



Strap Tab

With 1 st on RH needle, k7—8 sts. Work back and forth in St st on these 8 sts for 10 rows. BO 8 sts and break yarn.

Rejoin yarns to next st on body of bag and BO 62 sts.

Rep from * to *.

Rejoin yarns to next st on body of bag and BO 4 sts—54 sts.

Front Flap

Row 1 Knit.

Row 2 K2, p50, k2.

Rep rows 1 and 2 for 7".

Keeping in patt as est, work 39 rows of chart on center 45 sts.

K 3 rows. BO.

BASE

With 2 strands MC held tog, CO 17 sts. Work even in St st until piece meas 16" from beg. BO.

STRAP PAD

With 2 strands MC held tog, CO 17 sts. Work even in garter st until piece meas 9" from beg. BO.

FINISHING

With RS tog, pin base to bottom opening, taking care to keep front flap centered. Sew base in place. Fold strap pad in half lengthwise and sew seam to form tube. Weave in ends.

To felt, place all pieces in zippered pillowcase and run through hot wash cycle with dish soap and old jeans. Repeat cycle until bag has reached desired size, checking progress every 10 minutes. Wrap in towel and gently