



Simple Cable Bag

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Difficulty: Beginner

You'll Need:

US 7 straights or circulars
Cable needle
Araucania Nature Wool Chunky
Darning needle





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C4F: Slip first 4 sts onto cable needle, hold sts on needle in the front of work, knit second set of 4 sts, then knit the 4 sts from cable needle.

C4B: slip first 4 sts onto cable need, hold sts on needle in the back of work, knit second set of 4 sts, then knit 4 sts from cable needle.

Directions:

CO 36

Row 1: k1, p4, k2, p7, k8, p7, k2, p4, k1

Row 2: k5, p2, k7, p8, k7, p2, k5

Rep these two rows 4 times (8 rows)

Cable cross rows:

Row 9: k1, p4, k2, p7, C4F, p7, k2, p4, k1

Row 10: k5, p2, k7, p8, k7, p2, k5

Rep these ten rows 2 more times

Work rows 1 & 2 twice.

Next row: knit across

Row 2: k1, purl to last st, k1

Rep these 2 rows once more (4 rows total)

Bind off. Break yarn.

Rep these directions from start to finish again to make the other side of the bag, but C4B instead of C4F on second side. Seam together.

For handle:

With US 7 DPN's, CO 4

Work three rows garter stitch then begin working i-cord on the same four stitches. Work cord for desired length of strap. At the other end begin working back and forth for 3 rows again and BO.

Attach strap to sides of bag.