

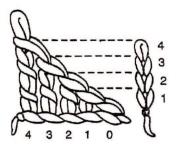
## **TURNING CHAIN**

To maintain the height of various crochet stitches and a straight edge on your crochet project, one or more chain stitches are worked at the end of every row of crochet.

For single crochet, you **chain one** at the end of the row; for half double, **chain 2**; for double crochet, **chain 3**; and for treble, you **chain 4**.

## **Chart for Turning Chains**

Type of Stitch in Next Row	Turning Chain Before Beginning Next Row:	Insert hook At Beginning of Next Row:
Single Crochet-sc	CH 1	In 1st Stitch
Half-Double Crochet-hdc	CH 2	In 1st Stitch
Double Crochet-dc	CH 3	In 2nd Stitch
Triple Crochet-tr	CH 4	In 2nd Stitch



- 4-Triple Crochet
- 3-Double Crochet
- 2-Half-Double Crochet
- 1-Single Crochet
- 0-Slip Stitch



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