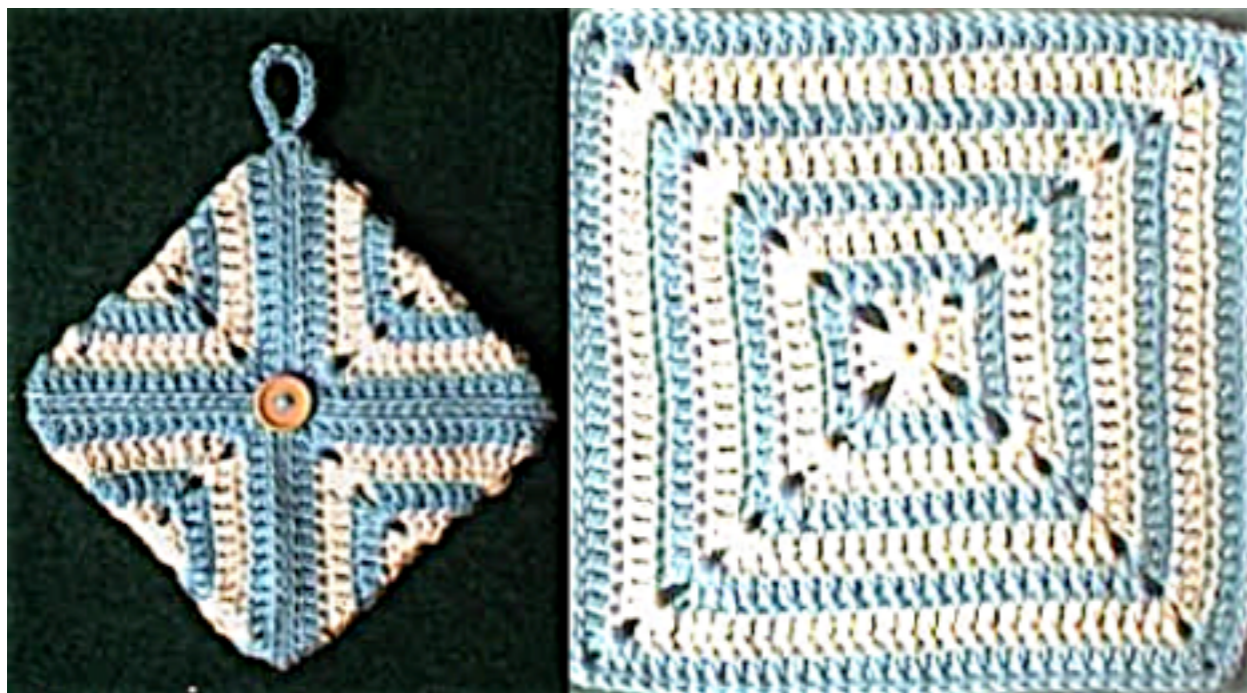


Geometric Potholder & Dishcloth Set



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Materials:

- Worsteds weight cotton yarn in colors that look good in your kitchen. This set can be made using 2 ounces each of 2 colors (A and B) OR 1 ounce in each of 4 colors (A,B,C and D)
 - Crochet hook size G
 - Optional: 1" wood button; 1" lucite ring
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Potholder

Make 4 of these squares.

With color A, ch 5; join with a sl st in the first ch to form a ring.

Round 1: Ch 3 to count as the first dc, work 2 more dc in the ring, ch 2 (3 dc in the ring, ch 2) 3 times; join with a sl st in the top of the beginning ch 3. Fasten off color A.

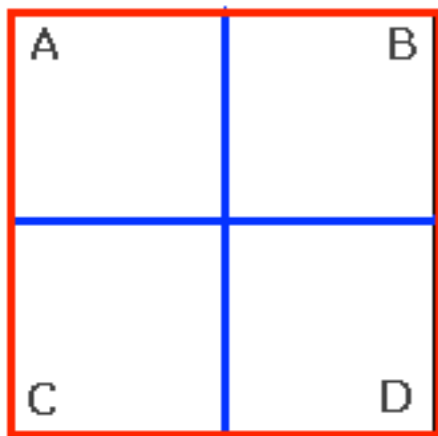
Round 2: Attach color B with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 to count as the first dc, dc in the same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of the next 3 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 sp* Repeat from * to * 2 times, dc in each of the next 3 dc, 2 dc in the same ch-2 sp as the first dc, ch 2; join with a sl st to the top of the beginning ch 3. Fasten off color B.

