**Materials:**

* Worsted-weight cotton yarn
* Crochet hook size H/8 (5.0 mm)
* Yarn needle

**Abbreviations:**

* Ch: chain
* Sc: single crochet
* Dc: double crochet

**Instructions:**

1. **Foundation Row:**
   * Ch 31.
2. **Row 1:**
   * Sc in 2nd ch from hook.
   * *Dc in next ch, sc in next ch*. Repeat from \* to \* across.
   * Turn.
3. **Row 2:**
   * Ch 1, sc in first st.
   * *Dc in next st, sc in next st*. Repeat from \* to \* across.
   * Turn.
4. **Rows 3-20 (or desired length):**
   * Repeat Row 2.
5. **Border:**
   * Ch 1, sc evenly around the entire dishcloth, working 3 sc in each corner.
   * Join with a slip stitch to first sc.
   * Fasten off and weave in ends.
6. **Optional Hanging Loop:**
   * Attach yarn to one corner.
   * Ch 10, sl st in same corner.
   * Fasten off and weave in ends.
7. **Finishing:**
   * Block the dishcloth if desired by wetting it, shaping it, and allowing it to dry flat.

This simple dishcloth pattern uses basic stitches and is easy to customize in terms of size and color. Feel free to adjust the number of rows to achieve your desired dimensions. Happy crocheting!