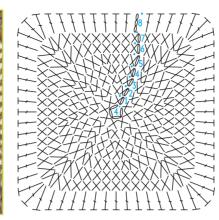
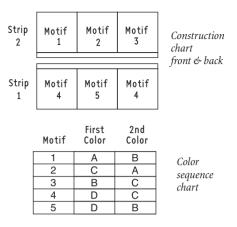
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Basic motif

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, working 3 sc in each marked corner sc, sl st in first sc to join—56 sc.

Rnd 8: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), dc in each sc around, working 3 dc in each marked corner sc, sl st in third ch of turning ch to join—64 sts. Fasten off.

Trim Rnd

With WS facing, join matching color around the post of any sc in Rnd 5, sl st around the post of each sc around, sl st in first sl st to join—40 sl sts. Fasten off.

Assemble Into Strips

Follow construction chart for placement. Join motifs together in 2 strips of 3 motifs for both front and back as follows: With RS of 2 motifs tog, working through double thickness, join F in one corner of motif, matching sts across one side, and sl st in each st across to next corner. Fasten off. Rep to join third motif in strip.

Strip Edgings

With RS of strip 1 facing, join D in top right-hand corner of strip, ch 1, sc evenly across 3 motifs to top left-hand corner st. Fasten off. Rep strip edging across bottom edge of strip 2. Rep strip edging across top and bottom edges of remaining strips 1 and 2 for back.

Assemble Front & Back

With RS of strip 1 and strip 2 of front tog, working through double thickness, join F in top right-hand corner of strips, matching sts across top, sl st in each st across to next corner. Fasten off. Join 2 strips for back in same manner. Join front to back across sides in same manner.

Bottom

Rnd 1: With RS of bag facing, join D in side seam on bottom edge of bag, ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st in first sc to join. Fasten off D, join F.

Rnds 2–4: With F, ch 1, sc in each sc around, sl st in first sc to join. Turn bag inside out. Flatten bag at side seams.

Row 5: With RS tog, matching sts across last rnd of bottom, working through double thickness, sl st in each st across. Fasten off. Turn bag right-side out.

Top Edging

Rnd 1: With RS of bag facing, join D in side seam on top edge of bag, ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st in first sc to join. Fasten off D, join F.