

Scrub Up!

TIME FOR SOME CLEAN FUN!



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Free patterns inside!

PINEAPPLE PERFECTION

It's time to toss your worn-out yellow sponge and replace it with a perky pineapple. Its half-cotton and half-nylon design gives you the best of both worlds—the softness of a washcloth and the coarseness of a scourer. **Tip:** For consistent suds, place a bar of soap inside the pouch.

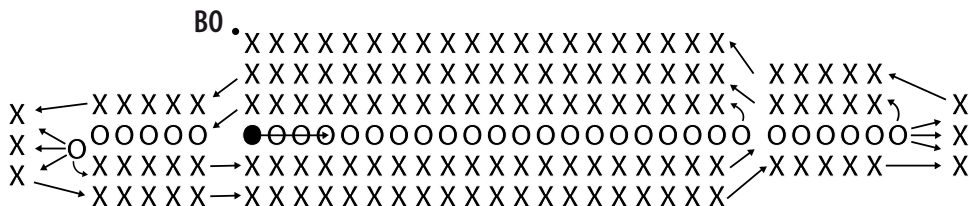


MELON MAGIC

Boost your scrubby's cleaning power by making it ultra-absorbent. How? Insert a foam pad or sponge into your crocheted creation. P.S. Cut foam or sponge into shapes to match your yarn's design—such as a half circle for a watermelon slice.



WATERMELON DIAGRAM



- = begin
- = ch
- X = sc
- = end

Abbreviations:

beg = beginning
 ch = chain
 hdc = half double crochet
 rep = repeat
 sc = single crochet
 sl = slip
 sl st = slip stitch
 st(s) = stitch(es)

Skill Level: Intermediate

Finished Measurements:

8 1/2" x 4 1/2" x 1 3/4"

Gauge: 8 sts and 8 rows = 2"

Materials:

- Yarn Bee® Scrub-ology Cotton, 3 oz (85 g) skeins of 125 yds (115 m):
 Red (A) - 1 skein
 Snow Drifts (B) - 1 skein
 Green (C) - 1 skein
- US size I-9 (5.5 mm) crochet hook

INSTRUCTIONS:

Ch 1 at beg of each row—this counts as first hdc.

With A, ch 4, sl st to make a ring.

Row 1: 13 hdc in ring. Sl st to join.

Row 2: 2 hdc in each st all around. Sl st to join (26 sts).

Row 3: *2 hdc in same st, 1 hdc in next st, rep from * all around. Sl st to join (39 sts).

Row 4: 1 hdc in each st all around. Sl st to join (39 sts).

Row 5: *2 hdc in same st, 1 hdc in next 2 sts, rep from * all around. Sl st to join (52 sts).

Row 6: *2 hdc in same st, 1 hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * all around. Sl st to join (65 sts).

Row 7: 1 sc in each st around, 1 sc. Sl st to join (65 sts). Weave in ends. Join B.

Row 8: 1 sc in each st around. Sl st to join (65 sts). Weave in ends. Join C.

Row 9: 1 sc in each st around. Sl st to join (65 sts). Weave in ends.

GREEN EDGE:

With C, ch 21 (work rows all around). Follow diagram.

FINISHING:

Mark circle in half. Place each end of edge piece on that mark. Cut a piece of sponge 8 1/2" x 4 1/2" x 1 3/4". Join C and attach both pieces with single crochet on each stitch all around, inserting sponge inside as you close it. Weave in ends.

CLEAN CROCHET

Easy to make and tough on messes—these scrubbing buddies will be your new go-to sidekicks in the kitchen. Made with bulky nylon yarn, their textured design and sewn-in handle makes cleaning stubborn stains oh-so-simple.

Abbreviations:

beg = beginning	rep = repeat
blo = back loop only	rnd(s) = round(s)
ch = chain	sc = single crochet
dc = double crochet	sl st = slip stitch
hk = hook	st(s) = stitch(es)

Skill Level: Beginner

Finished Measurements:

4 1/2" round

Materials:

- Yarn Bee® Scrub-ology Scrub It!, 3 oz (85 g) skeins of 92 yds (85 m):
Color of your choice - 1 skein
- US size J-10 (6 mm) crochet hook
- Yarn needle

Gauge: 12 sc and 14 rows = 4"

INSTRUCTIONS:

SCRUBBY: (make two)

* see note for second circle. Beg ch does not count as st.

Make a magic ring. Ch 2.

Rnd 1: 12 dc in ring, sl st to join to beg ch (12 sts).

