## 217w-11 Bucket Bag



#### **Suggested yarn:**

- Pierrot Yarns Kuchen [100% wool; 153 yds/140m per 8.82 oz./250g cone]; color #05 Silver Gray, 2 cones [370g]
- Pierrot Yarns Nimes M [70% alpaca, 30% nylon; 101 yds/92m per 0.88 oz./25g skein]; color #11 Off-White, 1 skein [10g]

#### **Tools/Notions:**

- 6.0mm (US J) crochet hook or size necessary to achieve gauge
- keychain hardware (for attaching pompom)
- 2 brown purse handles (60cm/23.62" long)

#### **Finished measurements:**

- bag circumference 60cm/23.62"
- bag depth 26cm/10.24"
- bag bottom radius 9cm/3.54"

### Gauge (10cm/4" square):

• single crochet (US) & single crochet (US) through back loop only: 12 sts and 14 rounds

Gauge may vary according to individual crochet style. Change hook size if necessary to achieve gauge. Alternatively, rework pattern with your own gauge measurements.

### **Summary**

\*Note 1: Like all Japanese patterns, stitch counts given here for foundation chains do not include any chain sts needed for turning posts.

Note 2: Bag is worked with 1 strand of Kuchen. Pompom is worked with 1 strand of Kuchen and 2 strands of Nimes M (3 strands total).

**Bag:** Work magic ring to begin, then work bottom in sc in the round, increasing as indicated. Continue to sides. Following schematic and chart, work sides in sc and sc tbl in the round. Create holes (for attaching the handles) as indicated.

Finishing: Fold top of bag (see fold line indicated on schematic), aligning holes so that handles can be attached. Thread handles through holes and fasten in place. Make pompom, attach it to keychain hardware, and fasten to bag.

#### Abbreviations:

ch = chain m = magic ring/circle sc = single crochet (US) tbl = through back loop only

# Bag schematic Kuchen

## **Bottom**



