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Crochet Luxury Sousplat Pattern (US Terminology)

Materials & Tools

- 100% Cotton yarn (Category 4 – Medium / Worsted Weight recommended for structure)
- 3.5 mm – 4.0 mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Scissors
- Stitch markers (recommended for beginners)

Using high-quality mercerized cotton is strongly recommended for a luxury sousplat. This ensures stitch definition, durability, and proper table presentation.

Finished Size

Approx. 14–16 inches (35–40 cm) in diameter depending on tension, yarn, and hook size. Maintain consistent tension throughout to ensure a perfectly flat and elegant piece.

Gauge

Gauge is not critical for decorative sousplats; however, consistency is essential. If your work begins to ruffle, your tension may be too loose. If it curls upward, your tension may be too tight.

Abbreviations (US Terms)

ch – chain
sl st – slip stitch
sc – single crochet
hdc – half double crochet
dc – double crochet
tr – treble crochet
inc – increase (2 stitches in same stitch)
st(s) – stitch(es)

Pattern Instructions

Round 1: Create a magic ring. Ch 3 (counts as first dc). Work 11 dc into the ring. Join with sl st to top of beginning ch-3. (12 sts)

Round 2: Ch 3. Dc in same st. Work 2 dc in each st around. Join. (24 sts)

Round 3: Ch 3. *Dc in next st, 2 dc in next st.* Repeat around. Join. (36 sts)

Round 4: Ch 3. *Dc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st.* Repeat around. Join. (48 sts)

Round 5: Ch 1. Work sc evenly around to stabilize the base circle. Join.

Round 6: Begin decorative shell pattern: *Skip 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, skip 2 sts, sc in next st.* Repeat around to create scallop edging.

Round 7: For luxury finishing, work picot detail: *Sc in next st, ch 3, sl st in same st.* Repeat evenly around.

Luxury Design Notes

This sousplat features a structured center with progressive increases for a perfectly flat base. The outer scalloped edging provides a refined and decorative appearance suitable for formal dining settings. Blocking is highly recommended to enhance stitch definition and symmetry.

Blocking & Finishing

After completing the piece, fasten off and weave in all ends securely. Lightly steam block or wet block by pinning the sousplat into a perfect circle. Allow to dry completely before use. Proper blocking ensures professional presentation and prevents curling edges.

Professional Best Practices

- Always count stitches at the end of each round.
- Use stitch markers when working decorative repeats.
- Maintain consistent tension.
- Choose cotton yarn for durability and washability.
- For commercial sales, always test wash and dry durability before offering to customers.