

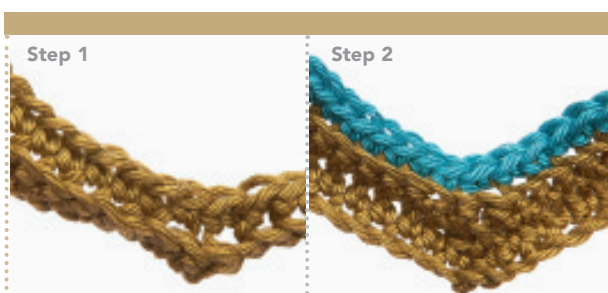
## 180 Ribbed Chevron

Ribbed Chevron is a sharply defined stitch, producing a tightly constructed fabric. It grows quite slowly, but clever use of color and the resulting texture make it very worthwhile. Extra interest can be achieved by working in more than two colors, and this stitch is suited to a variety of yarn types.



## 181 Raised Chevron

Raised Chevron is a more complex stitch than the examples we have seen so far in this section, because it uses the technique of working around the post of a previous stitch. This results in a sturdier, more textured version of the now familiar chevron patterning. The stitches that are raised to the front tend to dominate those that are raised to the back.



Step 1

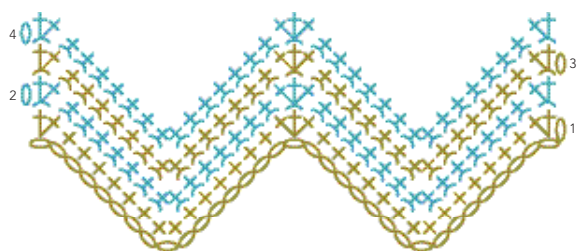
Step 2

**Multiple** 16 sts + 2.

**Step 1** (RS) 2sc in 2nd ch from hook, \*1sc in each of next 7ch, skip next ch, 1sc in next 7ch, 3sc in next ch; rep from \* ending last rep with 2sc in last ch, turn.

**Step 2** Ch1, 2sc in back loop of first sc, 1sc in back loop of each of next 7sc, **skip next 2 sc**, 1sc in back loop of each of next 7sc, 3sc in back loop of next sc; rep from \* ending last rep with 2sc in back loop of last sc, turn.

**Step 3** Repeat Step 2.



Step 2

Step 2 (cont.)

**Multiple** 16 sts + 1, plus 2 for the foundation chain.

**Step 1** (RS) Skip 3ch, dc2tog over next 2ch (counts as dc3tog), \*1dc in each of next 5ch, [2dc, ch1, 2dc] in next ch, 1dc in each of next 5ch\*\*, dc5tog over next 5ch; rep from \* ending last rep at \*\*, dc3tog over last 3ch, turn.

**Step 2** Ch3, skip first st, Brdc2tog over next 2 sts (all counts as Brdc3tog), \*1Frdc around each of next 5 sts, [2dc, ch1, 2dc] in next ch sp, 1Frdc around each of next 5 sts\*\*, Brdc5tog over next 5 sts; rep from \* ending last rep at \*\*, Brdc3tog over last 3 sts, turn.

**Step 3** Ch3, skip first st, Frdc2tog over next 2dc (counts as Frdc3tog), \*1Brdc around next 5dc, [2dc, ch1, 2dc] in next ch sp, 1Brdc around each of next 5dc\*\*, Frdc5tog over next 5dc; rep from \* ending last rep at \*\*, Frdc3tog over last 3dc, turn.

**Step 4** Repeat Steps 2 and 3.

**Special stitch** Frdc (front raised double crochet): see page 118.

**Special stitch** Brdc (back raised double crochet): see page 118.

