

NURTURING FIBRES

# Ribbed Shaving Towel



Colours used: Eco-Cotton in Mist, Anvil & Fawn

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## PATTERN DIFFICULTY

Advanced Beginners

## MEASUREMENTS

Pattern Sizes:

One Size Only

Completed measurements:

45 x 28 cm

## MATERIALS

Nurturing Fibres Eco-Cotton

(125m/50g)

1x Anvil

1x Fawn

1x Mist

3.50 mm Crochet Hook

Tapestry Needle

Scissors

## ABBREVIATIONS

beg – beginning

BPdc – Back Post double  
crochet

ch – chain

cnr – corner

dc – double crochet

fl – front loop

FPdc – Front Post double  
crochet

hdc – half double crochet

rep – repeat

sc – single crochet

sl st – slip stitch

sp – space

st(s) – stitch(es)

## IMPORTANT!

### PATTERN NOTES

- The pattern is written in US terminology.
- Instead of making a foundation chain, you can start with 80 foundation hdc.
- When you work an hdc stitch, it has an extra back loop that you can clearly see when you turn the work. This loop becomes the 2<sup>nd</sup> front loop when the work is turned and the

back of the stitch is facing you. This is the loop that you will work in to create the Half Double Crochet Rib Stitch.

- The ch-2 at the beginning of each row counts as an hdc.
- For the border, the ch-3 at the beginning of each round counts as a dc.
- Instructions after or between an asterisk (\*) means that you repeat until the end of the row or round. Instructions with by a double asterisk (\*\*), means that you end the final repeat at the \*\*.



## INSTRUCTIONS

**Row 1:** With Mist, ch 82, hdc in 3<sup>rd</sup> ch from hook and in every back bar of each ch across, turn.

**Row 2:** Ch 2 (*counts as 1<sup>st</sup> hdc*), hdc in 2<sup>nd</sup> fl of each hdc across, turn. (80 hdc)

**Row 3-5:** rep row 2  
Change to colour Fawn and rep row 2 5 times.  
Change to colour Anvil and rep row 2 5 times.  
Change to colour Mist and rep row 2 5 times.  
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Change to colour Mist and rep row 2 5 times.  
Fasten off and sew away yarn ends.

## BORDER

The border will be worked in the round.

**Round 1:** Start in corner of any short end with (ch 3, dc 1, ch 1, dc 2) and equally work 38 dc across, (dc 2, ch 1, dc 2) in last stitch, dc in each st across long side to last st (78 dc), (dc 2, ch 1, dc 2) in last st, dc 38 equally across next short end, (dc 2, ch 1, dc 2) in last st, dc in each st across long side (78 dc), join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

**Round 2:** sl st to cnr ch-1 sp, (ch 3, dc 1, ch 1, dc 2) in cnr sp, \*FPdc around next dc, BPdc around next dc\*, rep from \* to \* across short end, (dc 2, ch 1, dc 2) in next cnr ch-1 sp, rep from \* to \* across long end, (dc 2, ch 1, dc 2) in next cnr ch-1 sp, rep from \* to \* across next short end, (dc 2, ch 1, dc 2) in last cnr ch-1 sp, rep from \* to \* across last long end, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

**Round 3:** sl st to cnr ch-1 sp, (ch3, dc 1, ch 1, dc 2) in cnr sp, [FPdc around dc, BPdc around next dc, \*FPdc around FPdc, BPdc around BPdc; rep from \* across to 2<sup>nd</sup> last dc, FPdc around dc, BPdc around last dc, (dc 2, ch 1, dc 2) in next ch-1 cnr sp] repeat around to last BPdc step, join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

**Round 4:** rep round 3 once more, but do not fasten off at join, ch15, sl st in same st and

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next st to form a loop, turn and sl in each ch, sl st in last st before the joining sl st and last st of round to secure the loop onto the towel.

## FINISH UP

Fasten off and work away yarn tails.



## ABOUT THE YARNS

**Eco-Cotton** is a softly spun yarn with 125 meters to a ball. It is 100% cotton and lovingly hand-dyed in South Africa.

Stockists of our yarn are listed on our webpage [www.nurturingfibres.com](http://www.nurturingfibres.com)

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