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BASIC STITCH BLOCK

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MATERIALS



Medium-weight acrylic yarn

Hook size: I/9/5.5mm or size necessary to obtain gauge

FINISHED SIZE:



7" by 9" (18 by 23 cm)
Yarn Needle

GAUGE



13 stitches = 4 inch (10 cm)
Be sure to check your gauge.



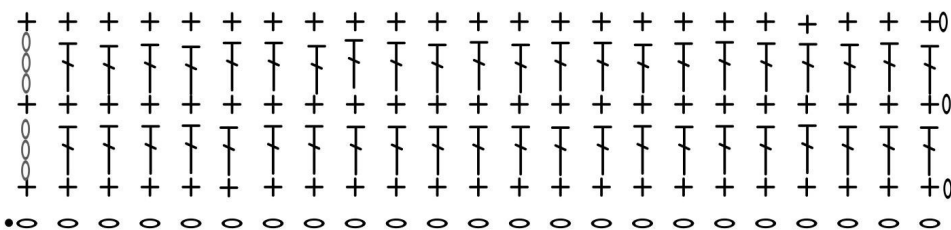
Chain 24

Row 1: Single crochet in the second chain from the hook, single crochet in each chain across, turn. -23sc

Row 2: Chain 3, double crochet in the next stitch, double crochet in each stitch across, turn.

Row 3: Chain 1, single crochet in same stitch, single crochet in each stitch across, turn.

**Repeat Rows 2 & 3 until piece measure 9".
Fasten off.**



This project can also support the charity Warm Up America. <https://warmupamerica.org/>

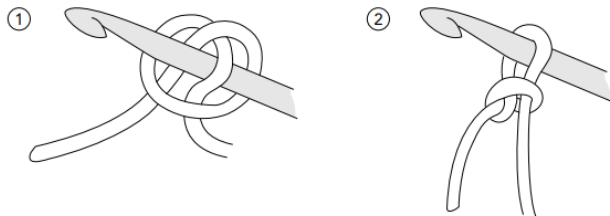
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SKILLS NEEDED FOR THIS PROJECT:

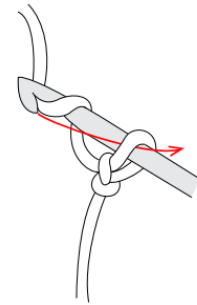
SLIP KNOT:

Create pretzel shape with yarn end. Insert hook from right to left under internal bar leading to yarn ball (**Figure 1**), pull up loop on hook and tighten knot (**Figure 2**).



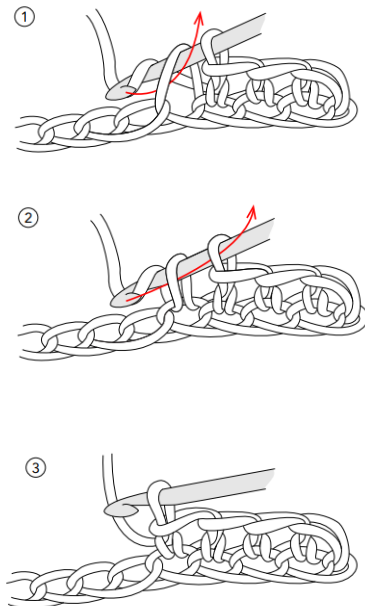
CHAIN:

Yarn over, draw loop through loop on hook.



SINGLE CROCHET:

Insert hook in stitch or chain, yarn over, pull up a loop (**Figure 1**), yarn over and draw through both loops on hook (**Figure 2**). Completed stitch (**Figure 3**).



DOUBLE CROCHET:

Yarn over, insert hook in stitch or chain (**Figure 1**), yarn over, pull up a loop (**Figure 2**), yarn over, draw through 2 loops (**Figure 3**); rep from " once (**Figure 4**). Completed stitch (**Figure 5**).

