

1239-bag Chanvre Purse



Suggested yarn:

- Pierrot Yarns Chanvre [100% linen; 241 yds/220m per 1.41 oz./40g skein]; color #07 smoky pink, 1 skein [40g]

Tools/Notions:

- 1.5mm (US steel hook 8) crochet hook or size necessary to achieve gauge
- 1 metal purse frame (12cm/4.72")
- chain for purse handle (120cm/47.24")
- fabric for lining (40cm/15.75" by 20cm/7.87")

Finished measurements:

- Please see finishing schematic.

Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- single crochet (US): 43.5 sts and 45 rows

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

Side of bag (make 2): Work magic ring to begin, then work pattern stitch in the round.

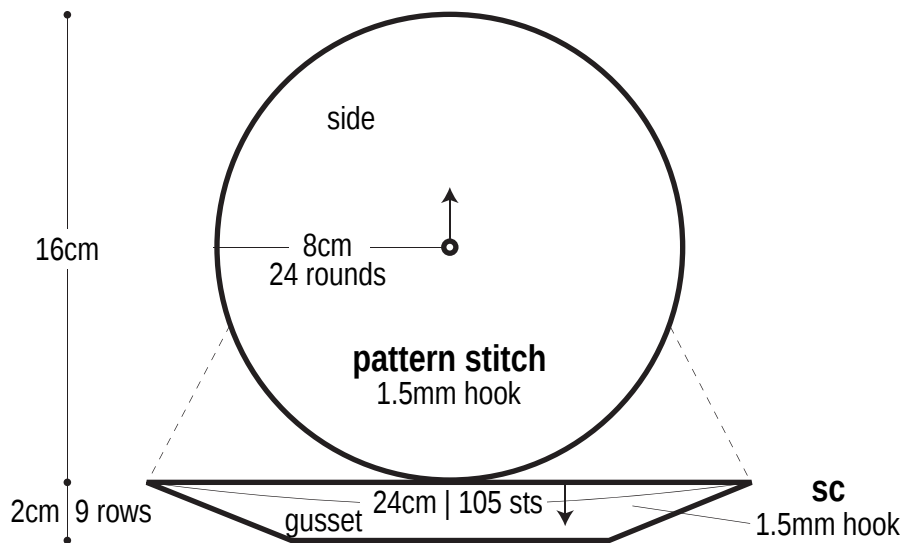
Gusset (make 2): Working first row into sts of side piece, work in sc tbl. Continue in sc.

Finishing: Prepare lining as indicated. Place body pieces together with right sides facing each other. Seam together with woven seam. Turn bag right-side-out, then insert lining. Sew bag and purse frame together with half blindstitch. Attach chain to purse frame.

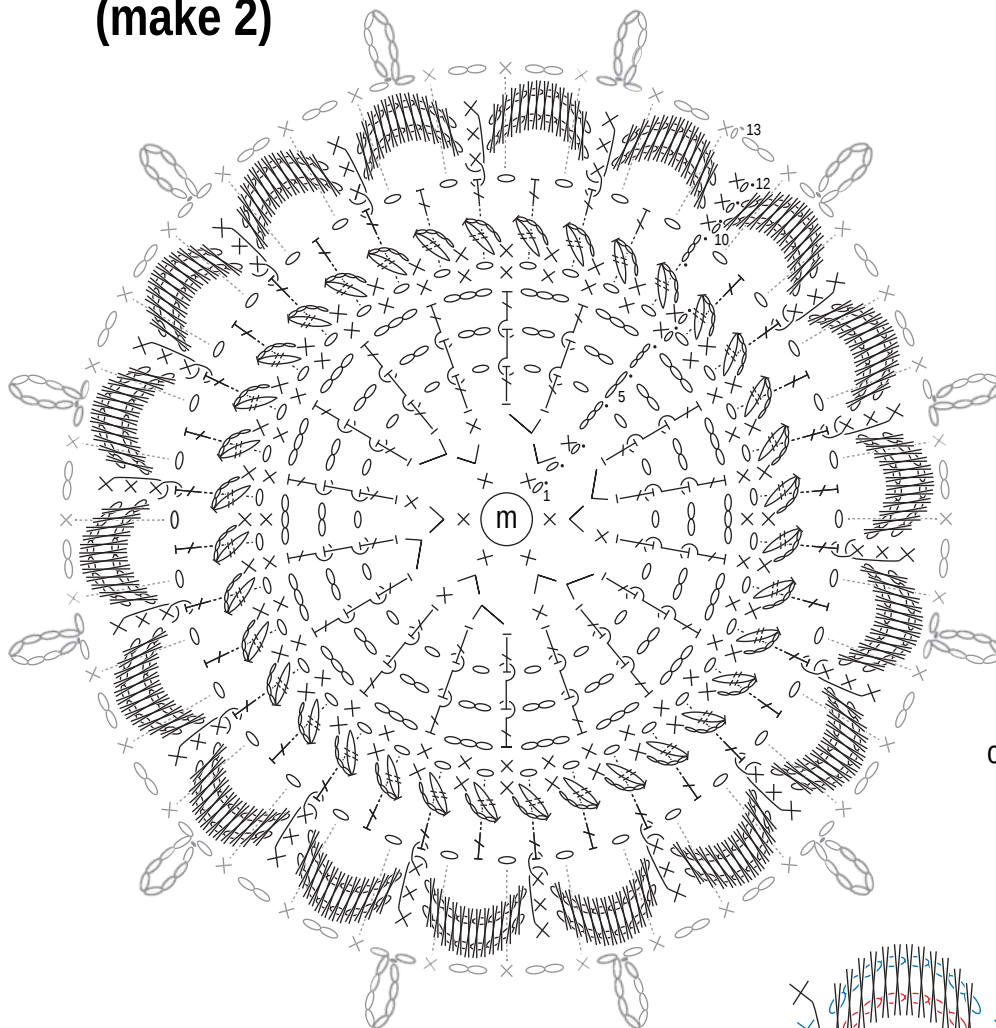
Abbreviations:

