

Cheerful Carousel by Gayl Wright

Crocheting in the round, this easy face cloth takes less than an hour of your time. Using simple crochet stitches, watch it take shape as you go along.

Choose your colors, grab your yarn and hook, settle in a comfortable chair and begin! Think of how the recipient will enjoy your creation and give thanks.

Yarn used in samples: KnitPicks Dishie 100% cotton worsted weight. **Colors:** Kenai and Pomegranate, available at wecrochet.com.

Yarn: any worsted weight cotton

Crochet Hook: Size H



Abbreviations

Ch = chain

Sc = single

Dc = double

Ss = slip stitch

St = stitch

Sk = skip

Sp = space

Rep = repeat

Beg= beginning

F/O = fasten

Beginning Ch3 counts as Dc in Rounds 1,2,4,5,6

Begin: Ch4. Join with Ss in first ch to make circle.

Round 1. Ch3, Dc11 in circle. Join with Ss in top of Ch3

Round 2. Ch3, Dc2 in same st. *Ch3, Sk2, Dc3 in next st* Rep from * to * twice. Ch3. Join with Ss to top of first Ch3.

Round 3. Ch1(does not count as Sc), Sc in same st. Sc3 in next stitch, Sc in next, Sc3 in Ch3 space, *Sc in next, Sc3 in next (middle st of 3 Dc set), Sc in next, Sc3 in Ch3 space*. Rep from * to * twice. Join with Sl St in first SC.

Round 4. Ch3, Dc in next, Dc3 in next, *Dc in next 7, Dc3 in next*, Rep from * to * twice, Dc in next 5, Join with Ss to top of beginning Ch3.

Round 5. Ch3, Dc2 in same st, Sk 1, *Dc3 in next, Sk 1*, Repeat from * to * all around. Join with Slst in top of first Ch3.

Round 6. Ch3, Dc2 in same stitch, *Ch 2, Sk2, Dc3 in next*. Repeat from * to * around. Ch2 and join with Ss in top of first Ch3.

Round 7: Ch 1(does not count as Sc), Sc in same st. Sc in next 2 sts. *Sc2 in Ch2 Sp, Sc in next 3 Sts* around. Join with Sl St in first Sc.

F/O and weave in loose ends.



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