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DESIGNS

WASHCLOTH



This ridged star pattern, worked to the given size, will produce a washcloth measuring about 8x8” (20x20cm). But, if washcloths *aren't your thing*, details are provided to work to any length and width. Why not make a scarf, a blanket or a bath mat!

You will need about 60g of 100% dishcloth cotton for the suggested size, a 3.50mm hook and a needle for neatening ends.

Special stitches/methods

UK dc3tog: (insert hook into the stitch indicated, yrh and draw up a loop) 3 times - 4 loops on hook, yrh and pull yarn through all 4 loops. Keep drawn loops somewhat loose, for more of a star like effect.

US sc3tog (insert hook into the stitch indicated, yo and draw up a loop) 3 times - 4 loops on hook, yo and pull yarn through all 4 loops. Keep drawn loops somewhat loose, for more of a star like effect.

This pattern is written in UK terms. Below are the US equivalents where applicable.

UK abbreviation	UK term	US abbreviation	US term
ch	chain		
dc3tog	double crochet 3 together	sc3tog	single crochet 3 together
miss	miss	skip	skip
prev	previous		
rep	repeat		
st(s)	stitch(es)		
yrh	yarn round hook	yo	yarn over

Commence with 42ch. To change width, start with an even number of chain.

Row 1. Miss first ch from hook, dc3tog using the next 3ch, 1ch, *dc3tog using last ch used and next 2ch, 1ch, rep from * to end, turn - 39sts.

Row 2. 1ch, dc3tog using 2nd ch from hook and next 2sts, 1ch, *dc3tog using last st used and next 2sts, 1ch, rep from * to last st, dc3tog using last st used with the back loop of the final st AND both loops of final st - in effect, you use the final st twice, 1ch, turn - 39sts.

Rep row 2 until you have a square, (approximately 27 rows in total), or the piece measures the desired length. **Note:** the 1ch at the end, combined with the 1ch at the beginning, mean you start the repeat with 2ch.

