



## BLOCK STITCH WASHCLOTH (PIMA 100 VERSION)

*When we knit our Block Stitch Baby Blanket a little smaller, we discovered we had a pretty, practical washcloth! The block stitch made miniature is charming—and produces the perfect texture for a gentle scrub.*

- Finished Size:** Approx. 10"/25cm square.
- Yarn:** 1 skein Berroco *Pima 100* (219 yds/200m each), or approx. of an equivalent light worsted-weight yarn.
- Needles & Notions:** US 5 (3.75mm) circular needles, or size to obtain gauge. *Note: Grippier needles such as bamboo or wood may result in a smoother transition between knit and purl sections in pattern stitch.*  
2 stitch markers.
- Gauge:** 22 sts/32 rows = 4"/10cm in block stitch pattern, after blocking.
- Glossary:** **K** = knit; **P** = purl; **PM** = place marker; **St(s)** = stitch(es).
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*Begins and ends with a 6 row seed stitch border; the middle section is worked in block stitch with seed stitch borders on each side. Block stitch pattern is worked in a 12 stitch repeat.*

- Cast on:** Using cable cast-on method, cast on 56. *Note: To make washcloth wider or narrower, add or subtract sts in multiples of 12.*
- First seed stitch border:** Row 1: \*K1, P1\*, repeat between \* \* to end.  
Row 2: \*P1, K1\*, repeat between \* \* to end. Repeat these two rows 2 more times. (6 rows total.)
- Middle section (block stitch):** Rows 1-8: Work first 4 sts in seed st as established, PM, \*K6, P6\*, repeat between \* \* 3 more times, PM, work last 4 sts in seed st as established. *Note: On all subsequent rows, slip markers as you come to them.*  
Rows 9-16: Work first 4 sts in seed st as established, \*P6, K6\*, repeat between \* \* to marker, work last 4 sts in seed st as established.  
Repeat these 16 rows 3 more times or to desired length, reserving enough yarn for final seed st border, approx. 20 yds/18m.
- Final seed stitch border:** Row 1: Work in seed st, beginning as established, removing markers. Work 5 more rows in seed st. Bind off loosely in pattern.
- Finishing:** Weave in ends as invisibly as possible (there is no 'wrong side'). Gently steam press. Or wet block in washer and dryer and pull into shape when damp.

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