

'BAG TO NATURE'



INSPIRED BY NATURE.....

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WHAT DO YOU NEED:

- * 400 GRAM RAW LINEN BORGO DE' PAZZI, COLOR 197 (OLD ROSE)
- * 200 GRAM RAW LINEN BORGO DE' PAZZI, COLOR 191 (NATURE)
- * 50 GRAM LINO MELANGE BORGO DE' PAZZI, COLOR 46 (LIGHT BROWN)
- * LEATHER HANDLE 2X LENGHT: 55 CM, WIDTH: 2 CM, THICKNESS: 2 MM, COLOR COGNAC (OUT OF ONE STROKE OF 110 CM, WWW.BOOMSMA.NL)
- * HOLLOW PUNCH 1 MM (WWW.BOOMSMA.NL) FOR MAKING THE HOLES.
- * STANLEY KNIFE, * HAMMER
- * METAL RULER
- * PLASTIC BOARD
- * CROCHET HOOK: 5 MM/ US 8+ 3 MM/ US 3
- * STITCHMARKER
- * (DARNING) NEEDLE
- * PINS
- * SCISSORS

METHOD:

WORKING WITH 2 SKEINS OF YARN HELD TOGETHER.

START WITH COLOR 197 (OLD ROSE) AND CROCHET HOOK 5MM/ 8.

WORK CH 4, JOIN WITH A SL ST IN THE FIRST CHAIN TO FORM A RING.

WORK SC 6 IN THE RING.

ROUND 1: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY OTHER SC (12).

ROUND 2: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 2ND SC (18).

ROUND 3: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 3RD SC (24).

ROUND 4: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 4TH SC (30).

ROUND 5: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 5TH SC (36).

ROUND 6: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 6TH SC (42).

ROUND 7: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 7TH SC (48).

ROUND 8: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 8TH SC (54).

ROUND 9: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 9TH SC (60).

ROUND 10: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 10TH SC (66).

ROUND 11: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 11TH SC (72).

ROUND 12: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 12TH SC (78).

ROUND 13: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 13TH (84).

ROUND 14: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 14TH (90).

ROUND 15: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 15TH (96).

ROUND 16: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 16TH (102).

ROUND 17: WORK SC 2 IN EVERY 17TH (108).

ROUND 18-44: WORK 1 SC IN EVERY OTHER SC.

CHANGE COLORS ON THE FOLLOWING WAY FOR A NICE COLOR CHANGE:

JOIN WITH A SL ST. CUT OF THE YARN. MAKE A LOOP WITH THE NEW COLOR 191 (2 THREADS), PLACE ON THE HOOK.

INSERT THE HOOK IN THE LAST SC BEFORE THE SL ST. OF THE PREVIOUS COLOR. 1 SC, 1 SC IN SL ST.

ROUND 45-65: WORK SC 1 IN EVERY OTHER SC. JOIN WITH A SL ST.

THE EDGE:

CONTINUE WITH ONE THREAD, CUT OFF THE OTHER ONE.

USE THE CRAB STITCH FOR FINISHING THE EDGE.

WORK THE LAST ROUND TILL THE LAST STITCH, PULL YARN THROUGH LOOP AND TIGHTEN, SO BEGIN AND END ARE NEARLY VISIBLE.

FINISH THREADS NICE AND CLEAN AT THE INSIDE OF THE BAG.

FASTEN OFF LOOSE THREADS WITH THE NEEDLE.

CRAB STITCH (OR REVERSE SINGLE CROCHET):

THIS STITCH IS A SINGLE CROCHET, WORKED IN REVERSED DIRECTION.

* INSERT THE HOOK IN PREVIOUS SC, PULL UP THE YARN, YARN OVER, PULL THROUGH BOTH LOOPS*

REP FROM * TO * UNTILL THE END.

MEASUREMENTS:

* LENGHT: 45 CM

* WIDTH: 43 CM

ABBREVIATIONS:

CH= CHAINSTITCH

SL ST= SLIP STITCH

SC= SINGLE CROCHET

HDC= HALF DOUBLE CROCHET

DC= DOUBLE CROCHET

TRC= TRIPPLE CROCHET DUBBEL

BRANCH:

USE LINO MELANGE YARN AND CROCHET HOOK 3 MM/ US 3
START FROM BOTTOM, UP TO LEAVE ON TOP AND BACK DOWN TO FINISH.
WORK CH 15 FOR THE BRANCH.

