Double Diamond Mesh crochet stitch

Welcome to the Double Diamond Mesh crochet stitch! If you're looking to add a touch of elegance and intricacy to your projects, you're in the right place. This lacy and beautiful stitch does require a bit of concentration, but trust me, the effort is absolutely worth it. Imagine the stunning scarves or the eye-catching accents on sweaters you can create with this stitch!

In addition to the written directions below, there's also a step-by-step video tutorial on my YouTube channel to help you along the way. The Double Diamond Mesh stitch is worked in multiples of six over a four-row repeat.



Skill level: Intermediate

Terms and abbreviations used (Written in US terminology)

Beg: Beginning Ch (s): Chain (s)

Ea: Each

Hdc: Half double crochet

Rem: Remain
Rep: Repeat
RS: Right side

Sc: Single crochet

Sk: Skip

Sk (): Skip the stitches that are indicated in the ()

WS: Wrong side

*: Symbol that indicates the repeat section of the stitch pattern

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Notes:

- If the lace seems tight, try going up a hook size or two
- Blocking is recommended to allow the lace to open up

Directions for Double Diamond Mesh crochet stitch

Chain in multiples of 6

Row 1 (RS): Ch 4, 1 sc in 6th ch from hook, *1 sc in ea of next 2 chs, ch 5, sk 3 chs, 1 sc; rep * across until 4 chs rem, 1 sc in ea of next 2 chs, ch 2, 1 hdc in last ch, turn

Row 2 (WS): Ch 1, 1 sc in top of hdc, ch 3, sk (2 chs and 1 sc), 1 sc in second sc, *ch 3, sk (1 sc and 2 chs), 1 sc in third ch of ch-5, ch 3, sk (2 chs and 1 sc), 1 sc in second sc; rep * until 1 sc and beg ch-5 rem, ch 3, 1 sc in third ch of beg ch-5, turn

Row 3: Ch 1, 1 sc in first sc, 1 sc in next ch, ch 5, *sk (2 ch, sc, 2 ch), 1 sc in next ch, 1 sc in next sc, 1 sc in next ch, ch 5; rep * across until 1 ch and 1 sc rem, work 1 sc in last ch before sc, 1 sc in last sc, turn

Row 4: Ch 1, 1 sc in first sc, *ch 3, sk (1 sc and 2 chs), 1 sc in third ch of ch-5, ch 3, sk (2 ch and 1 sc), 1 sc in middle of 3 sc; rep * across ending with sc in final sc (instead of middle of 3 sc), turn

Row 5: Ch 4, sk 2 chs on previous row, 1 sc in next ch, 1 sc in next sc, 1 sc in next ch, *ch 5, sk (2 ch, 1 sc, 2 ch), 1 sc in next ch, 1 sc in next sc, 1 sc in next ch; rep * across until only 2 chs and final sc rem, ch 2, sk 2 chs, 1 hdc in final sc, turn

Row 6: Ch 1, 1 sc in top of hdc, ch 3, sk (2 ch and 1 sc), 1 sc in next sc, *ch 3, sk (1 sc and 2 ch), 1 sc in third ch of ch-5, ch 3, sk (2 ch and 1 sc), 1 sc in next sc; rep * until 1 sc and beg ch-4 rem, ch 3, sk (1 sc, 2 ch), 1 sc in second ch of beg ch-4, turn

Rep rows 3 - 6 to desired length