

## DOUBLE CROCHET (dc)

Double crochet forms a firm fabric which is suitable for belts, bags or rugs. It is often used for edgings of projects.

Begin with the required number of chain.



Miss the first chain.

**Step 1** – Insert the hook into the next chain, wrap the yarn over the hook. Draw the yarn through the chain only.

**Step 2** – Wrap the yarn over the hook again and draw the yarn through both loops on the hook. One double crochet is completed.

Continue repeating steps 1 and 2 working into each chain to the end. One row of double crochet is now completed.

For the second row of double crochet, turn the work and crochet as follows – Work 1 chain, \* insert the hook under the top two threads of the first double crochet of the previous row, wrap the yarn over the hook and draw the yarn through the work only. Wrap the yarn over the hook again and draw through both loops on the hook. Repeat from \* in each double crochet to the end.