LEAF 1:
WORK CH 7, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 6 BACK.
ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 2 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.
WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.
1 SC, 1 HDC, 2 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK CH 8 FOR THE BRANCH.

LEAF 2:
WORK CH 8, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 7 BACK.
ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 1 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.
WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 1 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK CH 8 FOR THE BRANCH.

LEAF 3+4:
WORK CH 7, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 6 BACK.
ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 2 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.
WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.
1 SC, 1 HDC, 2 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK CH 8 FOR THE BRANCH.

LEAF 5:
WORK CH 9, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 8 BACK.
ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 2TRC, 1 DC, 1 HST, 1 SC, 2 CH.
WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 2TRC, 1 DC, 1 HST, 1 SC, 2 CH, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK CH 8 FOR THE BRANCH.

LEAF 6: (=TOP LEAF).
WORK CH 8, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 7 BACK.
ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 1 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.
WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 1 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK SL ST 8 IN THE BRANCH, 1 SL ST IN THE STARTING POINT OF LEAF 5.

LEAF 7:
WORK CH 8, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 7 BACK.
ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 1 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.
WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 1 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK SC 8 IN THE BRANCH, 1 SL ST IN THE STARTING POINT OF LEAF 4.

LEAF 8:

WORK CH 8, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 7 BACK.

ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 3 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.

WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.

1 SC, 1 HDC, 3 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK SC 8 IN THE BRANCH, 1 SL ST IN THE STARTINGPOINT OF LEAF 3.

LEAF 9:

WORK CH 9, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 8 BACK.

ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 2 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HST, 1 SC, 2 CH.

WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.

1 SC, 1 HDC, 1 DC, 2 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HST, 1 SC, 2 CH, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK SC 8 IN THE BRANCH, 1 SL ST IN THE STARTINGPOINT OF LEAF 2.

LEAF 10:

WORK CH 8, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 7 BACK.

ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 3 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.

WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.

1 SC, 1 HDC, 3 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK SL ST 8 IN THE BRANCH, 1 SL ST IN THE STARTING POINT OF LEAF 1.

LEAF 11:

WORK CH 7, WORK IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK SC 6 BACK.

ROTATE YOUR WORK, STAY AT THE SAME SIDE (DON'T TURN) GRAP YOUR HOOK UNDERNEATH AND WORK AT THE OTHER SIDE THE FOLLOWING STITCHES:
1 SC, 1 HDC, 2 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 2 CH.

WORK 1 SL ST IN 2ND CH FROM HOOK FOR THE TIP OF THE LEAF.

1 SC, 1 HDC, 2 DC, 1 HDC, 1 SC, 1 SL ST IN STARTING POINT OF THE LEAF.

WORK 8 SL ST IN THE BRANCHE.

THE BRANCH IS READY!

FASTEN OFF LOOSE THREADS.

PIN THE BRANCHE IN THE MIDDLE AND SEW WITH A BASTING STITCH ON THE BAG,
USE THE LINO MELANGE YARN.

HANDLES:

CUT 2 STRAPS OF 55 CM WITH THE STANLEY KNIFE AND THE METAL RULER.

MAKE 4 HOLES AT THE END OF THE HANDLES WITH THE HOLE PUNCHER AND HAMMER,
USE THE PLASTIC BOARD UNDERNEATH.

I USED THE ROUGH BACKSIDE OF THE STRAPS FOR A NATURAL LOOK.

PLACE THE END OF THE HANDLES 2,5 CM FROM THE EDGE IN THE RIGHT POSITION.

TAKE A RAW LINEN THREAD AND SPLIT IT. TAKE A LINO MELANGE THREAD, USE THE YARNS TOGETHER.
(THE RAW LINEN YARN ISN'T STRONG ENOUGH, THAT'S WHY YOU HAVE TO COMBINE THE YARNS).

