

Soda Pop Tab Bracelet

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Level: Intermediate



SIZES

One size – to fit average sized women's wrist

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Length: 7½"

Width: 3½"

MATERIALS

Premier Yarns® Spangle (75% nylon/25% metallic; 50g/164 yds)

- 11-214 Royalty – 1 skein

Hook: US Size E/4 (3.5 mm)

Notions: 30 Soda pop tabs, tapestry needle, 2 sets of ½" sew-on snaps, sewing needle and thread

GAUGE

Gauge is not crucial for this project.

Directions:

PATTERN NOTES

Bracelet is created by crocheting pop tabs into strips, then joining created pieces together. Snaps are added lastly for closure. Carefully read directions before starting. Tabs are joined together using sc, working into either the top or bottom hole of tab.

DIRECTIONS

Strip A (make 3)

Holding 2 pop tabs *facing each other* and working into *the side* of the tabs, sc 2x into the holes in the bottom half of pop tabs to join together.

Do not open this piece.

* Align 2 more pop tabs on top of original 2 tabs (this is done by holding together the top half of original 2 tabs with the bottom half of the new tabs), join by working 2 sc into the top half of first set of pop tabs and bottom half of added tabs – 4 tabs joined.

Rep from *, 2 more times – 8 tabs joined. Open piece up to show all 8 tabs.

Strip B (*make 2*)

Holding 2 pop tabs *facing each other* and working into *the side* of the tabs, work 2 sc into the holes in the bottom half of pop tabs to join together. Do not open piece. Work 2 sc into the top half of tabs to join. Open piece up to show both tabs.

*Align 1 more pop tab on top on either of the tabs already worked (add new tab facing other tab), join these two tabs together by working 2 sc into both the top and bottom halves of tabs. Open piece up to show all 3 tabs.

Join Strips

* Place Strip A, right side up, place Strip B on top, horizontal to and facing Strip A.

Join these 2 Strips by working 2 sc into each hole at the top of Strip B, 6 sc worked.

Place another Strip A on the other side of Strip B, facing the same direction as first Strip A.

Join these 2 Strips by working 2 sc into each hole at the top of Strip B, 6 sc worked.

Rep from *, once more, 4 strips joined.

Join last Strip A, as above. Open up full bracelet. Beg at top corner tab, work 5 sc into corner tab, turn work, ch 1, 2 sc into each hole of tabs (joining tabs together). Cont to work in this manner around entire bracelet (cont to work 5 sc into corners), work to end, join last sc with beg sc with a sl st.

FINISHING

Cuff

Row 1: With RS facing, ch1, work 10 sc into one side edge of bracelet, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in every sc across, turn.

Rep Row 2 until side of cuff meas 1½", or to desired length. Fasten off last st.

Work other side of cuff as above. Weave in all ends.

Sew snaps carefully onto underside of bracelet, ½" in from the edge, be sure to match up on both sides.

Abbreviations

beg	begin(ning)
ch	chain
cont	continue
meas	measures
rep	repeat
RS	right side
sc	single crochet
sl	slip
st(s)	stitch(es)