

# Stitchmix Towel

**Yarn:** Worsted machine-washable cotton/  
10 ply (8 wpi)  
**Gauge:** 4.5 sts/inch  
**Hooks:** H8/5mm, 7/ 4.5mm for edging

## Abbreviations:

ch – chain  
tch – turning chain  
sc – single crochet  
rep – repeat  
sts/st – stitches/stitch  
hdc – half-double crochet  
dc – double crochet



## Instructions:

### Ch44

**Row 1:** Skip 2ch (counts as 1 hdc) and hdc into next ch and each ch to end of row. Turn.

**Row 2:** Ch2, and skip 1<sup>st</sup> stitch.  
\*hdc into *BACK LOOP ONLY*.  
Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.

**Row 3-6:** Repeat Row 2.

**Row 7-8:** Ch1, sc in each stitch until end of row, turn.

**Row 9:** Ch2 (count as 1sc). Work [1hdc, 1dc] into first stitch.  
\*Skip 2 sts, work [1sc, 1hdc, 1dc] into next st;  
rep from \* to last 3 sts, skip 2 sts, 1 sc into last st, turn.

**Row 10:** Ch1 (count as 1sc). Work [1hdc, 1dc] into first stitch.  
\* Skip [1dc, 1hdc], work [[1sc, 1hdc, 1dc] into next sc;  
rep from \* to last 3 sts, skip [1dc, 1hdc], 1 sc into top of turning chain, turn.

**Row 11-20:** Repeat Row 10.

**Row 21:** Ch1, sc in first stitch then each st to end of row, turn.

**Row 22:** Ch3, skip 1<sup>st</sup> stitch, dc into all following stitches to end of row, turn.

**Row 23:** Ch2, skip 1<sup>st</sup> stitch, hdc into all following stitches to end of row, turn.

**Row 24:** Ch1, sc in each st to end of row, turn.

**Row 25:** Ch1 (count as 1sc), 1dc into first stitch,  
\*skip 1 st, work [1sc, 1dc] into next st;  
rep from \* to last 2 sts, skip 1 st, 1 sc into last st, turn.

**Row 26:** Ch1, (count as 1sc), ), 1dc into first stitch,  
\*skip 1 dc, work [1sc, 1dc] into next sc;  
rep from \* to last 2 sts, skip 1dc, 1 sc into turning chain, turn.

- Row 27-30:** Repeat Row 26
- Row 31:** Ch1, sc in first stitch then each st to end of row, turn.
- Row 32:** Ch2, skip 1<sup>st</sup> st, hdc into all following sts to end of row, turn.
- Row 33:** Ch3, skip 1<sup>st</sup> stitch (counts as 1dc). dc in all following sts to end of row, turn.
- Row 34:** Ch1, sc in first stitch then each st to end of row, turn.
- Row 35:** Ch2 (count as 1sc). Work [1hdc, 1dc] into first stitch.  
\*Skip 2 sts, work [1sc, 1hdc, 1dc] into next st;  
rep from \* to last 3 sts, skip 2 sts, 1 sc into last st, turn.
- Row 36:** Ch1 (count as 1sc). [1hdc, 1dc] into first stitch.  
\* Skip [1dc, 1hdc], then work [1sc, 1hdc, 1dc] into next sc;  
rep from \* to last 3 sts, skip [1dc, 1hdc], 1 sc into top of tch, turn.
- Row 37-46:** Repeat Row 36
- Row 47-48:** Ch1, sc in first stitch then each st to end of row, turn.
- Row 49:** Ch2, skip 1<sup>st</sup> st, hdc into 1<sup>st</sup> then all following sts to end of row, turn.
- Row 50-54:** Ch2, skip 1<sup>st</sup> st.  
\*hdc into BACK LOOP ONLY.  
Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.
- Row 55:** Ch1, sc in first stitch then each st to end of row, fasten off and weave in ends.

**Note:** This makes a largish dishtowel. Pre-blocked, it measured 13” w x 25” l. It also benefits from edging. Once blocked, I used a size 7 hook and same yarn and added a single crochet row, followed by a slip-stitch row around to edge.

