

Crochet Feathers



Here are the instructions with a clearer format

MATERIAL REQUIRED

- Any yarn suitable for crocheting with a 3 mm hook.
- 2 mm crochet hook.
- Yarn needle.
- Scissors.



STITCH ABBREVIATIONS:

- SC Single Chain
- HDC Half Double Crochet
- **DC Double Crochet**
- **TC Treble Crochet**
- SL Slip Stitch
- Ch Chain
- **Fpdtr Front Post Double Treble Crochet**
- **Dc3tog Double Crochet 3 Together**



STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS

Foundation Chain and Calamus: Ch 7, then chain an additional 6 to start the calamus section. Next, chain 1 and slip stitch into the next 6 chains. Finish this segment by chaining 7.

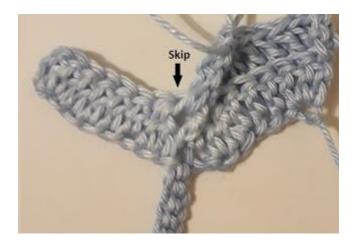
Row 1: Begin by chaining 3 (this counts as the first dc), then work 2 double crochets in the same stitch. Follow this with 3 double crochets in each of the next 3 chains. Now, perform 1 double crochet 3 together (dc3tog), followed by 1 treble crochet on the calamus, and another dc3tog. Continue by working 3 double crochets in each of the next 3 chains, and finish with 3 double crochets in the last chain.



In the subsequent rows, all double crochets (dc) will be executed exclusively in the back loop.

Row 2: Ch 3, which counts as the first dc, then work 2 dc in the same stitch. Proceed by crocheting 3 dc in each of the next 3 dc stitches, followed by a dc3tog (three dc stitches worked together), and 1 front post treble crochet (fptr). Skip the treble chain from the previous row, work another dc3tog, continue with 3 dc in the next 3 dc stitches, and finally, complete the row with 3 dc in the last dc stitch.





Row 3: Ch 3 (which counts as the initial double crochet), then work 2 double crochets into the same stitch. Follow this with 3 double crochets in each of the next 3 double crochets, perform a double crochet three stitches together (dc3tog), and execute a front post double treble crochet (fpdtr) by using the treble crochet from the two previous rows. Skip the treble chain from the previous row, work another dc3tog, continue with 3 double crochets in each of the next 3 double crochets, and finish with 3 double crochets in the last double crochet.



Row 4 - 8 (or 10, depending on your desired feather size): Replicate the Row 3.





Reducing Rows:

Row 1: Ch 3 (which counts as your first double crochet), then work 1 double crochet in the same stitch. Follow this with 3 double crochets in the next 3 stitches, 1 double crochet 3 together (dc3tog), 1 front post double treble crochet (fpdtr) using the treble from the 2 previous rows, skip the treble chain from the previous row, 1 dc3tog, 3 double crochets in the next 3 stitches, and finally, 2 double crochets in the last stitch.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counting as your first double crochet), then work 1 double crochet in the same stitch. Continue with 2 double crochets in the next 2 stitches, 1 dc3tog, 1 fpdtr using the treble from the 2 previous rows, skip the treble chain from the previous row, 1 dc3tog, 2 double crochets in the next 2 stitches, and finish with 2 double crochets in the last stitch.

Row 3: Chain 3 (counting as your first double crochet), work 1 double crochet in the same stitch, 1 double crochet in the next stitch, 1 dc3tog, 1 fpdtr using the treble from the 2 previous rows, skip the treble chain from the previous row, 1 dc3tog, 1 double crochet in the next stitch, and end with 2 double crochets in the last stitch.

Row 4: Chain 3 (counting as your first double crochet), work 1 dc3tog, 1 fpdtr using the treble from the 2 previous rows, skip the treble chain from the previous row, 1 dc3tog, and complete with 2 double crochets in the last stitch.



Row 5: Chain 3 (counting as your first double crochet), work 1 double crochet 2 together (dc2tog), 1 fpdtr using the treble from the 2 previous rows, skip the treble chain from the previous row, and finish with 1 dc2tog, 1 double crochet in the last stitch.

Row 6 (all stitches will be finished together): Chain 2 (counting as your first unfinished double crochet), work 1 dc2tog, 1 fpdtr using the treble from the 2 previous rows, skip the treble chain from the previous row, 1 dc2tog. At this point, you should have 5 loops on your hook. Chain 1, fasten off, and weave in all ends.



The completed feather measures 17cm in length and 5cm in width.