



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: BEGINNER

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 16¾ x 14¼" [42.5 x 36 cm]

GAUGE

13 dc and 7 rows = 4" [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Placemat and pockets are worked sideways. (make 2)

To change color, work to last 2 loops on hook at end of row. With new color, draw through 2 loops on hook, then proceed.

Ch 3 at beg of row counts as dc.

With A, ch 47.

1st row: 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (counts as 2 dc). 1 dc in each ch to end of ch. Turn. 45 dc.

****2nd and 3rd rows:** Ch 3. 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Join B. Turn.

4th to 6th rows: With B, ch 3. 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Join A at end of 6th row. Turn.

7th to 9th rows: With A, ch 3. 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Join B at end of 9th row. Turn**.

Rep last 6 rows 3 times more, omitting color change at end of last row. Fasten off.

Pocket (make 1 for each Placemat)

With A, ch 20.

1st row: 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (counts as 2 dc). 1 dc in each ch to end of ch. Turn. 18 sts.

Work from ** to ** as given for Placemat. Fasten off at end of 9th row.

Pocket Edging: With RS facing, join A with sl st to top right corner of Pocket. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. * Ch 1. 1 sc in next dc post. Rep from * across. 1 sc in same post as last sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew Pocket to Placemat as shown in picture.

EDGING

With RS facing, join A with sl st, to middle left side of Placemat.

1st rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each st along left side. 3 sc in corner. 1 sc in next dc post. *Ch 1. 1 sc in next dc post. Rep from * to next corner, working through both thicknesses where Pocket is placed. 3 sc in corner. 1 sc in each st along right side. 3 sc in corner. 1 sc in next st. **Ch 1. 1 sc in next dc post. Rep from ** to next corner. 3 sc in corner. 1 sc in each st along left side to first sc. Join with sl st in first sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each sc and ch-1 around, working 3 sc in corners. Join with sl st in first sc.

Do not fasten off. Cont for Ties.

Ties: *Ch 41. Sl st in 2nd ch from hook. Sl st in each ch to end of ch. Sl st in Placemat. Rep from * once more. Fasten off.

Make 2 more Placemats substituting C for A.

MATERIALS

Lily® Sugar'n Cream® (2.5 oz/70.9 g ; 120 yds/109 m)

Quantity for 4 Placemats.

Color A Red (00095) **3 balls**

Color B White (00001) **3 balls**

Color C Bright Navy (00009) **3 balls**

Size U.S. H or 8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**