

Crochet Baby Sack

Materials

- **Worsted-weight yarn**
- **Crochet hook appropriate for the yarn**
- **Yarn needle for weaving in ends**

Abbreviations:

ch – chain
dc – double crochet
hdc – half double crochet
sc – single crochet
sl st – slip stitch
st(s) – stitch(es)
RS – right side

Important Notes

- The ch-2 at the beginning of a double-crochet round does NOT count as a stitch.
- The ch-1 at the beginning of a half-double-crochet round does NOT count as a stitch.
- Always work into the top of the stitch (the V), not around the two vertical strands or “legs” of the stitch.
- Each round is joined with a slip stitch to the first stitch of the round.

Finished Size 10” wide and 15” long

Bottom of Sack

Rnd 1 – RS: Make a magic ring and work **12 dc into the ring**. Sl st to the first dc to join. **12 dc**

If you prefer not to use a magic ring: Ch 4 and join with a sl st to form a ring. Ch 2 and work 12 dc into the ring. Sl st to the first dc to join.

Rnd 2 – Ch 2. Work 2 dc in the stitch with the sl st, 2 dc in each dc around. Sl st to the first dc to join. **24 dc**

Rnd 3 – Ch 2. Dc in the same st. *2 dc in the next st, dc in the next st; repeat from * around. Sl st to the first dc to join. **36 dc**

Rnd 4 – Ch 2. Dc in the same st. Dc in the next st. *2 dc in the next st, dc in each of the next 2 sts; repeat from * around. Sl st to the first dc to join. **48 dc**

Rnd 5 – Ch 2. Dc in the same st. Dc in each of the next 2 sts. *2 dc in the next st, dc in each of the next 3 sts; repeat from * around. Sl st to the first dc to join. **60 dc**



Rnd 6 – Ch 2. Dc in the same st. Dc in each of the next 3 sts. ***2 dc in the next st, dc in each of the next 4 sts; repeat from * around.** Sl st to the first dc to join. **72 dc**

Body of Sack

Rnds 7–8 – Ch 2. Dc in the same st. **Dc in each st around.** Sl st to the first dc to join. **72 dc**

Rnds 9–10 – Ch 1. Hdc in the same st. **Hdc in each st around.** Sl st to the first hdc to join. **72 hdc**

Continue Body

Repeat Rounds 7 - 10 until the sack measures approximately **16 inches from the center of the bottom to the top edge.**

Scalloped Edging

Final Round

Sl st to the first hdc. Ch 1. Sc in the same st. ***3 dc in the next st, sc in the next st; repeat from * around.**

Sl st to the first sc to join. Fasten off.

Weave in all ends.

Finished Size

Approximately **14 inches long**, measured from the center of the bottom to the top edge.

Helpful Tip for Beginners

When you reach the end of each round, count your stitches before joining. You should have **72 stitches** for every round after Round 6. If your stitch count is not 72, check that you have worked only **one stitch in each stitch**, except where the pattern specifically calls for **2 dc in one stitch**.



The baby sack to the left was completed using only double crochet and the scalloped edge at the top, and still measures the same.