



Tove Fevang

# Totally Simple Crochet

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# Crocheted net bag

**Measurements:** approx 11 x 14½ in / 28 x 37 cm;  
length with strap approx 25½ in / 65 cm

## Materials:

### Yarn:

*Shown here:* Tekstilmakeriet, Bocken's tow yarn (100% linen) Nel 8 = 1250 m / 250 g for unbleached and 1400 g / 150 g for bleached and dyed  
8 spools (250 g each) dark natural 2048

*Substitution:* Borgs Tow yarn

**Hook:** US 6 / 1.75 mm



## Instructions:

With 2 strands of yarn held together, ch 226.

**Row 1:** Beg in 3rd ch from hook (= 1 hdc), 1 hdc in each of next 9 ch, \*ch 6, skip 6 ch, 1 dc in each of next 3 ch\*; rep \* to \* 22 times, ch 6, skip 6 ch, 1 hdc in each of next 10 ch; turn.

**Row 2:** Ch 2 (= 1 hdc), 1 hdc in each of next 9 hdc, ch 3, \*3 dc around ch loop, ch 6, skip 3 dc\*; rep \* to \* 22 times, 3 dc around loop, ch 3, 1 hdc in each of next 10 hdc; turn.

**Row 3:** Ch 2 (= 1 hdc), 1 hdc in each of next 9 hdc, \*ch 6, skip 3 dc, 3 dc around next ch loop\*; rep \* to \* 22 times, ch 6, skip 3 dc, 1 hdc in each of next 10 hdc; turn.

**Row 4:** Work as for Row 2.

**Row 5:** Work as for Row 3.

Repeat Rows 2-3 until piece is 11 in / 28 cm long (measure along hdc edge); do not cut yarn.

Pin out piece to approx 11 x 29¼ in / 28 x 74 cm on a blocking mat or board (see detail photo). Dampen and let dry completely before removing pins. The bag must be blocked before seaming the sides (see detail photo). When the bag is dry, crochet the straps.

**Strap:** Continue with hdc over hdc: ch 2 (= 1 hdc) 1 hdc in each of next 9 hdc; turn; repeat this row until strap is 16½ in / 42 cm long. Join strap to opposite side of bag with sl st. Make the other strap the same way.

**Joining sides:** Begin where the strap is joined. Work (8 sc around ch-6 loop, 3 sc into dc) 3 times, 8 sc around next loop, (ch 9, skip 3 dc, 1 sc in next ch loop) 9 times. You are now at the base of the bag and the sides have been seamed. Ch 4, 1 sc in next-to-last ch-9 loop

which was crocheted earlier on the row, ch 4, (1 sc in next loop, ch 4, 1 sc into next ch-9 loop that was made earlier on row, ch 4) 6 times, (8 sc around next ch loop, 3 sc in dc) 3 times and end with 8 sc over last ch loop. Cut yarn. Weave in yarn tails neatly on WS.



