

Bead *Stitch*



FOUNDATION CHAIN

Chain a multiple of 2

Bead Stitch: dc in the next st. Then work **AROUND** the post of the dc just worked as follows: yarn over (YO), pull up a loop. YO, insert hook around the post again, pull up another loop. YO (3rd time) and pull up a loop. YO and pull through **ALL** 7 loops on the hook. **Skip** the next stitch.

PATTERN

Chain 20 (or any multiple of 2)

R1: work a hdc in the 3rd ch from the hook. Work a hdc in each ch across.

R2: ch 3 and turn. (The chain counts as a dc.) Work a bead stitch, starting with a double crochet in the next stitch. Work bead stitches across the row. End with a dc in the last stitch. (Row has a dc on either end and 9 bead stitches)

R3: ch 2, hdc across.

Repeat rows 2 & 3 for pattern.