FOUNDATION DOUBLE CROCHET WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS



Tip - Work chain at bottom loosely!

Regular way to work foundation double crochet (fdc) for tall dc and turning ch-3

First stitch - Start with ch 4, insert hook in 4th ch from hook and draw up a lp (3 lps on hook), YO and draw through 1 lp on hook (foundation chain made), YO and draw through 2 lps on hook (2 lps on hook), YO and draw through last 2 lps on hook.

Note: Skipped chs at beginning count as first dc. Top chain of skipped chs should be worked into at end of Row 2.

Next stitch - YO, insert hook in 2 lps of foundation chain and draw up a lp, YO and draw through 1 lp on hook (foundation chain made), [YO and draw through 2 lps on hook] twice.

Alternate way to work foundation double crochet (fdc) for short dc and turning ch-2

First stitch - Start with ch 3, insert hook in 3rd ch from hook and draw up a lp (3 lps on hook), YO and draw through 1 lp (foundation chain made), YO and draw through 2 lps on hook (2 lps on hook), YO and draw through last 2 lps on hook.

Next stitch - YO, insert hook in 2 lps of foundation chain and draw up a lp, YO and draw through 1 lp on hook (foundation chain made), [YO and draw through 2 lps on hook] twice.

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