

Daisy Farm Crafts

Crochet Berry Chevron Baby Blanket



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MATERIALS

Bernat Softee Baby (100% acrylic, 140 / 5 oz, 331 m/362 yds)

3 skeins White, 2 skeins Soft Peach

Size G/4.00mm hook, tapestry needle, scissors

SIZE

Finished size 30 in x 38 in

STITCHES

Single Crochet (SC): Insert your hook, yarn over (YO) and pull up a loop, YO and pull through two loops on hook.

Single Crochet 2 Together (SC2TOG): Insert your hook into the first stitch, YO, pull up a loop, insert your hook into the next stitch, YO, pull up a loop, YO and pull through all loops on your hook.

Berry Stitch: YO, insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through first loop on the hook, YO, insert your hook into the same space, YO and pull up a loop, YO, pull through all five loops on hook.

PATTERN

Chain 177 in White. (If you'd like to make the blanket bigger or smaller, the pattern repeat is 29+3, so multiply the number of peaks you want by 29, then add 3.)

Row 1: In the second chain from the hook and the next chain, SC2TOG. *Work 1 SC in each of the next 13 chains, work 3 SC into the next chain, 1 SC in each of the next 13 chains, skip 2 chains. Repeat from *. After you have worked the last 13 chains, you should have two extra. SC2TOG these last two stitches. Chain 1 and turn.

Rows 2 - 3: Repeat row 1. When you reach the end of row 3, pull through with Soft Peach on your last SC2TOG.

Row 4 (Berry Row): In the first stitch from the hook and the next, SC2TOG. *Then work a berry stitch followed by a SC. Repeat from * for the rest of the row, continuing the chevron pattern, but alternating the berry stitch with SC. When you reach the top of your peak where you would normally put 3 SC, work SC, Berry, SC all in one stitch to form the peak. Then continue the pattern of alternating the berry stitch and SC.

The only time where you won't put a SC in between the berries is the bottom of the valleys where you skip two stitches - I counted the skipped stitches as my SC in between the berries, so you'll work a berry stitch, skip two stitches, then crochet another berry. Then you'll resume alternating the berry stitch with SC.

Basically, you are working this row exactly the same as rows 2 and 3, but you are substituting every other SC for a berry stitch (except in the valleys where you have two berries next to each other).

When you reach the end of the row, SC2TOG and pull through with White.

Repeat rows 1 - 4 until you reach your desired length.

NOTES

A few things to always remember that helped me keep things straight as I was working this blanket:

-Always SC2TOG at the beginning and end of every row

-Always chain 1 at the end of every row

