## Checkerboard Crochet Dishcloth Pattern

| Supplies | Abbreviations - US Terms |
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| - Scissors | - ch - chain |
| - tapestry needle | - yo - yarn over |
| - H, 5 mm crochet hook | - slst - slip stich |
| -i- 4 oz - Lily Sugar N' Cream Cotton Yarn <br> in yellow, white, and hot orange or any <br> worsted weight gauge 4 cotton yarn | - sc - single crochet |
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To make the crochet project larger or smaller you need a chain a multiple of 6 .
You can carry the colors up the sides, if you use 3 colors.
Approx. size: 8.5 in $\times 9$ in ( $22 \mathrm{~cm} \times 23 \mathrm{~cm}$ )
Chain 30 with color A
Row 1: $\boldsymbol{d} \boldsymbol{c}$ in 5th $\boldsymbol{c h}$ from hook. $2 \boldsymbol{d} \boldsymbol{c}$ in next $2 \boldsymbol{c h s}$. Repeat** * $\boldsymbol{c h} 3$. Skip $3 \boldsymbol{c h s} . \boldsymbol{d} \boldsymbol{c}$ in next 3 chs* across. Change to Color B before completing last st. ch 4 (counts as a ch 1 and a ch 3), turn.

ROW 2: Working into the skipped $\boldsymbol{c h} \boldsymbol{s}$ from the starting $\boldsymbol{c h}, \boldsymbol{d} \boldsymbol{c}$ in each of the 3 $\boldsymbol{c h s}$. Repeat** * ch 3. Working into the skipped chains, $\boldsymbol{d c}$ in each of the $3 \boldsymbol{c h s} \boldsymbol{h}^{*}$ across. At the end, ch 3. With Color C, slst into last st. ch 3, turn.

ROW 3: (Turning $\boldsymbol{c h}-3$ counts as first $\boldsymbol{d} \boldsymbol{c}$ ). $\boldsymbol{d} \boldsymbol{c}$ in next 2 sts. Repeat*** $\boldsymbol{c h}^{\boldsymbol{h}} 3$. Working into the skipped sts, $\boldsymbol{d c}$ in each of the 3 sts* across. Change to Color A before completing last st. ch 4, turn.

ROW 4: Working into the skipped $\boldsymbol{c h s} \boldsymbol{s} \boldsymbol{d} \boldsymbol{c}$ in each of the $3 \boldsymbol{s t s}$. * ch 3. Working into the skipped chains, $\boldsymbol{d c}$ in each of the 3 sts* repeat**. At the end, $\boldsymbol{c h} 3$. With Color B, slst into last st. ch 3, turn.

Repeat Rows 3-4 for 18 rows or until you have the height you want, changing colors after every row, continuing with the order of A, B, C. Ending with Color C.

Last row, which is a modified Row3: (Previous Row will have a ch 3, turn). $\boldsymbol{d c}$ in next 2 sts. Repeat** *sc in next 3 sts. Working into the skipped sts, $\boldsymbol{d c}$ in each of the 3 sts* across. Chain 1 and turn.

## Border

Don't cut the yarn continue in the last color for the border.
Round 1-2: $s c$ in each $s t$ around. $2 s c$ in each corner.

Knot and weave in ends using a tapestry needle. Cut off excess yarn.

