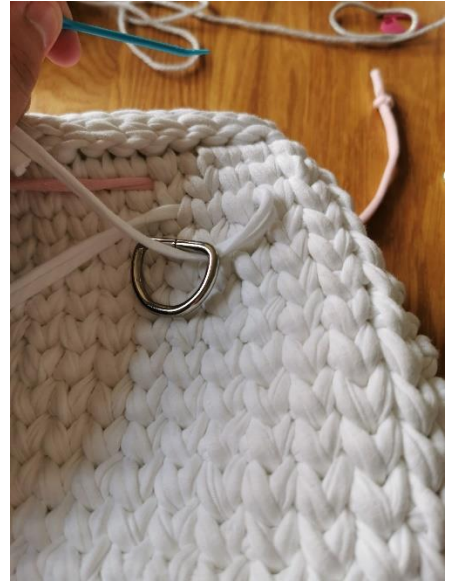
This is done to your preference.

Take approx. 10" of your preferred yarn, fold it in half, starting from the back, take one end of the yarn and pull through to the inside, do the same with the other end, you should have 7 sts in between were your ends go in, skip 8 sts and pull the yarn to the outside, skip 2 sts and pull the yarn to the inside, skip 9 sts and pull the yarn to the outside. Repeat for the other side. Decide the length of your strings and cut them to desired length, tie a knot at the end.



D-rings:

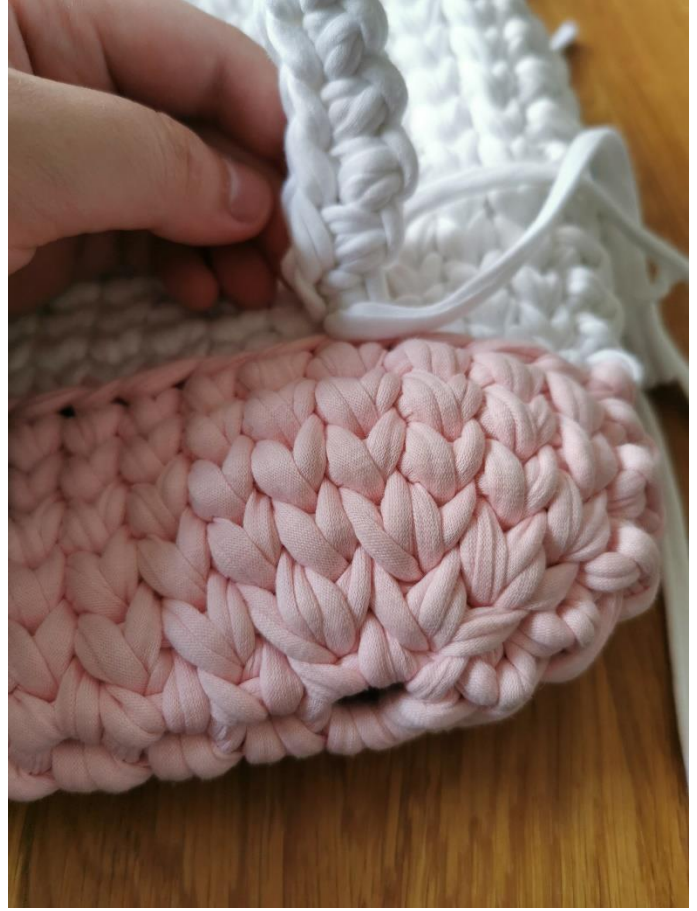
Sew the d-rings in place by following the pictures below



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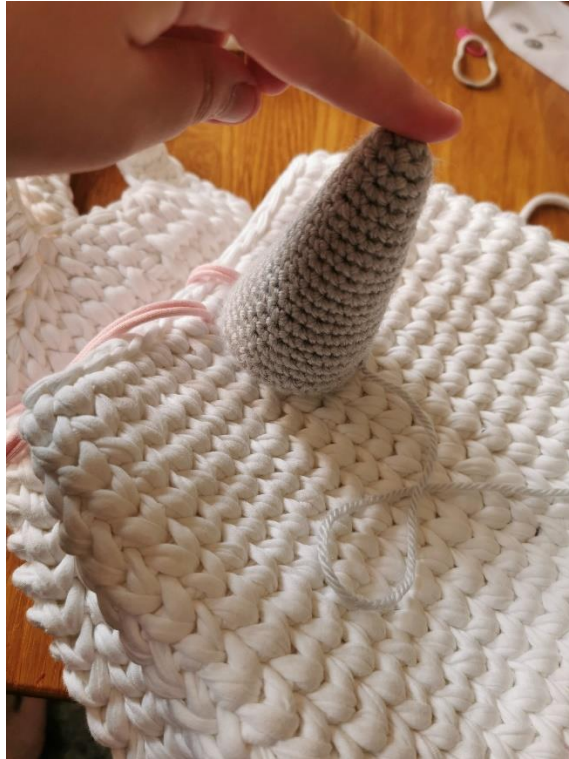
Pull the straps through the rings from the top, one end of the strap in each ring.

Make sure not to twist your strap. In the first round of the white in line with the first and last ch of your base starting chain, sew the strap down on each side. Make sure to secure your yarn.



Horn

Right under the strings at the front sew the horn to the bag, make sure to fasten it properly



Mane:

Decide on the length for the mane, take a bunch of scrap yarn (I use different types of t-shirt yarn left overs). Cut them double the length your mane should be, fasten the yarn in the loops inside the hole in the lid.



Eyes: (optional)

Choose where you want your eyes to be, sew them in place.

How to make a false stitch:

