



## # 117 Crosses and Post Stitch

**Skill Level:** Advanced Beginner

**Stitch Multiple:** Multiple of 3 plus 2

To make a sample swatch, ch 17.

**Row 1 (Wrong side):** Sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn.

**Row 2 (Right side):** Ch 2 (counts as first dc), \* skip next st, dc in next st, working in front of dc just made, dc in previously skipped st, dc in next st \*, rep from \* to \* across, turn.

**Row 3:** Ch 2 (counts as first dc), \* skip next st, dc in next st, dc in previously skipped st, BPdc around next dc \*, rep from \* to \* across, end last repeat with dc in top of ending turning ch, turn.

**Row 4:** Ch 2 (counts as first dc), \* skip next st, dc in next st, dc in previously skipped st, FPdc around next BPdc \*, rep from \* to \* across, end last repeat with dc in top of ending turning ch, turn.

**Row 5:** Ch 2 (counts as first dc), \* skip next st, dc in next st, dc in previously skipped st, BPdc around next FPdc \*, rep from \* to \* across, end last repeat with dc in top of ending turning ch, turn.

**Repeat Rows 4 & 5 for pattern, ending pattern on Row 4.**

### Stitches Used:

sc – single crochet

dc – double crochet

yo – yarn over the hook

ch – chain

rep- repeat

Front-post double crochet (FPdc): yo, insert hook from front to back then back to front around post of stitch indicated, yo, pull around st, [yo, pull through 2 lps on hook] twice.

Back-post double crochet (BPdc): yo, insert hook from back to front then front to back around post of stitch indicated, yo, pull around st, [yo, pull through 2 lps on hook] twice.