bp = back post
ch = chain
dc = double crochet (US)
fp = front post
hdc = half double crochet (US)
m = magic ring
sc = single crochet (US)
tbl = through back loop only
WS = wrong side

Side of bag (make 2)



Side of bag: rounds 1-12 (make 2)

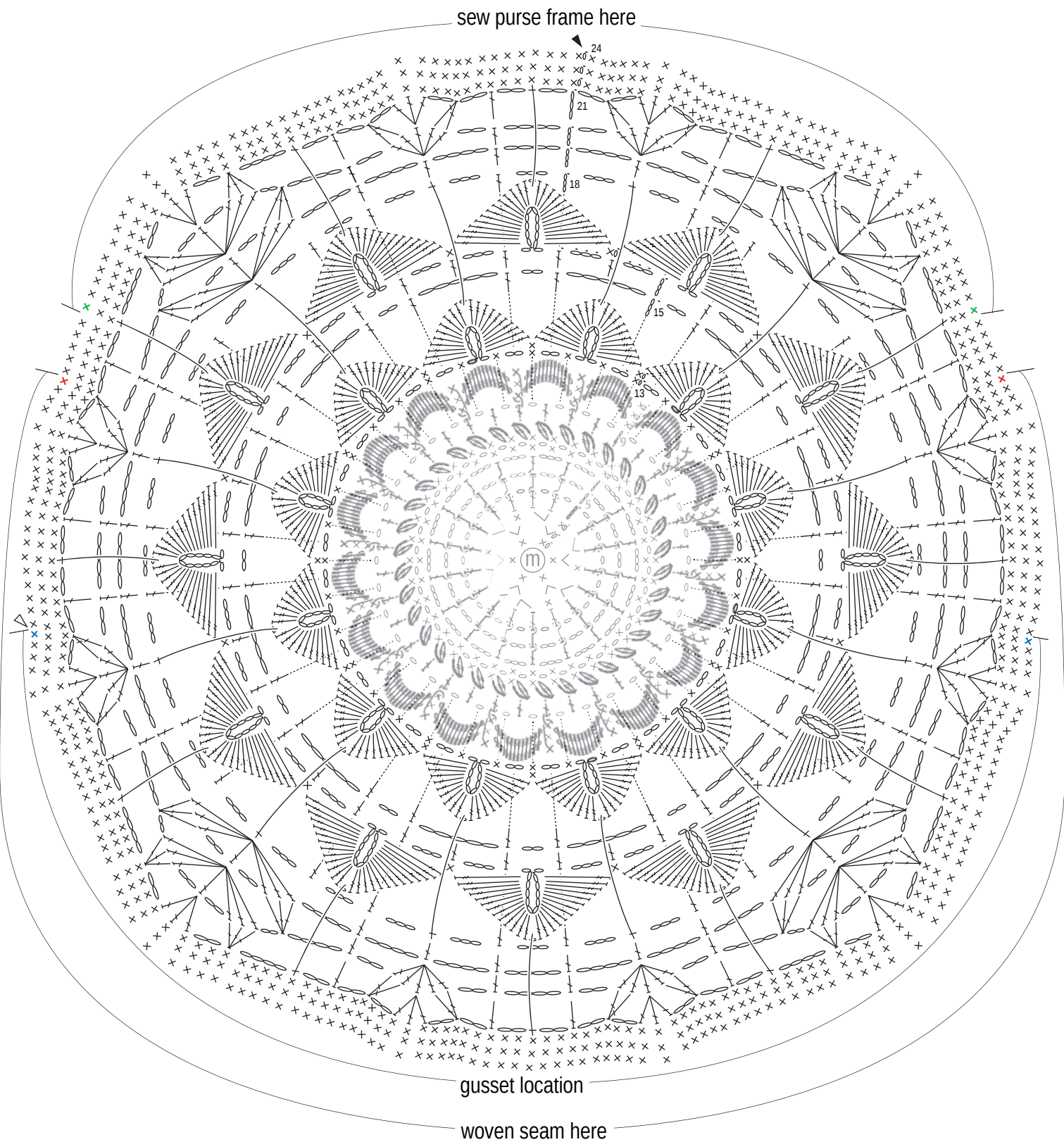



X = fp sc
 J = bp hdc
 J = bp dc

on round 9:

