

Slip stitch (sl st)/single crochet



1

Insert the hook from front to back under the top of the second chain from the hook. Wrap the yarn round the hook (y^{rh}).



2

Pull the yarn through both of the loops on the hook to make a slip stitch. To carry on working a row of slip stitch, insert the hook into the next chain down and so on, repeating step 2 each time.

Double crochet (dc)



1

Skip 2ch and insert the hook under the top loop of the 3rd ch.



2

Wind the yarn around the hook and pull it through the chain loop. Leaving two loops on your crochet hook.



3

Y^{rh} again, then pull the yarn through both loops. There's your double crochet (dc) made and you'll have one loop left on your hook ready to do the next stitch. To do a row of dc, continue to end of chain sts.



4

For the following rows of dc, turn work and ch1. This is the turning chain (t-ch) and counts as the first dc. Skip the stitch, at the base of the t-ch, then work 1dc under the top 2 loops of each stitch to the end, including top of t-ch on following rows.

