



Monster Pouch

Approx size: 3 in x 3 ½ in

Supplies:

- E hook (3.50mm)
- Some worsted weight yarn of your choosing (I used Joann's Sensations Celebration because it was a good sparkly green monster color ☺)
- A small amount of another worsted weight for the tooth
- 2 small and 2 slightly larger buttons for eyes..
- needle and thread in an appropriate color

Pattern:

- Ch 12
- sk 1st ch, sc in back loop of next 10 ch, 2 sc in back loop of last ch. Working around the other side (as in, rotate your work 180), 2 sc in other loop of last ch worked. Sc in other loop of next 9 ch. On last ch, 3 sc. (should end with 26 sc around the base chain).
- sc in front loop of each sc around (26 sc). You should have a little rounded rectangular shaped bottom forming. Turn the bottom inside out. This will make the bottom look nicer and will make it easier to continue working (at least in my opinion).
- sc in each sc (26 sc). Repeat for total of 15 rows of sc. (about 3 ½ in or you can compare against a credit card or gift card for sizing).
- on next row, sc in next 13 sts. Turn. (13 sc)
- ch 1, sc in each sc across (13 sc). Turn. Repeat for total of 7 rows.
- [button holes]
- ch 1, sc 2, ch 3, sk next 3 sts, sc 3, ch 3, sk next 3 sts, sc 2. turn.
- ch 1, sc in next 2, sc 3 in ch 3 space, sc in next 3 sts, sc 3 in ch 3 space, sc in last 2 sts. Turn. (13 sc).
- ch 1, sc in each sc across. Turn. (13 sc). Repeat for 1 more row.
- sk 1st sc, sc in next 11 across. Fasten off.
- [tooth]
- In another color yarn and working into underside of flap, about 1 row from bottom edge:
- about 1-2 sts from edge, sl ch 1 to attach yarn to work.
- sc 5 sts working each sc into the flap (be careful not to poke through to the side that will be visible!). turn.
- sc in 2nd sc from hook. Sc in next 2 sc. Sl in last sc. Turn.
- sc in 2nd sc from hook. Sc in next sc. Sl in last sc. Turn.
- sc in 2nd sc from hook. Sl in next sc. Turn.
- sc in 2nd sc from hook. Fasten off.
- [Finishing]
- For the eyes, use take 1 smaller and 1 larger button and put them facing each other.
- Fold flap over and mark your eye placement with safety pins.
- Unfold flap and stitch buttons on with some needle & thread.

Now stuff your monster with a gift card, credit cards, money, iPod nano, or whatever else strikes your fancy! ☺

Comments? Find an error? Drop me an email: amy AT aahhh DOT org ☺