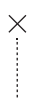
J = work dc into st on round 7
 (beneath sts on round 8)



work sc around ch st
 round 12 = of rounds 10 & 11
 round 11 = ch8
 round 10 = ch8



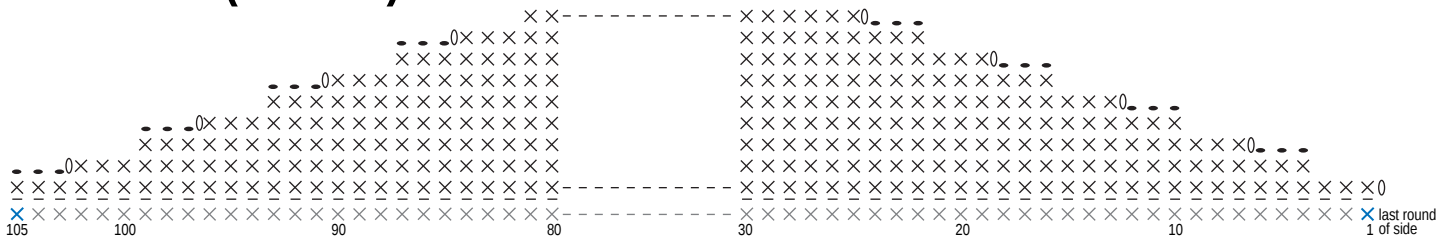

 = on rounds 18 & 21:
 sc around ch st 4 rounds below


 = on rounds 15 & 18:
 dc into st 2 rounds below (work *behind* st 1 round below)


 = on round 13:
 sc into round 9 (work *behind* sts of rounds 10-12)

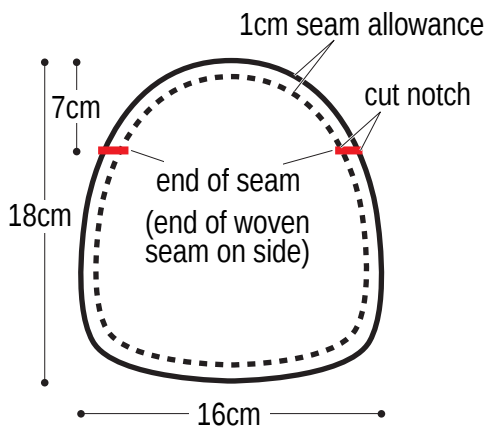

 = join yarn

 = cut yarn

Gusset (make 2)

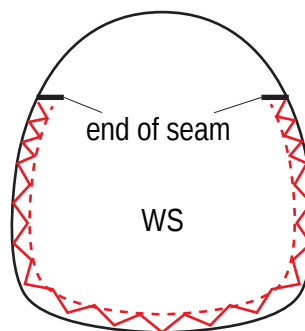


Work sts into last round of side from x to x.

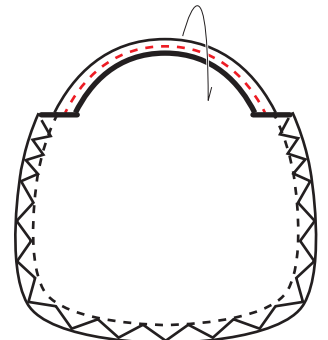
Lining



Sizes shown here are suggestions only. Cut 2 identical pieces in size needed for your crochet pieces.

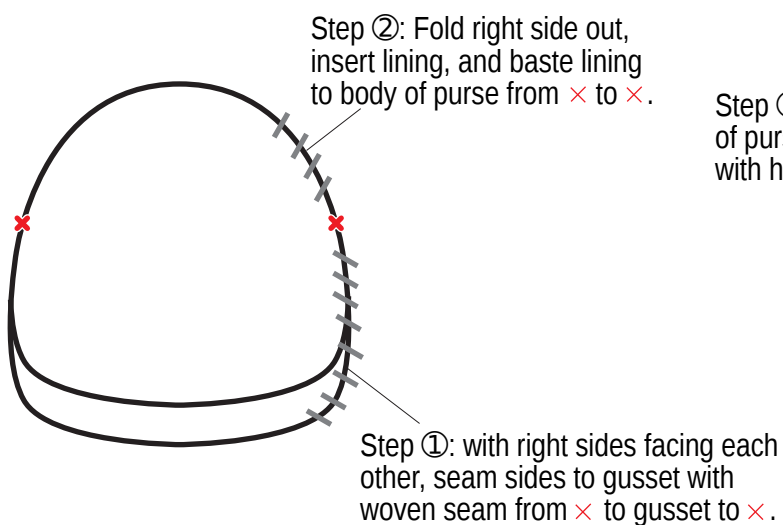


With right sides facing each other, seam until "end of seam" location marked above, then sew zigzag stitch on sewing machine.



Fold each layer back and sew.

Finishing



Finished item

