

Fried Egg Potholder

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This little pattern was written two years ago. I scratched it down on a scrap piece of paper and swore to myself I would publish it as soon as I figured out how to convert a typed piece on my phone to a pdf. Life got in the way and that little piece of paper ended up crumpled in the bottom of the steamer trunk where I store partial skeins of yarn. As I was organizing my stash today I found that scrunched up piece of paper and today was the day my very first design took its place in my pattern store. I hope you enjoy making this cute little thing as much as I do.

- **Hook size-** H 5.00 mm
- **Yarn-** Lily Sugar n' Cream, (100% cotton; 120 yards per 70.9 g) or any worsted weight yarn
- **Yardage-** approximately 110 total yards.
 - Color 1- yellow, approximately 20 yards, 1 ball.*
 - Color 2 - soft ecru, approximately 90 yds, 1 ball.*
- **Finished Size-** 9.5 inch circle

****Make 2****

You will work Rounds 1 through 8 twice to make 2 pieces. Round 9 is then worked a single time to join the two together.

Round 1 *color 1*

Make magic circle

Ch3, counts as dc, 11 dc inside mc. Join to the top of the ch3 with a slst. DO NOT FO.

12 dc

Round 2

Ch3, counts as dc, dc in same st. 2Dc in next 11 sts. Join to the top of the ch3 with a slst. DO NOT FO.

24 dc

Round 3

Ch2, counts as a hdc. *2Hdc in next st, hdc in next st* 12 times, omitting last hdc. Join to the top of the ch2 with a slst. FO.

36 hdc

Round 4 *color 2*

Join with a standing hdc in any st, hdc in same st. *Hdc in next 2 sts, 2hdc in next st* 12 times, omitting last 2 sts. Join to the first st with a slst. DO NOT FO.

48 hdc

Round 5

Ch3, counts as dc, dc in next 2 sts. *2Dc in next st, dc in next 3 sts* 12 times, omitting last 3 sts. Join to the top of the ch3 with a slst. DO NOT FO.

60 dc

Round 6

Ch3, counts as dc, dc in same st. *Dc in next 4 sts, 2dc in next st* 12 times, omitting last 2 sts. Join to the top of the ch3 with a slst. DO NOT FO.

72 dc

Round 7

Ch3, counts as dc, dc in next 4 sts. *2Dc in next st, dc in next 5 sts* 12 times, omitting last 5 sts. Join to the top of the ch3 with a slst. FO.

84 dc

Round 8

Ch1, 2sc in same st. Sc in next 6 sts.

2Hdc in next st, dc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts. Sc in next st, hdc in next st.

2Dc in next st. Sc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts.

2Trc in next st, dc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 4 sts.

2Sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts.

2Hdc in next st, dc in next 2 sts, hdc in next st, sc in next st. Hdc in next st, dc in next st.

2Trc in next st, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next 4 sts.

2Sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts.

2Hdc in next st, dc in next st. Trc in next 3 sts, dc in next 2 sts.

2Hdc in next st, sc in next 4 sts. Hdc in next st, dc in next st.

2Trc in next st, trc in next st, dc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in next st.

2Hdc in next st, dc in next st. Trc in next 2 sts, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next st.

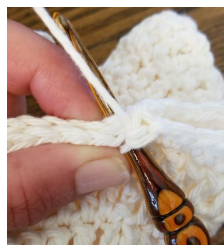
Join to the first st with a slst. FO the first, DO NOT FO second. Take this time to stitch in ends if you haven't already.

96 sts

Round 9

****Special Instructions****

Lay the second egg on top of the first, lining up the stitches. Work this round in corresponding stitches of BOTH layers.



Ch1, sc in same st. Sc in next 95 sts. Join to the first st with a slst. FO.

96 sts