Round 3: Attach color A (if using 2 colors) or color C (if us-

ing 4 colors) with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 to count as the first dc, dc in the same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of the next 7 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 sp* Repeat from * to * 2 times, dc in each of the next 7 dc, 2 dc in the same ch-2 sp as the first dc, ch 2; join with a sl st to the top of the beginning ch 3. Fasten off color A or C.

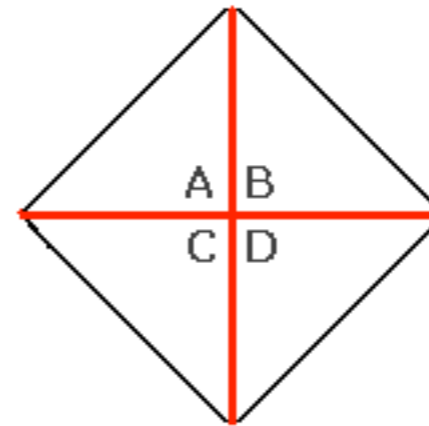
Round 4: Attach color B (if using 2 colors) or color D (if using 4 colors) with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 to count as the first dc, dc in the same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of the next 11 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 sp* Repeat from * to * 2 times, dc in each of the next 11 dc, 2 dc in the same ch-2 sp as the first dc, ch 2; join with a sl st to the top of the beginning ch 3. Fasten off color B or D.

Potholder Assembly



Front: Arrange the four squares into a square as shown in the diagram at the right. With right sides facing you, whip stitch the squares together through the back loops only along

the blue lines in the diagram. Flip the square over to the wrong side.



Back: Fold corners A, B, C and D to the center of the back of the square as shown in the second diagram. Whip stitch the squares together through the back loops only along the red lines in the diagram.

Optional: Sew a wood button to the center of the front through both thicknesses to keep the layers from separating. Sew a 1" lucite ring or a chain loop to one corner for hanging.

Dishcloth

With color A, ch 5; join with a sl st in the first ch to form a ring.

Rounds 1-4: Work the same as rounds 1-4 of the potholder.

Round 5: Attach color A (if using 2 colors) or color C (if using 4 colors) with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 to count as the first dc, dc in the same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of the next 15 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 sp* Repeat from * to * 2

times, dc in each of the next 15 dc, 2 dc in the same ch-2 sp as the first dc, ch 2; join with a sl st to the top of the beginning ch 3. Fasten off color A or C.

Round 6: Attach color B (if using 2 colors) or color D (if using 4 colors) with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 to count as the first dc, dc in the same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of the next 19 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 sp* Repeat from * to * 2 times, dc in each of the next 19 dc, 2 dc in the same ch-2 sp as the first dc, ch 2; join with a sl st to the top of the beginning ch 3. Fasten off color B or D.

Round 7: Attach color A (if using 2 colors) or color C (if using 4 colors) with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 to count as the first dc, dc in the same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of the next 23 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 sp* Repeat from * to * 2 times, dc in each of the next 23 dc, 2 dc in the same ch-2 sp as the first dc, ch 2; join with a sl st to the top of the beginning ch 3. Fasten off color A or C.

Round 8: Attach color B (if using 2 colors) or color D (if using 4 colors) with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 to count as the first dc, dc in the same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of the next 27 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 sp* Repeat from * to * 2 times, dc in each of the next 27 dc, 2 dc in the same ch-2 sp as the first dc, ch 2; join with a sl st to the top of the beginning ch 3. Do not fasten off color B or D.

Round 9: Sl st in each dc and in each ch around; join with a sl st in the first sl st. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

