

Tunisian Simple Stitch

Tunisian Simple Stitch (Tss)

FOUNDATION ROW

Forward Pass:

To pick up a stitch, insert the hook in the second chain from the hook (using the bump on the back), yarn over (wrap the yarn in a counterclockwise direction), then draw the yarn through the chain.



When written in our pattern, it will be notated as follows:

*keeping all loops on hook, insert hook in next ch, yo and draw up a loop, repeat from * across. Do not turn.

Basic Return Pass:

Yarn over and pull through the first loop on the hook (this is exactly the same as making a chain-1). Yarn over again and draw the yarn through two loops on the hook—one of them on the hook and the next one on the shaft. For the remainder of the return pass, you will be making a yarnover and drawing through two loops. This eliminates one loop at a time, so that by the end of the return pass, you have one loop left on the hook. This is the way you will be working the return pass most often in Tunisian crochet, and we call it the basic return pass.



When written in our pattern, it will be notated as follows:

Rtn Pass: Yo, draw through 1 lp, *yo, draw through 2 lps; rep from * to end."

SQUARE PATTERN: repeat Tss until square measures 9" length by width.

Last Row: Skip first vertical bar, sl st in each vertical bar across.

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Tunisian Knit Stitch

Tunisian Knit Stitch (Tks)

FOUNDATION ROW

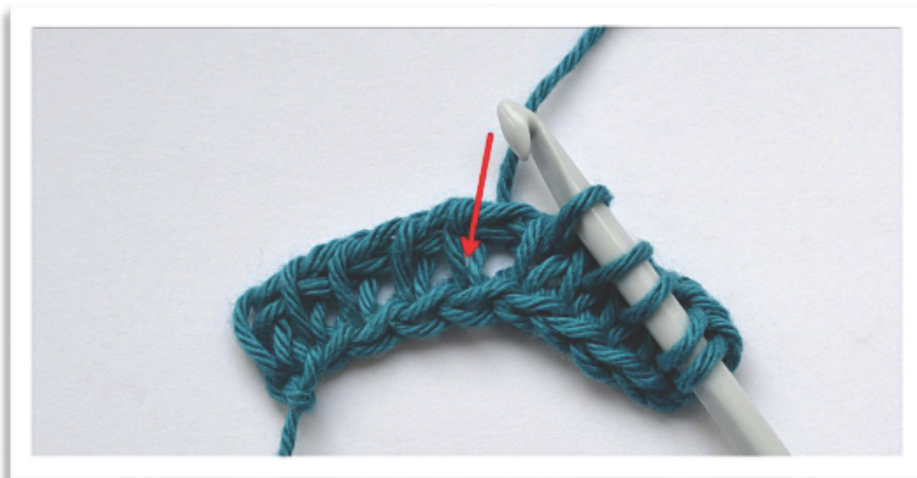
Work foundation row using Tss st.

In this square the hook is inserted all the way through the fabric, from front to back.

Row 1

Forward Pass: sk 1st vertical bar of previous row, * keeping all loops on hook, insert hook from right to left under next vertical bar and through the fabric, (all the way to the wrong side), yo and draw up a loop, rep * across. Do not turn.

Return Pass: basic return pass.



SQUARE PATTERN: repeat tks until square measures 9" length by width.

Last Row: Skip first vertical bar, sl st in each vertical bar across.



Tunisian Purl Stitch

Tunisian Purl Stitch (tps)

FOUNDATION ROW

Work foundation row using Tss st.

Row 1

Forward Pass: sk 1st vertical bar of previous row, * keeping all loops on hook, bring the yarn in front of your work and insert the hook from right to left behind the front vertical bar of the next stitch, yo and draw up a loop, rep * across. Do not turn.

Return Pass: basic return pass

SQUARE PATTERN: repeat tks until square measures 9" length by width.

Last Row: Skip first vertical bar, sl st in each vertical bar across.

