

FELTED HOOK CASE

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Size:

About 8 x 16 before felting;
About 4 x 8 in. after felting

Gauge

11 stitches and 14 rows = 4 inches in sc

Materials

I have made 2 samples – one with Cascade 220, (which needed double stranding), one with Paton's Classic Wool Yarn (no double stranding needed)

- 220 yards Cascade 220 wool – (DOUBLE STRANDED)
OR
- 110 yards Patons Classic Wool or similar worsted weight Yarn
- Size K crochet hook
- ½"-inch shank button
- Tapestry needle to weave in ends



Case:

Ch 43

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across – 42 sc

Row 2 - 28: ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across

Do NOT fasten off

Loop and Finishing:

Turn piece 90 degrees, ch 1, and ss along edge to center (about 4 inches in – this will become the top edge); ch 10, ss into base of chain; continue to ss to next corner



At corner, ch 1, continue to ss down side about 4"; fold bottom edge up, and ss sides together to bottom. Fasten off.

Join yarn on opposite side; ss to join together to bottom. Weave in ends; Turn inside out.

Felting:

Wash by machine on hot wash/cold rinse cycle with a small amount of detergent and several old towels to aid in agitation. Reshape as needed. Wash again (if needed) to achieve desired look. Dry thoroughly. Sew on button when dry. (Note – Shout color catcher works very well to prevent bleeding of colors)

Abbreviations:
ch = chain
sc = single crochet
ss = slip stitch

