

# T-Shirt Yarn Bag

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Recycle old T-shirts into a sturdy, colorful bag. Making T-shirt yarn is fun and a great way to produce a "green" project.

## Size

15 inches wide x 11 inches high plus handles

## Materials

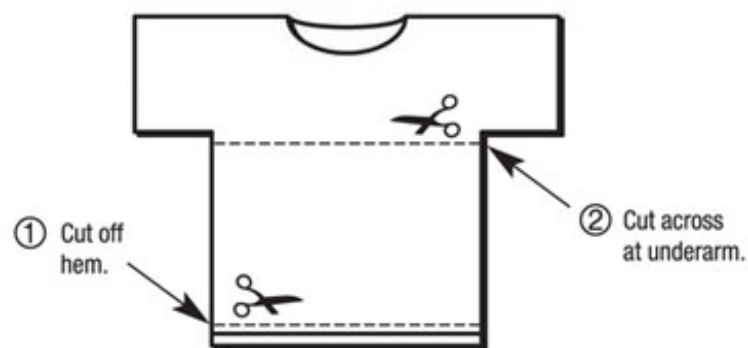
- 6-7 adult-size T-shirts cut into T-shirt yarn as directed
- Sewing scissors
- N/13/10mm and Q/16mm crochet hooks

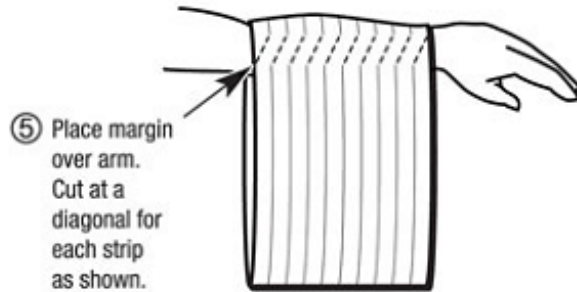
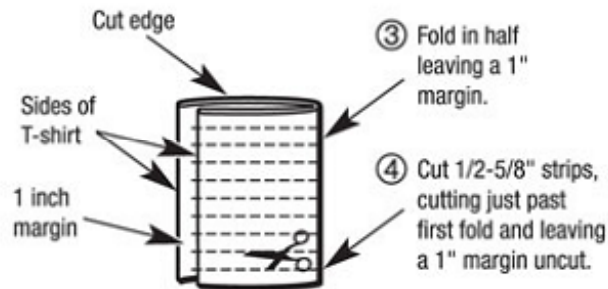


## Gauge

Gauge is not important for this project

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**Row 1:** (beginning with bag bottom) With N hook, ch 6, sc in second ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn. (5 sc)

**Rows 2-27:** Ch 1, sc in each ch across, turn.

**Row 28:** Ch 1, sc in each st across, do not turn.

**Rnd 1:** Working in ends of rows, sc in end of each row to corner; working in opposite side of starting ch, sc in each st across; working in ends of rows, sc in end of each row to corner, join with sl st in first sc on row 28.

**Rnd 2:** Sl st in each st to center sc of 5 sc across end, ch 4 (counts as dc and ch-1), dc in same st -- *beginning V-st made*, (skip next 2 sts, V-st in next st) around, join.

**Note:** *Mix and match colors for rnds as desired.*

**Rnd 3:** Sl st in ch-1 sp of first V-st, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same st, 3 dc in ch-1 sp of each V-st around, join.

**Rnd 4:** Sl st in center dc of first 3-dc group, ch 4 (counts as dc and ch-1), dc in same st, V-st in center dc of each 3-dc group around, join.

**Rnds 5-13:** Repeat rnds 3 and 4 ending with rnd 3.

## Handle (make 2)

Holding four strands T-shirt yarn together as one, with Q hook, ch 30. Fasten off. Push ends between V-stitches on next to last round, centering one handle on each side of bag as shown in photo; tie ends in knots. Pull knots to tighten. Trim ends to about 2 inches.