SEW THE HANDLES TIGHT, IN CROSS SHAPE, ON THE BAG. MAKE A DOUBLE KNOT INSIDE THE BAG AND FASTEN OFF LOOSE THREADS WITH THE NEEDLE.

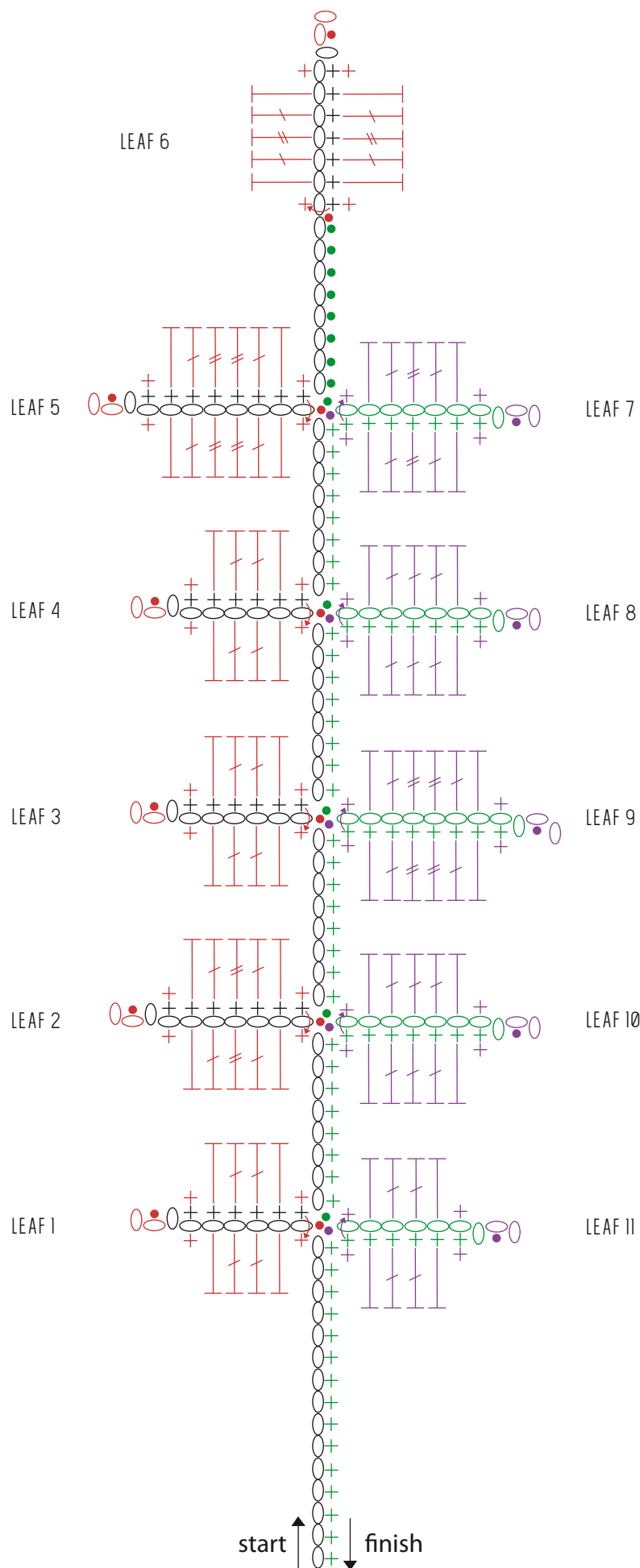
YOU CAN ATTACH A LEATHER (NAME) LABEL ON THE BAG, IF YOU LIKE.

YOUR 'BAG TO NATURE' IS READY!

ENJOY!

WITH LOVE,
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DIAGRAM BRANCH



USED STITCHES:

- = SLIP STITCH (SL ST)
- = CHAIN (CH)
- ⊕ = SINGLE CROCHET (SC)
- ⊥ = DOUBLE CROCHET (DC)
- ⊥/ = HALF DOUBLE CROCHET (HDC)
- ⊥// = TRIPPLE CROCHET (TRC)
- ↪ = CONTINUE ON THE OTHER SIDE