

**FORGET ME NOT
Market Bag**



Yarn: Forget Me Knot - 2 – 100g hanks shown in color 9 red

Gauge: 3 sts = 1” over st st on size 10.5 needles.

Needles: Size 9 dpns, 16” circular size 10.5.

Finished Size: Approx. 12” long. Bag will stretch.

Starting at the top of the bag, with the 10.5 circular loosely cast on 70 sts. Place a stitch marker on the needle and join taking care not to twist.

Work in garter st for 8 rounds.

Begin Eyelet pattern:

Round 1: Knit.

Round 2: Knit.

Round 3: *(YO, k2tog); repeat around

Round 4: Purl.

Repeat rounds 1-4 until there are 14 repeats of the lace pattern, ending with a round 4.

Base of bag: Change to double pointed needles (size 9) and knit 2 rounds.

Begin decreasing:

Round 1: *(K8, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 2: *(K7, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 3: *(K6, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 4: *(K5, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 5: *(K4, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 6: *(K3, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 7: *(K2, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 8: *(K1, k2tog); repeat from * around.

Round 9: *(K2tog); repeat from * around.

Cut yarn and thread through remaining sts. Pull up tight and anchor in the inside.

Straps: Returning to the top of the bag: With size 9 needles (use 2 of the double pointed needles), pick up and knit 7 sts along the cast on edge beginning at the join. Work in garter st on these 7 sts until the strap is about 12” long. Going back to the cast on edge, count over 15 sts. Pick up the next 7 sts and work these together with the 7 strap sts using a 3 needle bind off.

Returning to the top of the back again (cast on edge) count over 6 sts, and pick up and knit the next 7 sts with the doublepoints. Work in garter st on these 7 sts until the strap is about 12” long. Going back to the cast on edge, count over 15 sts. Pick up the next 7 sts and work these together with the 7strap sts using a 3 needle bind off. (Note: There should still be 6 sts unaccounted for along the cast on edge). Weave in all ends.

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