Useful Dishcloths

A dishcloth that is designed to be used, not just admired, with knit and crochet versions for your cleaning pleasure.





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yarn

Knitted Cloth

Queensland Collection Coastal Cotton Ocean Mist, 185yds(170m)/100gm *1 skein - shown in Bondi Beach

Crochet Cloth

Queensland Collection Coastal Cotton, 185 yds (170 m) / 100 gm *1 skein - shown in Oasis

needles & notions

Knitted Cloth

Size 7 (4.5mm) and size 10 (6mm) needles

Both sizes are used simultaneously, alternating each row between the two. It is recommended to use interchangeable needles with the smaller tip on one end and the larger one on the other.

Size H (5mm) crochet hook

Crochet Cloth

Size 7 (4.5 mm) crochet hook

gauge

Knitted Cloth

20 stitches & 26 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch with smaller needle

Crochet Cloth

16 stitches & 16 rows = 4" in stitch pattern

finished size

Knitted Cloth

9.5" x 9.5"

Crochet Cloth

 $9.5" \times 9.5"$

abbreviations

Ch Chain

DC Double Crochet

K Knit

SC Single Crochet

Sl St Slip Stitch
st(s) Stitch(es)
TCh Turning Chain
WSR Wrong Size Row



knitted cloth instructions

Special Stitch Instructions: Threaded Stitch



through next stitch.



Draw loop back through the first stitch.



Knit the first st through the back loop.



Slip both stitches off the needle together.

With larger needle, cast on 42 sts.

Row 1 (WSR) With smaller needle, knit With larger needle, purl Row 2

Row 3 With smaller needle, K1, work Threaded Stitch until 1 st remains, K1

Row 4 With larger needle, purl

Row 5 With smaller needle, K2, work Threaded Stitch until 2 sts remain, K2

Repeat rows 2-5 until cloth measures 8", ending with row 5.

With larger needle, bind off purlwise. Do not fasten off.

Insert crochet hook into last loop. SC around each edge, working 3 SC into each corner; sl st into first SC. Ch 2, *DC, Ch 1; repeat from * around, working one [DC, Ch 1] into each SC and two [DC, Ch 1] into each corner space; sl st into first DC and fasten off.

crochet cloth instructions

Ch 35.

Work in grit stitch as follows:

Skip 2 Ch (count as 1 SC), SC into next Ch, *skip 1 Ch, work 2 SC into next Row 1 Ch; repeat from * to last 2 Ch, skip 1 Ch, SC into last Ch, turn.

Ch 1 (count as one SC), SC into first st, *skip 1 SC, work 2 SC into next SC; repeat from * to last 2 sts, skip 1 SC, SC into top of TCh, turn.

Repeat row 2 until cloth measures 7.25". Do not fasten off.

Insert crochet hook into last loop. SC around each edge, working 3 SC into each corner; sl st into first SC. Ch 2, DC around, working one DC into each SC and two DC into each corner space; sl st into first DC and fasten off.

