



## FELTED DOOR KNOB ORGANIZER (TO CROCHET)

### IMPORTANT TO KNOW BEFORE FELTING

- Record all the measurements and changes before and after felting. You will be able to adjust the method to produce proper results.
- Always test a sample. Different colored yarns may felt differently.
- Colorfastness can be affected by very hot water.
- Any crochet that has been properly felted becomes very dense and matted.

### HOW TO FELT

- Using low water level, run a Hot/Cold cycle for 5 to 15 min. Add a pair of old jeans for agitation.
- Add 2 tablespoons of baking soda for a small load. After one cycle, check for size. Repeat if necessary.
- Run through the rinse and dry spin cycle.
- Do not use a clothes dryer.
- Lay felted piece onto a dry towel, away from direct heat or sunlight.
- Shape piece to correct measurements.
- If an edge ripples, baste a thread through the edge and gather in. Remove the thread after the felting is dry.

### MEASUREMENTS

Approx 5 x 10 ins [12.5 x 25.5 cm].

### MATERIALS

Patons® Classic Wool (100 g / 3.5 oz)  
#00207 (Rich Red): **1 ball**

Size 5 mm (U.S. H or 8) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain tension.**

### TENSION

15 sc and 16 rows = 4 ins [10 cm].

### INSTRUCTIONS

Ch 26.

**1st row:** (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of ch. Turn. 25 sc.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. Rep last row until work from beg measures 22 ins [56 cm], ending with a WS row. Fasten off.

### FINISHING

Felt piece following “How to Felt” instructions. Shape pieces to measurements. Dry flat away from heat and direct sunlight.

Trim piece if necessary to measurements 5 x 20 ins [12.5 x 51 cm].

### Diagram

Fold bottom 4 ins [10 cm] to RS to form pocket and top 6 ins [15 cm] to WS of piece (see Diagram). Blanket st through both thicknesses along sides of piece. Trace a 2½ ins [6 cm] diameter circle 1½ ins [4 cm] down from top fold and carefully cut it out. Blanket st around “hole”.

