



Arcade Stitch (Crochet)

with YouTube Help Video

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The crochet arcade stitch, sometimes called the arch stitch, is a lovely vintage stitch. It has been around longer than most of us! It works great for blankets, scarves, shawls, bags, tunics, skirts, and more. Check out the how-to video on the Naztazia YouTube channel here: <https://youtube.com/naztazia> And feel free to Pin photos or check out other info at: <https://naztazia.com>

Terminology:

CH = Chain	DC = Double Crochet	HDC = Half Double Crochet
RPT = Repeat	SC = Single Crochet	SLST = Slip Stitch
ST = Stitch		

Instructions:

Watch the YouTube tutorial video here: <https://youtube.com/naztazia> Look for “Crochet Arcade Stitch.”

CH 32, or any multiple of 5+2.

ROW 1: SC in 2nd CH from hook. SC in next CH. RPT [CH 3, skip 2 CHs, 1 SC in next 3 CHs] across, ending with 1 SC in last 2 CHs. CH 1, turn.

ROW 2: SC in first SC. RPT [5 DC into CH-3 space, skip 1 SC, SC into next ST] across. CH 3, turn.

ROW 3: Skip first 2 STs, 1 SC in next 3 STs. RPT [CH 3, skip 3, 1 SC in next 3 STs] across until last 2 STs. CH 1, 1 HDC in last ST. CH 3, turn.

ROW 4: 2 DC in space. Skip 1 ST. 1 SC in next ST. RPT [5 DC in CH-3 space, skip 1, SC in next ST] until last space. 3 DC in last space. CH 1, turn.

ROW 5: 1 SC in first 2 STs. RPT [CH 3, skip 3, 1 SC in next 3 STs] across, ending with 2 SC (with the 2nd one placed on top of turning CH). CH 1, turn.

Repeat rows 2-5 until desired height.

