# 26 Spiked Boxes Stitch

**Skill Level:** Intermediate

**Note:** Use hook size recommended on yarn label of the yarn you will be using.

Stitch Pattern is any odd number of chains

To Make a sample swatch, chain 13.

**Row 1:** Hdc2tog over 4th and 5th ch from hook, * dc in same ch as last st worked, hdc2tog over next 2 ch *, rep from * to * across to end, turn.

**Row 2:** Ch 3, hdc2tog over first and second st, * 1 spiked dc, hdc2tog over next 2 sts *, rep from * to * across to last 2 sts, work 1 spiked dc, hdc2tog over last st and top chain of ending turning ch, turn.

Repeat Row 2 for pattern.

**Special Stitches:**
- **Spiked double crochet (spiked dc):** yo, insert hook from front to back one row below under first leg of hdc2tog in sp between sts, work dc.
- **Half double crochet 2 together (hdc2tog):** yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, insert hook into next st, yo, pull through all lps on hook.