



Cable Crossbody Bag



MATERIALS AND INFO

Materials: 1 skein of KnitPicks Cotlin, yarn needle, stitch markers, cable needle, crossbody bag strap, 12 in zipper, a fat quarter of a matching fabric, thread, needle (or you can use a sewing machine if you have one!)

Needle Size: 5(US) 3.75mm needles

Gauge (tension): Gauge: 24 sts = 4 in / 10 cm in stockinette stitch

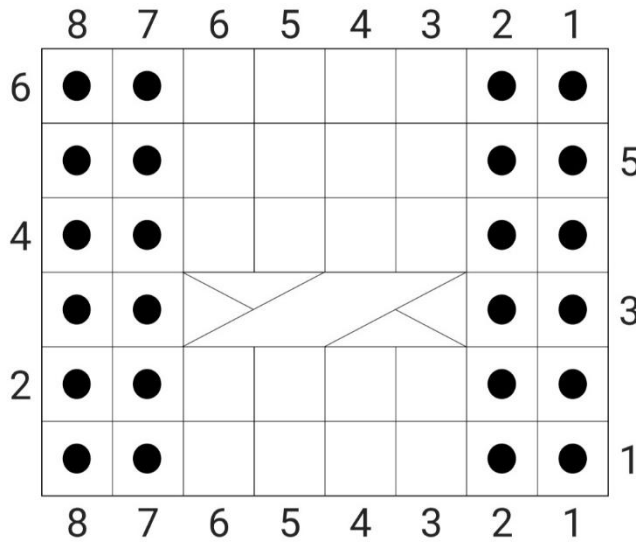
Finished Measurement: approximately 31 cm / 12.25 in across the top × 11 cm / 4.25 in across the bottom × 13 cm / 5 in tall.

METHOD

The bag is worked bottom-up in the round. The cast-on edge is sewn closed during finishing.

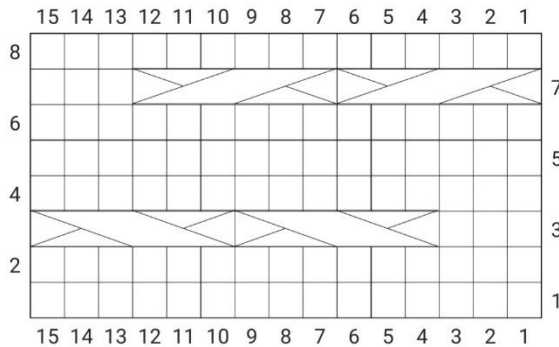


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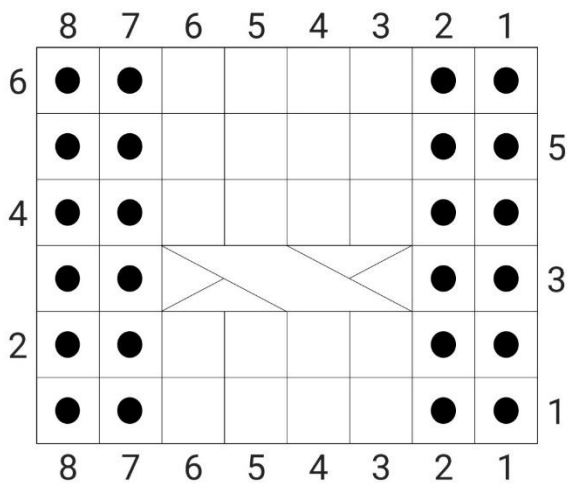
Cable A

Row 1 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 2 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 3 - p2, c2b, p2
 Row 4 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 5 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 6 - p2, k4, p2



Cable B

Row 1 - knit across
 Row 2 - knit across
 Row 3 - k3, c3f, c3f
 Row 4 - knit across
 Row 5 - knit across
 Row 6 - knit across
 Row 7 - c3b, c3b, k3
 Row 8 - knit across



Cable C

Row 1 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 2 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 3 - p2, c2f, p2
 Row 4 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 5 - p2, k4, p2
 Row 6 - p2, k4, p2



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MAIN BODY OF BAG

Cast on 70sts

Set-up round - k2, p2, k4, p2, k15, p2, k4, p2, k2, pm, k2, p2, k4, p2, k15, p2, k4, p2, k2

Round 1 - k1, m1l, k1, cable a chart, cable b chart, cable c chart, k1, m1r, k1, sm, k1, m1l, k1, cable a chart, cable b chart, cable c chart, k1, m1r, k1,

Round 2 - Round 2 - Knit to Cable A, work Cable A, Cable B, and Cable C in established pattern, knit to marker, sm, knit to Cable A, work Cable A, Cable B, and Cable C in established pattern, then knit to BOR marker.

Repeat Rounds continuing each cable chart in its own established row sequence as you work. 1-2 until Round 1 has been worked a total of 22 times. [158 sts]

HEM

Knit for 5 rounds

Fold the 5-round hem to the inside of the bag and sew it neatly in place.

I-CORD LOOP (make 2)

Cast on 3 sts. Work I-cord for 6 rows, Leave a long tail at both the cast-on and bind-off ends for sewing.

Sew the loop to the inside where the increase sections created corners at the top. This will make a loop to attach your bag strap.

FINISHING

Sew bottom cast on edge closed.

OPTIONAL LINING

Fold the fat quarter in half, place your bag down and trace approximately 0.5 cm $\frac{1}{4}$ in outside the bag edge to allow for seam allowance. Cut the fabric out. With right sides together sew the side and bottom edges of the fabric. (it doesn't need to be perfect since it will be inside the bag.) You can use a sewing machine here if you have one. Leave the top open.

Place your cloth bag inside your knit bag. Tack the lining to the knit bag in a few places along the shaped side edges and bottom seam.

When adding your zipper place it between the knit bag and cloth bag, pin it, and sew well. Again, a sewing machine can be used here. You can hide your zipper seam in the hem seam.



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Weave in all ends. Load with all of your necessities and enjoy!



ABBREVIATIONS

bor - beginning of round

c2b - place 2 sts on cable needle, hold in back, knit 2 sts from working needle, knit 2 sts from cable needle.

C2f - place 2 sts on cable needle, hold in front, knit 2 sts from working needle, knit 2 sts from cable needle.

C3b - place 3 sts on cable needle, hold in back, knit 3 sts from working needle, knit 3 sts from cable needle.

C3f - place 3 sts on cable needle, hold in front, knit 3 sts from working needle, knit 3 sts from cable needle.

k - knit

M1L - Make 1 left: Insert the left needle from front to back under the strand between the last stitch worked and the next stitch; knit through the back loop.

M1R - Make 1 right: Insert the left needle from back to front under the strand between the last stitch worked and the next stitch; knit through the front loop.

P - purl

pm - place marker

sm - slip marker

st - stitch

yo - yarn over