



## **Crochet Placemat with Starburst Border Pattern**

Pattern Designed & Written by Jayda InStitches 2016 –Happy Crafting!

### **Materials**

Yarn: Cotton, worsted weight (size 4) 160 g per Placemat

Hook: 4.25mm / (G / 6) / UK 7

Scissors, Yarn Needle

### **Stitch Legend**

r – row

st(s) – stitch(es)

ch(s) – chain(s)

sp - space

sl st – slip stitch

sc – single crochet

hdc – half double crochet

dc – double crochet



### **Notes**

- Ch-3 at the beginning of each row counts as a double crochet

### **Pattern – Chain 20**

**R1:** 5 dc into the 4<sup>th</sup> ch from the hook, dc into each of the next 15 ch, 6 dc into the last ch, (you are now working up the opposite side of the foundation chain row), dc into the next 15 chs, join with a sl st to the top of the ch-3. (42)

**R2:** ch 3, dc in the same st as joining, 2 dc in each of the next 5 sts, dc in the next 15 sts, 2 dc in each of the next 6 sts, dc in each of the next 15 sts, join with a sl st to the top of the ch-3. (54)

**R3:** ch 3, dc in the same st as joining, 2 dc in each of the next 11 sts, dc in the next 15 sts, 2 dc in each of the next 12 sts, dc in each of the next 15 sts, join with a sl st to the top of the ch-3 (78)

**R4:** ch 3, dc in the next 4 sc, (2 dc in the next st, dc in the next st) 8 times, dc in the next 23 sts, (2 dc in the next st, dc in the next st) 8 times, dc in the next 18 sts, join with a sl st to the top of the ch-3 (94)

**R5:** ch 3, dc in the next 5 sts, (2 dc in the next st, dc in the next 2 sts) 8 times, dc in the next 23 sts, (2 dc in the next st, dc in the next 2 sts) 8 times, dc in the next 17 sts, join with a sl st to the top of the ch-3. (110)

**R6:** ch 3, dc in the next 5 sts, (2 dc in the next st, dc in the next 3 sts) 8 times, dc in the next 23 sts, (2 dc in the next st, dc in the next 3 sts) 8 times, dc in the next 17 sts, join with a sl st to the top of the ch-3. (126)

**R7:** ch 5, hdc in the same st as joining, \*skip 2 sts, (hdc, ch3, hdc) in the next st\*. Repeat from \* to \* around. (42 V-stitches)

**R8:** (2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in each ch-3 space around, join with a sl st to the first sc. Fasten off and weave in ends.