

Ho Ho Ho Tote Bag



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Materials



- o Yarn: 4 skeins Lion Brand Hometown USA in Color A (or 256 yards) and 1 skein Color B (or 64 yards)
- o Hook: Furls Odyssey M 8.00mm
- o 1 3/8" Pom Pom Maker or create a pom pom using [this tutorial](#)
- o Stitch Marker
- o Scissors
- o Yarn Needle
- o Measuring Tape

Ho Ho Ho Crochet Pattern Series!

How fun is it to decorate anything with a pom pom? But then add them to the holiday season and you get an entirely new way to show off the holiday spirit along with adding a bit of crochet accessories to your closet.

Or make it in a DK weight like City Tweed DK and a D hook for a little version!



Sizing

- These measurements are approximated, and actual subjects may vary.
- Gauge: 9 sc = 4"
9 rows = 4"
- This pattern comes in the following sizes:

Size	Length	Circumference
One size	15"	33"

Pattern Key

- Ch: Chain
- Sc: Single Crochet
- Hdc: Half Double Crochet
- Slst: Slip Stitch
- BLO: Back Loop Only
- St(s): Stitch(es)
- *: Repeat according to instructions

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Special Pattern Notes: Color B is noted in red for easier reading.

Photo tutorial at end of pattern is for visual purposes only. Do not use stitch count or 'H' position as a reference. Also, find the video tutorial [here](#).

Make two 3 3/8" pom poms using Color B.

Learn how to [create a pom pom without a pom pom maker here](#).

Using a Lucet Fork, create an i-cord double the length of the strap length required.

Pattern Instructions

Base of Tote Bag

Ch 21

Round 1: Starting in 2nd ch from hook 3 hdc, hdc in next 18, 3 hdc in last ch, rotate to work down opposite side of chain, hdc in next 18 chs, join - 42 sts

Round 2: Ch 1, 3 hdc in same, hdc in next, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 18, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 18, join - 50 sts

Round 3: Ch 1, hdc in same and next, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 3, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 20, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 3, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 18, join - 58 sts

Round 4: Ch 1, hdc in same and next 2, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 5, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 22, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 5, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 19, join - 66 sts

Round 5: Ch 1, hdc in same and next 3, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 7, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 24, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 7, 3 hdc in next, hdc in next 20, join - 74 sts

Body of Tote Bag

Body is worked continuously around. Use stitch marker to mark first or last stitch of each round. *Entire Body of Tote is worked in BLO.*

Round 6: Ch 1, sc in each st around - 74 sts

Round 7-9: Sc in next 21 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc in next 2 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 10: Sc in next 21 switching to Color B, **sc in next 6** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 11-13: Sc in next 21 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc in next 2 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 14: Sc in each st around - 74 sts

Rounds 15-17: Sc in next 28 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc in next 2 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 18: Sc in next 28 switching to Color B, **sc in next 6** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 19-21: Sc in next 28 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc in next 2 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 22: Sc in each st around - 74 sts

Rounds 23-25: Sc in next 35 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc in next 2 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 26: Sc in next 35 switching to Color B, **sc in next 6** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Rounds 27-29: Sc in next 35 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc in next 2 switching to Color B, **sc in next 2** switching to Color A, sc remaining sts around - 74 sts

Round 30: Sc in each st around - 74 sts

Round 31: Sc in next, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 8, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 2, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 8, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 15, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 8, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 2, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 8, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 15, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 8, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 2, ch 1, skip 1, sc in next 8, ch 1, skip 1, sc in remaining 14 - 74 sts

Round 32: Slst in next, ch 1, sc in each st around, join - 74 sts

Finish off and weave in ends.

Attach Pom Poms to the right of each H.

Color Change



Before finishing a stitch prior to a new color, pull through new color on last pull through.



Completed color change.

Working Over Yarn Around H



First Row: Work over Color A



Switch to Color A on last pull through.



Switch to Color B on last pull through.



Work over non-working yarn across H.



Second Row: When joining Color B, take yarn from left and loosely cross stitches.



Work over both stretched Color B and non-working yarn.

Even when working Color
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A, work over both
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