

Here are patterns for the dish-cloths that were used as favors at the Presidents' Breakfast at Convention 2016. All are knitted of Lily Sugar'n Cream cotton yarn, available in many colors and patterns.

Along with my favorite patterns below, I also used *More Than a Dozen Dishcloths*, by Lisa Carnahan, published by Annie's. I got my copy at Michaels, but it is available at Amazon.com. Those dishcloths were very large (10 inches square), so I adjusted by taking out one repeat of the pattern for most of them for a better size (more like the ones below).

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DISH CLOTH PATTERN FOR BEGINNERS

REQUIREMENTS 1 ball of knit worsted weight cotton (Sugar N' Cream) 50 gm
size Size 7 to 9 needles

DIRECTIONS:

Cast on 4 sts.

Row 1: Knit one row.

Row 2: K2, YO, knit to the end of the row.

Repeat row 2 until there are 40-50 sts (depending on what size you want).

Next row: K1, K2tog, YO, K2tog, knit to the end of the row.

Continue decreasing until 4 sts left. Cast off.

WAFFLE KNIT DISH CLOTH

Materials: 1 ball Lion cotton yarn; additional yarn for colored stripe, if desired.

Size 7-8 needles

Directions:

Cast on 38 stitches. Knit 3 rows for border.

Row 1: (right side): Knit.

Row 2: K 3, purl to last 3 stitches, k 3.

Row 3: K 3, (P 2, k 1) 10 times, p 2, k 3.

Row 4: K 3, (K 2, p 1) 10 times, k 5.

Repeat these 4 rows, 6 times.

If a colored center stripe is desired, change yarn now and work rows 1 – 4, 2 times in desired color. Change back to main color and work the 4 row pattern, 6 times. Knit last 4 rows. Bind off and weave in ends.

ROUND DISH CLOTH

SIZE 8 Needles 4 ply cotton yarn (Sugar 'n Cream)

Cast on 15 ST

1. K across

2. K3, yo K to within one st turn

3. K across (16 sts)

4. K3, yo K to within 2 sts turn

5. K across (17 sts)

6. K3, yo K to within 3 sts turn

7. K across (18 st)

8. Bind off 3 sts, K2, yo K to within 4 sts turn
9. K across (16 sts)
10. K3, yo K to within 5 sts turn
11. K across (17 sts)
12. K3, yo K to within 6 sts turn
13. K across (18 st)
14. Bind off 3 sts, K2, yo K to within 7 sts turn
- 15 K across (16 sts)
16. K3, yo K to within 8 sts turn
17. K across (17 sts)
18. K3, yo K to within 9 sts turn
19. K across (18 st)
20. Bind off 3 sts, K across

Repeat these 20 rows until you have 7 patterns. Bind off and sew up. (3 pequots to each "wedge" pattern. (Can also use 8 patterns. Makes a bigger cloth.)

