

**Beginning Filet Crochet Class Homework**  
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Make back of coaster as follows:

With size 7 (1.65mm) steel crochet hook and red size 10 crochet thread, ch 37.

**Row 1:** Dc in 5<sup>th</sup> ch from hook (skipped chs count as first dc), dc in each remaining ch across: 34 dc.

**Row 2:** Ch 3 (counts as dc now and throughout), turn; skip first dc, dc in next dc and in each dc across, dc in first skipped ch: 34 dc.

**Rows 3-13:** Ch 3, turn; skip first dc, dc in next dc and in each dc across, dc in 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beginning ch-3: 34 dc. At end of Row 13, fasten off.

**Note:** Back should measure approx 3 1/2 - 4" square. If your dc are short and your piece is not as tall as it should be, you may substitute edc (extended dc) for the dc in each row. To make an edc, YO, insert hook in specified st or sp and draw up a lp, YO and draw through 1 lp on hook, [YO and draw through 2 lps on hook] 2 times.