



Stitch of the Week Pattern #230

Tunisian Before and After Stitch Pattern

To follow along with this stitch pattern go to Creative Grandma youtube channel.

Note: When working any stitch pattern use recommended hook size from the yarn label you are using for best results.

Make any number of chain.

NOTE: To work a sample swatch, ch 20.

Row 1: Working in the back bumps of the chain, skip first bump, * insert hook into next bump, yo, pull through stitch *, rep from * to * across. (20 lps on hook).

Return Row for Row 1: Yo, pull through 1 lp on hook, * yo, pull through 2 lps on hook *, rep from * to * across until 1 lp remains on hook and counts as first stitch of next row.

Row 2: Insert hook in space between edge st and next vertical st front to back underneath the two horizontal strands of yarn, yo, pull through space keeping lp on hook, insert hook in space on opposite side of vertical st front to back underneath the two horizontal strands of yarn, yo, pull through space, keeping lp on hook, yo, pull through 2 lps on hook, *insert hook in same sp just worked, yo, pull through sp, keep lp on hook, insert hook in space on opposite side of vertical st front to back underneath the two horizontal strands of yarn, yo, pull through space, keep lp on hook, yo, pull through 2 lps on hook *, rep from * to * across to edge st, insert hook under top vertical st only of last st across, yo, pull through st. **Return Row for Row 2:** Same as for Row 1.

Row 3: Working in Tunisian Knit Stitch, skip edging st, *insert hook from front to back through center of next vertical st through the horseshoe shape underneath the 2 horizontal strands, yo, pull through st *, rep from * to * across to last vertical st, insert hook into both vertical strands of last st on edge of work, yo, pull through st. (20 lps on hook)

Return Row for Row 3: Same as for Row 1.

Repeat Row 2 and Row 3 for pattern.

Binding Off.

Last Row: Skip edging st, * insert hook from front to back through center of next vertical st through the horseshoe shape underneath the 2 horizontal strands, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through 2 lps on hook*, rep from * to * across. Fasten off.