DAISY DISH CLOTH

Cotton yarn – any solid color – Size 7 needles

CAST ON 40

1. K1, P1, across
2. P1, K1, across
3. K1, P1, across
4. P1, K1, across
5. K1, P1, K1, P1, K32, K1, P1, K1, P1
6. P1, K1, P1, K1, P32, P1, K1, P1, K1
7. K1, P1, K1, P1, K32, K1, P1, K1, P1
8. P1, K1, P1, K1, P15, K2, P15, P1, K1, P1, K1
9. K1, P1, K1, P1, K14, P4, K14, K1, P1, K1, P1
10. P1, K1, P1, K1, P14, K4, P14, P1, K1, P1, K1
11. K1, P1, K1, P1, K6, P2, K6, P4, K6, P2, K6, K1, P1, K1, P1
12. P1, K1, P1, K1, P5, K4, P5, K4, P5, K4, P5, P1, K1, P1, K1
13. K1, P1, K1, P1, K5, P4, K5, P4, K5, P4, K5, K1, P1, K1, P1
14. P1, K1, P1, K1, P5, K5, P4, K4, P4, K5, P5, P1, K1, P1, K1
15. K1, P1, K1, P1, K5, P5, K4, P4, K4, P5, K5, K1, P1, K1, P1
16. P1, K1, P1, K1, P6, K5, P3, K4, P3, K5, P6, P1, K1, P1, K1
17. K1, P1, K1, P1, K7, P4, K3, P4, K3, P4, K7, K1, P1, K1, P1
18. P1, K1, P1, K1, P7, K5, P2, K4, P2, K5, P7, P1, K1, P1, K1
19. K1, P1, K1, P1, K8, P5, K1, P4, K1, P5, K8, K1, P1, K1, P1
20. P1, K1, P1, K1, P9, K4, P2, K2, P2, K4, P9, P1, K1, P1, K1
21. K1, P1, K1, P1, K10, P4, K1, P2, K1, P4, K10, K1, P1, K1, P1
22. P1, K1, P1, K1, P11, K3, P1, K2, P1, K3, P11, P1, K1, P1, K1
23. K1, P1, K1, P1, K12, P8, K12, K1, P1, K1, P1
24. P1, K1, P1, K1, P13, K6, P13, P1, K1, P1, K1
25. K1, P1, K1, P1, K4, P6, K4, P4, K4, P6, K4, K1, P1, K1, P1
26. P1, K1, P1, K1, P2, K11, P2, K2, P2, K11, P2, P1, K1, P1, K1
27. K1, P1, K1, P1, K2, P13, BOBBLE2, P13, K2, K1, P1, K1, P1
28. P1, K1, P1, K1, P2, K11, P2, K2, P2, K11, P2, P1, K1, P1, K1

29. K1, P1, K1, P1, K4, P6, K4, P4, K4, P6, K4, K1, P1, K1, P1
30. P1, K1, P1, K1, P13, K6, P13, P1, K1, P1, K1
31. K1, P1, K1, P1, K12, P8, K12, K1, P1, K1, P1
32. P1, K1, P1, K1, P11, K3, P1, K2, P1, K3, P11, P1, K1, P1, K1
33. K1, P1, K1, P1, K10, P4, K1, P2, K1, P4, K10, K1, P1, K1, P1
34. P1, K1, P1, K1, P9, K4, P2, K2, P2, K4, P9, P1, K1, P1, K1
35. K1, P1, K1, P1, K8, P5, K1, P4, K1, P5, K8, K1, P1, K1, P1
36. P1, K1, P1, K1, P7, K5, P2, K4, P2, K5, P7, P1, K1, P1, K1
37. K1, P1, K1, P1, K7, P4, K3, P4, K3, P4, K7, K1, P1, K1, P1
38. P1, K1, P1, K1, P6, K5, P3, K4, P3, K5, P6, P1, K1, P1, K1
39. K1, P1, K1, P1, K5, P5, K4, P4, K4, P5, K5, K1, P1, K1, P1
40. P1, K1, P1, K1, P5, K5, P4, K4, P4, K5, P5, P1, K1, P1, K1
41. K1, P1, K1, P1, K5, P4, K5, P4, K5, P4, K5, K1, P1, K1, P1
42. P1, K1, P1, K1, P5, K4, P5, K4, P5, K4, P5, P1, K1, P1, K1
43. K1, P1, K1, P1, K6, P2, K6, P4, K6, P2, K6, K1, P1, K1, P1
44. P1, K1, P1, K1, P14, K4, P14, P1, K1, P1, K1
45. K1, P1, K1, P1, K14, P4, K14, K1, P1, K1, P1
46. P1, K1, P1, K1, P15, K2, P15, P1, K1, P1, K1
47. K1, P1, K1, P1, K32, K1, P1, K1, P1
48. P1, K1, P1, K1, P32, P1, K1, P1, K1
49. K1, P1, K1, P1, K32, K1, P1, K1, P1
50. P1, K1, across
51. K1, P1, across
52. P1, K1, across
53. K1, P1, across
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Beginners Dish Cloth



Daisy Dish Cloth



Round Dish Cloth



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