

## Center Cross Dishcloth

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This dishcloth pattern would also work well as a large granny square for use in an afghan. I am not sure how big it would be if you made it with acrylic yarn but I imagine that it would not be much different in size.

## **Materials Needed**

1 ball crochet cotton yarn worsted weight. I used Peaches & Creme in pink Size H/8 or 5mm aluminum crochet hook Yarn needle

Yarn Thickness 3mm Gauge: 5sc=1" Finished Size: 8"x8" Skill Level: Beginner

**3dc cluster (cl):** Yo insert hook in st indicated, pull up a lp, yo draw yarn through two lps on hook. Rep from beg a total of 3 times. Yo and draw yarn through all 4 lps on hook. Ch1 to close.

## Instructions

**RND 1:** Ch6, join w/slst to first ch to form ring. Ch3, 2dc in ring. Ch1. Cl in ring. Ch1. \*3dc in ring. Ch1. Cl in ring. Ch1. Rep from \* 2 times more. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 2:** Ch3. Dc in each of the next 2 dc. [Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch3. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1.] \*Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Rep bet [] once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 3:** Ch3. Dc in each of the next 2 dc. [Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1. 3dc, ch3, 3dc in next ch3 sp. Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1.] \*Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Rep bet [] once.

Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 4:** Ch3. Dc in each of the next 2 dc. [Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1. Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Ch1. Cl in next ch3 sp. Ch1. Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1.] \*Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Rep bet [] once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 5:** Ch3. Dc in each of the next 2 dc. [Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1. Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch3. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1. Dc in each of the next 3 dc. ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1.] \*Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Rep bet [] once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 6:** Ch3. Dc in each of the next 2 dc. [Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1. Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1. 3dc, ch3, 3dc

in next ch3 sp. Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp. Ch1. Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Ch1. Cl in next ch1 sp.] \*Dc in each of the next 3 dc. Rep bet [] once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3.

**RND 7:** Ch1. Sc in same st as slst. Sc in each of the next 2 dc. [Sc in next ch1 sp. Sc in top of next cl. Sc in next ch1 sp. Sc in each of the next 3 dc. Sc in next ch1 sp. Sc in next cl. Sc in next ch1 sp. Sc in each of the next 3 dc. 2sc, ch2, 2sc in next ch3 sp. Sc in each of the next 3 dc. Sc in next ch1 sp. Sc in next cl. Sc in each of the next 3 dc. Sc in next ch1 sp. Sc in next cl. Sc in next cl. Sc in each of the next 3 dc. Sc in next ch1 sp.] \*Sc in next cl. Sc in next ch1 sp.] \*Sc in each of the next 3 dc. Rep bet [] once. Rep from \* around. Fasten off and weave ends into back of work.

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