



Cosy Tea Belly

heat turned out of two woolly rectangles



This snug, warm tea cosy will keep your cuppa snug in the pot for you.

Size: One Size

Yarn: Approx. 100 g Kilcarra Aran Tweed in colours of your preference

Crochet hook: size 5 mm

Abbreviations: Slip stitch (sl st), Chain stitch (ch), Double crochet (dc), Treble Crochet (tr),
Stitch (sts), Begin (beg), Continue (cont)

Note: The tea cosy is worked very simply as two rectangles tied together with two crochet tie strings.

IMPORTANT: If you are working a multi-coloured version I recommend you change colour on each row. Don't forget to crochet in the ends, as you go, to cut back on the sewing away of ends.

PATTERN:

Body: Ch 37 sts, *dc 1 row, tr 1 row* rep *-* 8 times, then dc 1 row. You have now completed the first rectangle needed for this Tea Cosy. Make a second rectangle in the same way.

Make 2 tie strings: Ch 100 sts, dc 1 row. Make 2 of these ties.

ASSEMBLY: Sew away ends. Now weave in the tie in top tr row over 2 sts going in front and behind using 1 half of the tie on the one piece and the other half on the other. Tie a bow on the ends. Put the spout of the pot through the one split and the handle out the other
Wash gently in soapy water. Add a dash of vinegar to the last rinse to soften the yarn. Dry on the tea pot to get the perfect fit.

You have now finished your tea cosy and all that remain is to put it on and smile with pride, and enjoy the hot cuppa, naturally!

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