

Bar Stitch

The Bar Stitch is a very quick and easy stitch to learn. It only uses a couple of stitches and creates a very beautiful pattern. This would work well for a baby blanket, wash cloth or variety of garments.

Difficulty level: Easy

Stitches used:

Single Crochet: sc

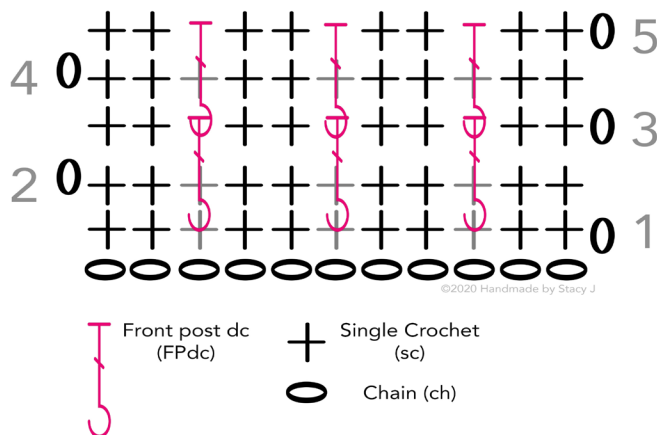
Front Post double crochet: FPdc - work 1 dc around stem of stitch 2 rows below, inserting hook from right to left to draw up loops. You will skip the st behind this one, as it was just worked 2 rows below.

Multiple of 3 sts +3

Note: Ch 1 does not count as a stitch.

Directions

1. Ch in increments of 3 to your desired length, then ch 3 more; work 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook and 1 sc in each ch across, turn.
2. Ch 1, work 1 sc across, turn.
3. Ch 1, work 1 sc in each of the first 2 sc, * work 1 FPdc around next sc 2 rows below, work 1 sc in each of next 2 sc (being sure to skip the st behind the FPdc). Rep from * to end, turn
4. Ch 1, work 1 sc across
5. Ch 1, work 1 sc in each of the next 2 sc, *1 FPdc around stem of FPdc in 2 rows below, 1 sc in each of the next 2 sts; rep from * across.
6. Repeat rows 4 & 5 until desired length, ending with a row 4.



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