

Crocheted Heart Dish Scrubby

MATERIALS

- Worsted weight cotton yarn (sample uses Nifty Cotton Splash)
- Creative Bubble or Creative Bubble Degrade
- yarn needle
- stitch markers
- 5.5mm crochet hook
- scissors

ABBREVIATIONS

CH = chain

SC = single crochet

HDC = half double crochet

DC = double crochet

TrC = Treble crochet

MR = magic ring

YO = yarn over

PM = place (stitch) marker

SLST = slip stitch



PATTERN NOTES AND SPECIAL STITCHES

- This pattern is made by holding the Nifty Cotton and the Creative Bubble together and treating them as one yarn. The Creative Bubble will make it more difficult to see your stitches and the use of stitch markers is highly encouraged.
- You will need to make stitches into the top of your starting and ending chains of each round and placing a stitch marker where indicated will help you find where to place these stitches in subsequent rounds.
- If you need help making a magic ring you can find a tutorial on the Knot Just Yarn YouTube channel.
- **Treble Crochet (TrC)** - To make a treble crochet, YO twice and insert your hook into the indicated stitch, draw through a loop. You should have 4 loops on your hook. YO and draw through two loops only, YO again and draw through the next two loops only, YO one last time and draw through the final two loops.
- Stitches shown inside square brackets are to be worked into the same stitch. Ex [SC, HDC] means that you work a single crochet and then a half double crochet all into the indicated stitch.

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PATTERN

Round 1 - Make a magic ring and CH3 - place a stitch marker (PM) into the 3rd chain. Make 3 TrC into the ring followed by 3 DC, CH1, TrC back into the MR, then reverse what you did on the first half of your heart - CH1, and make 3 DC followed by 3 TrC into the MR. CH3 (PM in 1st of these chains). SLST into the MR to close the round. (13 stitches, 2 CH1 spaces and 2 CH3)

Tighten your MR almost all the way. You will need to SLST into it at the end of Round 2 so don't fully close it. Tip: you may find it helpful to pull on the cotton first and the Creative Bubble next.

Round 2 - CH3 and PM into 3rd chain. [HDC, DC] into the top of the CH3 from the previous round (should be marked), then make 2 DC into each of the next 2 stitches. DC into each of the next 4 stitches. DC into the CH1 space, CH1, TrC into the TrC from Round 1. Reverse repeat what you did on the first half of your heart - CH1, DC into the next CH1 space, DC into each of the next 4 stitches, 2DC into each of the next 2 stitches and [DC, HDC] into the top of the CH3 from Round 1 (should be marked). CH3 (marking the 1st of these chains) and SLST into the MR. (23 stitches, 2 CH1 spaces and 2 CH3)

Round 3 - CH2 and PM into 2nd chain. [SC, HDC] into the top of the CH3 from the previous round (should be marked), then make 2 HDC into each of the next 3 stitches. HDC into each of the next 8 stitches. HDC into the CH1 space, CH1, DC into the TrC from Round 2. Reverse repeat what you did on the first half of your heart - CH1, HDC into the next CH1 space, HDC into each of the next 8 stitches, 2HDC into each of the next 4 stitches and [HDC, SC] into the top of the CH3 from Round 2 (should be marked). CH2 (PM in 1st chain) and SLST into the SLST from round 2 to close the round. (35 stitches, 2 CH1 spaces, 2 CH2)

If this is your first heart, FO and make a second one to this point.

Weave in your ends from your first heart, being sure to tighten your MR all the way. Tighten your MR of your second heart and weave in that end before proceeding to the joining round.

Round 4 - With the wrong sides of your hearts together, CH1 and, being sure to catch both hearts, SLST into the 2nd chain of the starting CH2 from Round 3 (should be marked). Always making sure to go through both corresponding stitches, SC into each of the next 17 stitches. SC into the CH1 space and HDC into the top of the DC from the round below. SC into the next CH1 space, SC into each of the next 17 stitches, and SLST into the top of the CH2 from round 3 (should be marked). SLST into the SLST from Round 2 to close the round. (37 stitches, 2SLST)

FO and weave in your end.