# **Washable Crochet Makeup Remover Pads**

# **In conjunction with Folly Fairs**

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**US CROCHET TERMINOLOGY** 





#### **Tools & Materials**

Aran/Worsted weight yarn in cotton (un-mercerised works best).

4mm / G hook.

### **Approximate Yardage:**

Each scrubbie uses approx 15.0 meters (16.4 yards), 10 grams.

#### Finished dimensions:

10cm / 4 inches across.

Finished size & yardage will vary depending on hook size, yarn thickness & your personal gauge.

#### **Alternative Yarn Thickness**

You can also make these with DK or Sport weight for a smaller scrubbie. Try a 3.5mm / E or 3mm / D hook.

#### Key

beg - beginning

**ch** – chain

dc – double crochet

prev - previous

sk – skip

rnd(s) - round(s)

sc(s) - single crochet(s)

sl st – slip stitch

st(s) - stitch(es)

**tr** – treble crochet

#### **Special stitches:**

**fpdc** – front post double crochet – instead of crocheting into the top of the stitch, you crochet around the post of the stitch below.

mini picot – ch1 loosely, sl st into the back ridge of the ch just made.

#### **Recommended yarns:**

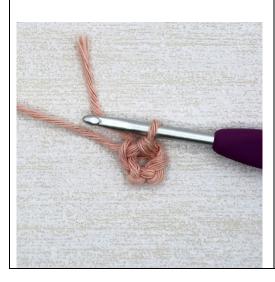
Hobbii Rainbow 8/8 Organic. Technically this yarn is classed as DK weight but it's very thick for a DK, more like a worsted weight.

Other more readily available yarns:

<u>Lily Sugar 'n Cream</u> <u>Paintbox Cotton Aran</u>

### Instructions

Ch4, join to form a ring.



Round 1: ch3, 20 dc in the ring (keep moving the stitches to the right every now and then to make sure you have enough room to fit them all in); join with sl st in 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch3. (20sts)



Round 2: ch1, turn the work, working on the wrong side, 1sc into the sl st made from joining prev rnd, then 1sc into each of the next 19sts (Make sure you have 20sts – don't worry if it seems like there is an empty stitch at the end of the round); join with a sl st into the 1st sc made. (20sts)



## NOTE: All fpdc are worked around the dc stitches from Round 1.

Round 3: ch3, turn work, working on the **right side**, sk the ch3 from Rnd1 and 1fpdc around the next dc; sk the sl st join from prev rnd; [1dc into each of next 2 sc stitches (the first stitch lies behind the fpdc just made); sk the next dc from Rnd1 and 1fpdc around the next dc] 9 times; 1dc into next sc stitch (the stitch lies behind the last fpdc made – again don't worry if it seems like there is an empty stitch at the end of the round – just make sure you have 30 sts in total); join with sl st in 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch3. (20dc & 10 fpdc)



Round 4: ch1, turn the work, working on the wrong side, 1sc into the sl st made from joining prev rnd, then 1sc into the next st; [2sc in next (the fpdc); 1sc into each of the next 2sts] 9 times; 2sc into the last fpdc. (40sts)

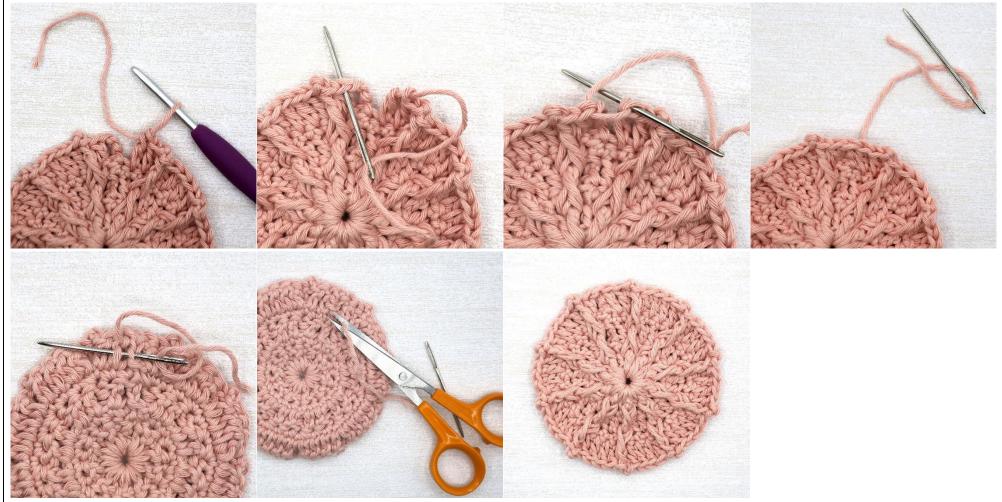


Round 5: ch3, turn work, working on the **right side**, sk the sl st join from prev rnd, 1dc into next st; [1fpdc around fpdc from Rnd 3; make a **mini picot** as follows: ch1 loosely, sl st in back ridge of ch just made – this lies to the left; 1dc into each of the next 4 sc (the first stitch lies behind the fpdc just made)] 9 times; 1dc into each of the next 2sts (again don't worry if it seems like there is an empty stitch at the end of the round again don't worry if it seems like there is an empty stitch at the end of the round – just make sure you have 50 sts in total); join with a sewn bind off. (40dc & 10 fpdc)



#### **Sewn Bind Off**

Cut the yarn and pull the live loop open until the end comes out. Thread needle with the tail end of the yarn and insert the needle through the 1<sup>st</sup> dc, front to back, as you would the crocher hook. Insert the hook back down through the last stitch of the round. Gently pull the end to make the mock stitch you've just made match the rest of the crochet stitches. Turn the work round to the back and whip stitch the end through the back strands of the ch3 & last dc. Finally sew into the sc row to secure.



Did you make this? Iove seeing your work – please share on Instagram & tag me @mezzamay.