Rnd 2: Ch 2, 2 dc in blo of each st around, sl st to join to beg ch (24 sts).

Rnd 3: Ch 2, *2 dc in blo of next st, 1 dc in blo of next st, rep from * around, sl st to join to beg ch. Fasten off, weave in ends.

*Rep pattern for second circle, but do not fasten off at end of rnd 3.

Place both circles wrong sides together and sc around entire circle, making sure to go through both sts on each side of circles. Fasten off and weave in ends.

HANDLE:

Ch 5 (leave long tail for sewing).

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hk and each ch across. Turn.

Rows 2-16: Ch 1, 1 sc in each st across. Turn. Fasten off and leave another long tail at end. With yarn needle and long tail of yarn at each end, sew handle onto scrubby. Fasten off and weave in ends.

COZY COVER

Give your sweeper a sweater with a crocheted cover. But this soft sleeve is more than just a fashion statement—it's functional too! We combined worsted yarn with nylon yarn loops to create a layered material perfect for trapping dirt and grime.



Abbreviations:

BO = bind off
ch = chain
hk = hook
rep = repeat
sc = single crochet
st(s) = stitch(es)

Skill Level: Beginner

Finished Measurements:

Approx. 10" x 4 1/2"

Materials:

- Yarn Bee® Scrub-ology Scrub It!, 3 oz (85 g) skeins of 92 yds (85 m): Blue Thistle (A) – 1 skein
- Yarn Bee® Scrub-ology Cotton, 3 oz (85 g) skeins of 125 yds (115 m): Aria (B) – 1 skein
- US size L-11 (8 mm) crochet hook

Gauge: 6 sts and 6 rows = 3"

INSTRUCTIONS: (use both yarns together)

POCKETS:

Make two pieces.
Ch 11, turn.

Row 1: 1 sc on second ch from hk and each ch across. Turn.

Rows 2-7: Sc in each st across. Turn and in seventh row, weave in.

BOTTOM:

To get even and uniform loops, loop yarn over 1 1/2" x 5" piece of cardboard.
Ch 11, turn.

Row 1: 1 sc in second ch from hk and each ch across. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, *loop yarn over cardboard and pull it down to make a sc in next st. Turn.

Rows 3-24: Rep rows 1-2. Place pocket pieces on each end of bottom flat side.

Row 25: Work all around 1 sc on each st, joining pockets with bottom as you go. Weave in ends.



WORSTED WASHER

When cleaning fruits and vegetables, use a cotton dishcloth for a gentle scrub that won't damage your produce. We crocheted these softies into rounded squares and finished them with little hoops for hanging.

Abbreviations:

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| beg = beginning | rep = repeat |
| ch = chain | rnd(s) = round(s) |
| dc = double crochet | sl st = slip stitch |
| hk = hook | st(s) = stitch(es) |
| tr = treble crochet | sp = space |

Skill Level: Easy

Finished Measurements:

8" x 8" square

Materials:

- Yarn Bee® Scrub-ology Cotton,
3 oz (85 g) skeins of 125 yds (115 m):
Al Fresco – 1 skein
Day Dream Thing – 1 skein
- US Size I-9 (5.5 mm) crochet hook

Gauge: 13 dc and 6 rows = 4" square

INSTRUCTIONS:

Ch 4.

Rnd 1: 11 dc in fourth ch from hk, sl st to join to beg ch.

Rnd 2: Ch 5, tr into same st, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, *tr, ch 2, tr in next st, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts. Rep from * 2 more times. Sl st to beg ch sp.

Rnd 3: Ch 5, tr into same ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in next st, *tr, ch 2, tr into next corner ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 4 sts, 2 dc in next st. Rep from * 2 more times. Sl st to beg ch sp.

Rnd 4: Ch 5, tr into same ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 8 sts, 2 dc in next st, *tr, ch 2, tr in next corner ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 8 sts, 2 dc in next st. Rep from * 2 more times. Sl st to join to beg ch sp.

Rnd 5: Ch 5, tr into same ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 12 sts, 2 dc in next st, *tr, ch 2, tr in next corner ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 12 sts, 2 dc in next st. Rep from * 2 more times. Sl st to join to beg ch sp.

Rnd 6: Ch 5, tr into same ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 16 sts, 2 dc in next st, *tr, ch 2, tr in next corner ch sp, 2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 16 sts, 2 dc in next st. Rep from * 2 more times. Sl st to join to beg ch sp. Ch 12, sl st into same ch sp. Fasten off and weave in ends.