



CrochetRooms

Crochet Coasters: Free Crochet Pattern

Finished Size & Skill Level

- **One size:** approximately 4 in (10 cm) in diameter per coaster
- **Skill level:** Easy - chains, double crochet, and slip stitches in the round
- **Time:** about 20 minutes per coaster, one evening for a set of four

Materials (per coaster)

- **Worsted-weight (#4) 100% cotton yarn** - main color (about 14 yds / 13 m) and contrast color (about 7 yds / 6 m); roughly 21 yds / 19 m total per coaster
- **US G-6 (4.0 mm) crochet hook**
- Yarn needle for weaving in ends, scissors, stitch marker (optional)
- **Make a set:** repeat the coaster 4 to 6 times in matching colors, about 84 yds (77 m) for a set of four

Abbreviations (US Terms)

- **ch** = chain | **st(s)** = stitch(es) | **dc** = double crochet (UK: treble crochet)
- **sl st** = slip stitch
- **MR** = magic ring

Gauge

Gauge is not critical for coasters, but your circle should lie flat. Four rounds of double crochet should measure about 4 in (10 cm) across. If yours ripples, your tension is too tight; if it cups upward, your tension is too loose.

Pattern Notes

- This is an original CrochetRooms pattern. Each coaster is one simple flat motif worked in joined rounds from a magic ring.
- The ch 2 at the start of a round counts as the first double crochet. Join each round with a slip stitch to the top of the beginning ch 2.
- Change colors on the last yarn-over of the final slip stitch of the round before the color change.
- All stitch counts are given in parentheses at the end of each round.

Coaster (make 4 to 6)

With the main color, start with a magic ring.

Round 1: Ch 2 (counts as first dc), 11 dc in ring, join with a sl st to the top of the ch 2. (12 dc)

Round 2: Ch 2, dc in same st as join, 2 dc in each st around, join with a sl st to the top of the ch 2. (24 dc)

Round 3: Ch 2, *dc in next st, 2 dc in next st; repeat from * around, join with a sl st to the top of the ch 2. (36 dc)

Round 4: With the contrast color, ch 2, *dc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st; repeat from * around, join with a sl st to the top of the ch 2. (48 dc)

Fasten off, leaving a short tail. Weave in all ends on the back of the coaster, stitching back and forth through a few stitches so nothing unravels.

Keeping Your Set Matching

- **Same tension:** work all the coasters in one sitting so your gauge stays consistent from the first to the last.
- **Count every round:** a missing increase is the main reason one coaster ends up smaller than the rest.
- **Block for flatness:** lay each coaster flat, spritz lightly with water, shape the circle with your fingers, and let dry completely.
- **Matching colors:** alternate the same two colors in the same order on every coaster for a true set.

Finishing

Stack your finished coasters and check that each one lies flat and measures about 4 in (10 cm) across. Tie the set with cotton twine or ribbon, and your crochet coaster set is ready to use or gift.