## Waffle stitch potholders

Crochet thick potholders in the waffle stitch crochet pattern from two strands of cotton yarn 8/4 and attach a leather strap for hanging. You will need 55 g of cotton yarn per potholder.

Crochet with two strands of cotton yarn and repeat this pattern to create two potholders. You will need a total of three balls of cotton yarn for one pair of potholders.

1: $\quad 41 \mathrm{ch}$.
2: $\quad$ Crochet 1 tr in the 3rd ch from the hook. 39 tr (40) 3: $\quad$ Turn with 2 ch. Crochet 1 tr in the next 2 st. Crochet *2 fpdc, 2 tr*. Repeat from * to *untill the end of the row. Finish the row with 1 tr in the last st.
4: $\quad$ Turn with 2 ch . Crochet 1 fpdc around the next 2 st. Crochet *2 $\mathrm{tr}, 2 \mathrm{fpdc}$. Repeat until the end of the row. Finish with 1 tr in the last st. Repeat row 3 and 4 alternately 8 times in total.

Continue to repeat row 3 and 4 until the potholder is square. The last row must be like row No. 3.

Scalloped edge border: Work a dc in a stitch in the edge of your finished crocheted square. *Skip 2 st, 5 tr in the next st,
 skip 2 st, 1 dc in the next stitch*. Repeat from *to* all the way around the edge, crocheting 6 scallops per side +1 in each corner.

Cut the yarn and secure the ends.

## Abbreviations and symbols explanation:

St = stitch
Ch $=$ Chain stitch
Dc = Double crochet
$\mathrm{Tr}=$ Treble crochet
Fpdc $=$ Front post double crochet

