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## #781 APPLE DISHCLOTH | Knit

## Handicrafter® cotton



## **MEASUREMENT** Approx 8" x 8" [20.5 x 20.5 cm].

## **MATERIALS**

#### Bernat<sup>®</sup> Handicrafter<sup>®</sup> Cotton (50 g/1.75 oz; 73 m/80 yds)

Main Color (MC) (13530 Country Red) 1 ball or 55 m/60 yds

**Contrast A** (13712 Hot Green) 1 ball or 3 m/3 yds

Contrast B (13130 Warm Brown) 1 ball or 3 m/3 yds

Size 4.5 mm (U.S. 7) knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge.

## GAUGE

19 sts and 30 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Seed St Pat.

#### **ABBREVIATIONS** www.bernat.com/abbreviations **Alt** = Alternate(ing) **Approx** = Approximately **Center dec** (worked over 3 sts) = Slip next **Rem** = Remaining 2 sts as if to K2tog, K1, then pass slipped sts over knit st – center of 3 sts should be on $\mathbf{RS}$ = Right side top of decrease, 2 sts have been decreased **Cont** = Continue(ity) **Dec** = Decrease(ing) K = Knit

 $\mathbf{P} = Purl$ **Pat** = Pattern **Rep** = Repeat **St(s)** = Stitch(es) **Yo** = Yarn over **WS** = Wrong side

**INSTRUCTIONS** (see chart on page 2). Apple: Left Bottom: With MC, cast on 8 sts. **1st row:** (RS). \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row. 2nd row: \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row. Break yarn. Leave these 8 sts on spare needle. Right Bottom: With MC, cast on 8 sts. 1st row: (RS). \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row. 2nd row: \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row. Last 2 rows form Seed St Pat.

## **Join Left and Right Bottoms:**

**3rd row:** Working across Right Bottom sts, cast on 2 sts. (K1. P1) 5 times. Cast on 6 sts. Working across Left Bottom sts from spare needle, (K1, P1) 4 times, 24 sts. 4th row: Cast on 2 sts. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row. 5th row: Cast on 2 sts. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row.

Keeping cont of Seed St Pat, proceed as follows: 6th row: Cast on 2 sts. Pat to end of row. 7th to 14th rows: Cast on 1 st. Pat to end of row. 15th and 16th rows: Work even in pat. 17th and 18th rows: Cast on 1 st. Pat to end of row. 19th and 20th rows: Work even in pat. 21st and 22nd rows: Cast on 1 st. Pat to end of row. 23rd to 26th rows: Work even in pat. 27th and 28th rows: Cast on 1 st. Pat to end of row. 29th to 39th rows: Work even in pat. 40th and 41st rows: Cast off 1 st. Pat to end of row. 42nd and 43rd rows: Work even in pat. 44th to 52nd rows: Cast off 1 st. Pat to end of row. 53rd row: Cast off 2 sts. Pat across next 12 sts. Cast off 6 sts. Pat to end of row.

## Left Top:

54th row: Cast off 3 sts. Pat across 10 sts. 55th row: Cast off 4 sts. Pat to end of row. Cast off rem 6 sts.

## **Right Top:**

54th row: With WS facing, join MC to rem 12 sts of Right Top. Cast off 3 sts. Pat to end of row. 55th row: Cast off 3 sts. Pat to end of row. Cast off rem 6 sts.

Leaf: With A, cast on 3 sts. 1st row: (RS). (K1. yo) twice. K1. 5 sts. 2nd and alt rows: Purl. 3rd row: K2. yo. K1. yo. K2. 7 sts. 5th row: K3. yo. K1. yo. K3. 9 sts.

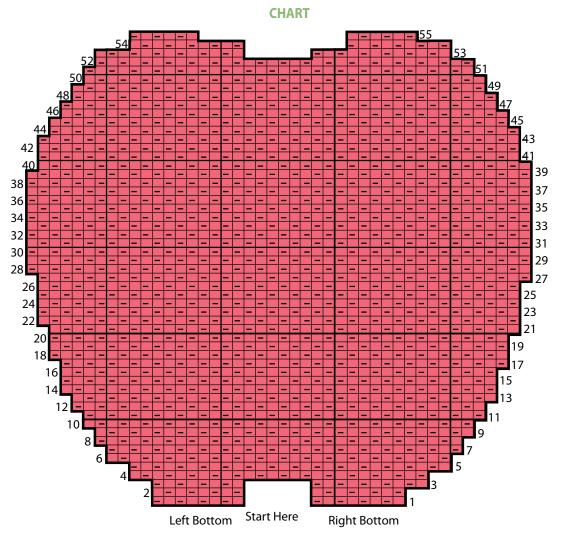


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7th row: K4. yo. K1. yo. K4. 11 sts.
9th row: K5. yo. K1. yo. K5. 13 sts.
11th and 13th rows: Knit.
15th row: K5. Center dec. K5. 11 sts.
17th row: K4. Center dec. K4. 9 sts.
19th row: K3. Center dec. K3. 7 sts.
21st row: K2. Center dec. K2. 5 sts.
23rd row: K1. Center dec. K1. 3 sts.
25th row: Center dec. Fasten off. Sew Leaf to top of Apple.

**Hanging Loop:** With B, cast on 15 sts. Cast off. Fold Loop in half and sew to top of Apple.



#### KEY

= Knit on RS rows. Purl on WS rows

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