

Easy Square Bag - Crochet Pattern

Use any crochet hook size for your size of yarn or plarn.

Size depends on your hook. Number of stitches desired + 1 for chain.

Row 1: Ch 27

Row 2: SC into 2nd chain from hook

SC in each loop

Ch 1 and turn

Row 3: SC into each stitch

Ch 1 and turn

Row 4: Ch1, SC in same stitch as Ch1

*DC around post of 1st SC of previous row

Skip next stitch on 2nd row, SC in next ST

Skip next SC on previous row

DC around next SC post on previous row*

Continue to the end of the row

Ch1 and turn

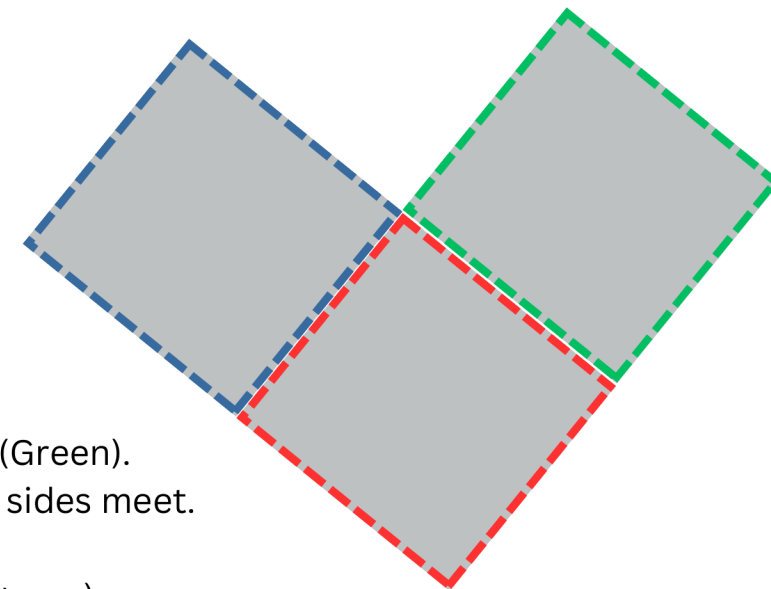
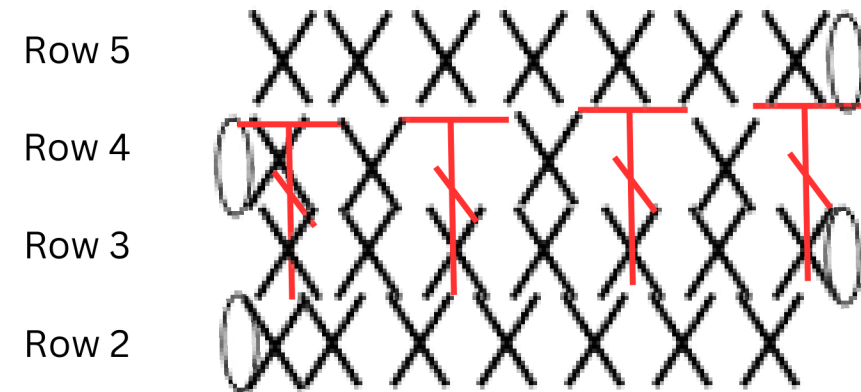
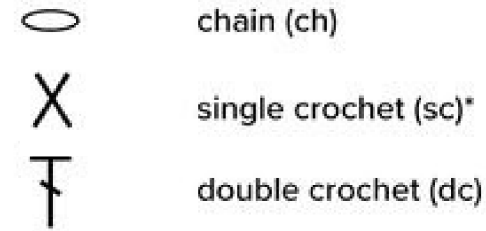
Row 5: SC in each stitch across the row, Ch1 and turn

Row 6-27: Repeat row 4 and row 5 until desired size (square)

Complete 3 squares of the same size to make one bag.

Assembling the Bag

- Lay the squares out flat with the double crochet stitches facing up.
- Decide which one will be your bottom square (Red), Left (Blue) and Right (Green).
- Stitch where the blue and red sides meet. Stitch where the green and red sides meet.
- Flip it over so the inside (flat stitching) is up.
- Pull the bottom (red) corner up to meet the outside left (blue) and right (green) corners. Temporarily hold together with spare yarn, stitch markers or safety pins.
- Stitch the edges that meet (blue & red) and (red & green).



Handle Ideas & Attaching

Decide what length of handle you would like. It's key to think about how the stitches will stretch over time/use.

- **Option 1:**

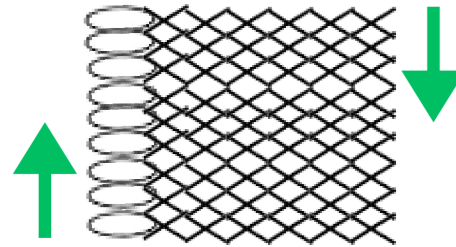
- Chain double the width of handle you would like + 1 and turn.
- SC across, Ch1 turn.
- Repeat until desired length.
- Fold over & stitch long edges together.

- **Option 2:**

- Chain the length you would like the handle
- SC across, Ch1 turn.
- Repeat until desired width.
- Fold over & stitch long edges together.

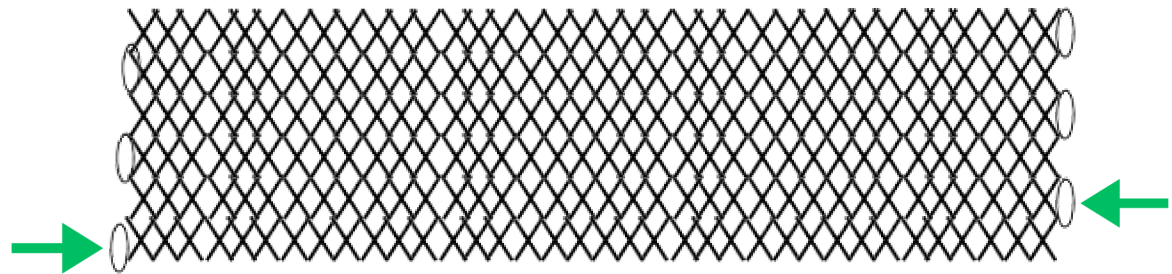
- **Option 3:** (Most time)

- Chain the length you would like the handle
- SC across, Ch1 turn.
- Repeat until desired width.
- Weave through each stitch "v" in a saddle stitch with row above until handle has condensed & stitches are tight together.



Option 1

Stitch many short rows to make a long rectangle



Option 2

Stitch a few long rows to make a long rectangle

Attach at bag peaks by weaving the yarn/plarn under stitches further down and then into the stitches under and around the where you want the handle. Weave into the "v" of the stitches so it self tightens.

