

Daisy Farm Crafts

Crochet Polka Dot Heart Doll Blanket



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MATERIALS

Bernat Baby Blanket Tiny (100% polyester, 100 g/3.5 oz., 288 m/316 yds)

2 skeins White, 1 skein Pink

Size H/5.00mm hook, scissors, tapestry hook

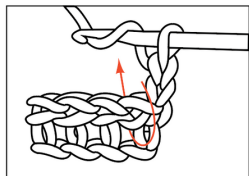
SIZE

Finished size 24 in x 24 in

STITCHES

Half Double Crochet (HDC): YO, insert hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO, pull through all three loops.

Wide Half Double Crochet (WHDC): YO, insert your hook between stitch posts, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through three loops on hook.



Double Crochet 5 Together (DC5TOG) Bobble: YO insert your hook into the designated space, YO and pull back through. YO and pull through 2 loops on hook. *YO, insert your hook again into the same designated space, YO and pull back through. YO and pull through 2 loops on hook. Repeat the instructions from the * 3 more times. Then, YO and pull through all loops on your hook, there should be 6.

PATTERN

Chain 103.

Row 1: Starting in the 3rd chain from the hook, work 1 HDC. Continue working 1 HDC in each chain space. CH 2 and turn. (101 HDC)

Rows 2 - 20: Work 1 WHDC in each space across the row. Be sure not to miss the last space between the last stitch and turning chain. CH 2 and turn.

Row 21: Pull through on the last step of the 50th WHDC with Pink. Work stitch number 51 with Pink, pulling the white back through on the last step of the stitch. Work the rest of the row with white. (Do not cut the pink, you'll pick it back up on the next row.)

Rows 22 - 49: Going forward each row will increase with pink stitches by one. Pull through with pink one stitch sooner so you can work a WHDC on either side of the stitch in the row below. I carried the white yarn through the rows so I could switch and use it on the other side of the heart. But, if you do not like that look, feel free to cut the yarn and work with two balls going forward, one on each side of the heart. Place DC5TOG Bobbles wherever you like to make scattered polka dots in the middle of the heart.

Row 50: This is the row where you will find the center of the pink stitches, and switch to one white.

Row 51: Increase the middle of the heart with 2 white stitches. (I am carrying the pink through the white stitches.)

Row 52: Increase the middle of the heart with 3 white stitches.

Row 53: Work an extra white stitch when you get to the edge of the pink to start shaping the round part of the heart, then work 4 white in between the two sides, and then eliminate a pink stitch on the other side, replacing with white.

Row 54: Decrease again by one with pink on either side of the heart, and add one white in the middle.

Rows 55 - 56: Continue decreasing a pink on the sides by one and adding one white in the middle.

Row 57 and the next 20 rows: Work all white.

BORDER

Do not tie off. CH 1. Work down the side of the blanket working one HDC per row. Work 3 HDC in the corner. Work WHDC along the base chain row. Work 3 HDC in the corner. Work up the other side one HDC per row. (No need to work across the last row of HDC.) Work 2 HDC and switch to pink yarn by pulling through on the last step of the stitch.

Continue in the same direction. *CH 3. Work DC5TOG Bobble in the first of the chain spaces. Slip Stitch into the next 3 spaces. Repeat from * around the entire edge of the blanket. Slip stitch to join and tie off.

Weave in all ends.

xo, Tiffany