Grandma’s Favorite Dishcloth

Size: approximately 8” X 8”

Yarn: worsted weight cotton, about 25g/42yd

Needles: size 8 US (5.00mm), straights or circulars

Washing Instructions: Machine wash and dry.

# Abbreviations

BO – Bind off

CO – Cast on

K – Knit

K2tog – Knit two together

YO – Yarn over

# Directions

CO 4 stitches. Knit 1 row.

Every following row: K2, YO, K to end.

Repeat this row until you have 40 stitches total on the needle.

Every following row: K1, k2tog, YO, k2tog, K to end.

Repeat this row until you have 4 stitches remaining.

# Finishing

BO all four stitches, break yarn, and pull end through last loop to fasten. Weave in ends.

**OR**

BO 1 stitch.

Knit 16 rounds of I-cord.

BO remaining stitches, break yarn, and pull end through last loop to fasten.

Sew end of I-cord to washcloth to form a loop to hang by.

Weave in ends.

Traditional Dishcloth

Size: approximately 7.5” X 7.5”

Yarn: worsted weight cotton, about 25g/42yd

Needles: size 8 US (5.0mm) straights or circulars

Washing Instructions: Machine wash and dry.

# Abbreviations

CO – Cast on

BO – Bind off

Garter st – knit every row

St st – stockinette stitch, knit the right side rows and purl the wrong side rows)

RS – right side

WS – wrong side

K – knit

P – purl

# Directions

CO 32 stitches.

Work 6 rows in garter st.

## First stockinette band:

Work 4 rows in St st (k one row, p one row), ending with a WS purl row.

## Main body:

Work in garter st until piece measures 5 inches from CO edge, ending with a WS row.

## Second stockinette band:

Work 4 rows in St st, ending with a WS purl row.

## Finishing:

Work 7 rows in garter st.

BO.

Weave in ends.