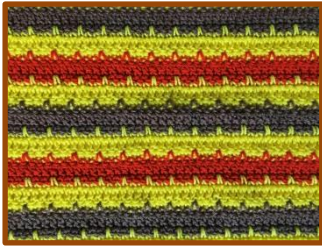


Fang Stitch



This is a fun and easy stitch. I liked it because it can be mixed into really any pattern. You can add lots of “fangs” or just put a few here and there. The sample I created is somewhere in-between! I used three colors of yarn for the sample. At least two colors are required so that you can clearly see the fangs.

Getting Started! I suggest using 4-ply yarn and a “K” sized hook for best results. I do think thick yarn would work fine and even doubling up and using two strands would work.

To begin - CH 48.

Row 1 – SC in second CH from the hook and in each CH across to the end. Change to a new color yarn. CH1, turn.

Row 2 – SC in the first 2 stitches, * SC at **BASE** (not the top of the stitch, as usual) of next stitch (this creates the “fang”), SC in next 2 stitches, repeat from * across to the end (except put a SC into the last 3 stitches), CH 1, turn.

Row 3 – CH 2, DC in each stitch across.

Row 4 – CH 1, turn, SC in each stitch across to the end. Change to new color yarn.

Row 5+ - Repeat rows 2 to 4 until you reach the size blanket you want. You’ll be changing yarn color every time you start a new repeat.

Border – For the border, I went back to the first color I used, and added a row of SC around the other 3 sides. I then continued, putting a couple rows of HDC all around the perimeter. As always, be sure to put 3 stitches into each corner of any border stitch you use.

Key:

CH – chain

DC – double crochet

HDC - half double crochet

SC – single crochet



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