



## crocheted and felted bag



I made wide strips of hairpin crochet from each of six colours. I chose the colours that matched the variegated yarn on the handle and top edge. The yarn is Garnstudio Eskimo.

Here are the strips joined - notice that I've offset each row by about 10 stitches. Next I joined the dark red bottom row to the green top row to make a striped cylinder (or, more properly, a helix).

Then I sewed the base, did a couple of rounds of dc around the top, made and attached handles.



Here's the back and front of the bag before felting. It measured about 16" wide.



And here is the bag after felting. It shrank to 9" wide.

