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ALL ABOUT CIRCLES.



Skills Level: Beginner

Abbreviations and Symbols: (US terms)

Ch – Chain **SC** – Singe Crochet Stitch

Sl St – Slip Stitch HDC – Half Double Crochet Stitch

DC - Double Crochet Stitch

Materials and tools needed:

Any yarn and the hook, the size recommended for the yarn

We use the circles every time to create beautiful things – Flowers, Coasters. Doilies, and so much more.

But how to make the circle perfectly flat and round?



There are rules for circles for every stitch and here we will make circles with SC, HDC and DC stitches.

THE BEGINNING of every circular project is a ring. You can make a Magic Loop, or you can make a Chain of 3 and join in a ring with a Sl St:



Ch 3, Sl St

THE CIRCLES WITH SC:

6 stitches rule:

Make 6 stitches in the Row 1 and every row add 6 SC stitches, spacing them evenly

Row 1: Ch 1, SC 6, Sl St ***Total = 6 stitches

Row 2: Ch 1, SC INC x6, Sl St ***Total = 12 stitches (6 + 6)

Row 3: Ch 1, [SC, SC INC] x 6, Sl St ***Total = 18 stitches (12 +6)

Row 4: Ch 1, [SC 2, SC INC] x 6, Sl St ***Total = 24 stitches (18 + 6)

...and so on – make the circle as big as you need, adding 6 more SC stitches every row – it will be perfectly flat and round \bigcirc





THE CIRCLES WITH HDC:

9 stitches rule:

Make 9 stitches in the Row 1 and every row add 9 HDC stitches, spacing them evenly

Row 1: Ch 2, HDC 9, Sl St ***Total = 9 stitches

Row 2: Ch 2, HDC INC x9, Sl St ***Total = 18 stitches (9+9)

Row 3: Ch 2, [HDC, HDC INC] x 9, Sl St ***Total = 27 stitches (18 + 9)

Row 4: Ch 2, [HDC 2, HDC INC] x 9, Sl St ***Total = 36 stitches (27 + 9)





THE CIRCLES WITH DC:

12 stitches rule:

Make 12 stitches in the Row 1 and every row add 12 DC stitches, spacing them evenly

Row 1: Ch 2, DC 12, Sl St ***Total = 12 stitches

Row 2: Ch 2, DC INC x 12, Sl St ***Total = 24 stitches (12 + 12)

Row 3: Ch 2, [DC, DC INC] x 12, Sl St ***Total = 36 stitches (24 + 12)

Row 4: Ch 2, [DC 2, DC INC] x 12, Sl St ***Total = 48 stitches (36 + 12)



