



# Simple & Sensational™

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## With-a-Flair Placemat

### Materials List:

#### Yarn

Lily Sugar'n Cream (100% cotton, 4oz [113g], 200yd [184cm]) worsted 4 medium in color 18004 Ecu (A)

1 skein makes 1 placemat

1 skein makes front border edgings around 5-6 placemats

Red Heart Boutique Sassy Fabric (100% polyester, 30yd [27m]) Super Bulky/6 in color 9934 Red Dot (B)

1 ball makes ruffled edgings around 3-4 placemats



Hooks & Notions	Gauge	Measurements
US H-8 (5mm)	4 st = 1" (2.5cm)	14" x 13" (35cm) x (32.5cm) (Not including ruffle)

**Back Ruffle Single Crochet (BRsc):** Insert hook under front loop of hdc and into next fabric space, yo and pull through both yarns, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook (sc made).

With A, ch 61

Row 1 (RS): Working in back loop of ch, sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch and each ch across. Ch 1 and turn. (60 sc)

Row 2 (WS): Working in front loop only, sc in each sc across. Ch 1 and turn.

Row 3 (RS): Working through back loop only, sc in each sc across. Ch 1 and turn.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 until measures 12" (cm).

Border: Hdc around placemat with 3 hdc in each corner. End off and weave in ends.

### Ruffled Edging

With WS facing, place B against placemat RS with ruffled edge down and ladders along working edge. Work BRsc. (If done correctly, a single line from the hdc will be around the border of the placemat on the RS.)

### Front Border Edging

With RS facing, push ruffles down. Place border yarn in back, insert hook and pull loop up to RS, work a running ch stitch around the placemat between the hdc line edge and the edge of the ruffle. Fasten off and weave in ends.

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