



# Knit Crossed Squares Dishcloth

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EASY

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Dishcloth measures 9" x 9 1/4".

**COATS® "Crème De La Crème™":** 1 Ball 943 French Country Blue or 205 Golden Yellow.

**Knitting Needles:** 4.5mm [US 7].

Yarn needle to weave in ends.

**GAUGE:** 18 sts = 4"; 22 rows = 4" in pattern. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.**

## PATTERN STITCH

**4-st cross:** With yarn in front as if to purl, [drop the yarn over, slip the next st] 4 times (the 4 sts on the right hand needle will be elongated from the dropped yarn over), insert the tip of the left hand needle under the first 2 elongated sts and lift them over the second 2 elongated sts and off the needle. Move the remaining 2 elongated sts to the left hand needle; P2. Insert the tip of the left hand

needle under the 2 dropped sts and lift them onto the left hand needle; P2.

Cast on 43 sts.

**Border-Rows 1-3:** K1, \* P1, K1; repeat from \* across.

**Row 4 (Right Side):** K1, P1, K1, Knit to last 3 sts decreasing 1 st at center; K1, P1, K1 – 42 sts.

**Row 5:** K1, P1, K1, Purl to last 3 sts; K1, P1, K1.

**Row 6:** K1, P1, K1, \* [K1, yo] 4 times, K 4; repeat from \* 3 more times; [K1, yo] 4 times, K1, P1, K1.

**Row 7:** K1, P1, K1, [4-st cross, P4] 4 times, 4-st cross, K1, P1, K1.

**Row 8:** K1, P1, K1, Knit to last 3 sts; K1, P1, K1.

**Row 9:** K1, P1, K1, Purl to last 3 sts; K1, P1, K1.

**Row 10:** K1, P1, K1, \* K4, [K1, yo] 4 times; repeat from \* 3 more times; K4, K1, P1, K1.

**Row 11:** K1, P1, K1, [P4, 4-st cross] 4 times, P4, K1, P1, K1.

**Row 12:** K1, P1, K1, Knit to last 3 sts; K1, P1, K1.

Repeat Rows 5-12 five more times, then repeat Rows 5-9 once more increasing 1 st at center of last Row 9 – 43 sts. Repeat Rows 1-3 for top Border. Bind off. Weave in ends.

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**ABBREVIATIONS:** **K** = knit; **mm** = millimeters; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **yo** = yarn over; \* = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated; [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.



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