

Daisy Farm Crafts

Yellow Crochet Gingham



Pattern by Tiffany Brown

MATERIALS

Caron Simply Soft (100% acrylic, 170 g/6 oz, 288 m/315 yds)

3 skeins each White, Baby Sunshine and Lemonade

Size I/5.5mm hook, tapestry needle, scissors

Optional Link to YouTube Video Tutorial: <https://youtu.be/u3Rx7HeANbY>

SIZE

Finished size 34 in x 34 in

STITCHES

Herringbone Half Double Crochet (HHDC): Yarn over (YO), insert your hook, YO, pull up a loop and pull directly through the first loop on your hook. Then YO and pull through the remaining two loops.

Double Crochet (DC): YO, insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through two loops, YO and pull through remaining two loops.

PATTERN

With Lemonade, **chain 106**. (Pattern repeat is 8 plus 2. Chain any odd number by the number 8 and then add 2.)

Row 1: Work 1 HHDC in the 3rd chain from the hook. Work 1 HHDC into each of the next 7 chains for a total of 8 HHDC. Before finishing the last step of the 8th HHDC, pull through with Baby Sunshine. Work 1 HHDC into each of the next 8 chains, working over the Lemonade yarn and carrying it along with you. Before you finish the 8th stitch, pull the Lemonade through. Work the next 8 stitches with Lemonade, and carry the Baby Sunshine along the row with you. Continue alternating every 8 stitches. Chain 2 and turn when you get to the end of the row.

Rows 2 - 6: Continue working in the same manner as ROW 1. Always chain 2 and turn and carry the yarn around the side of the work and continue working over it.

Rows 7 - 12: ON the last step of the HHDC stitch of row 6, pull through with Baby Sunshine and cut Lemonade. Work the first 8 stitches with Baby Sunshine and introduce White on stitch 8 as before. Work the next 8 stitches with White and alternate every 8 stitches as in ROW 1. Cut White after row 12.

Rows 13 to the end until you have 13 blocks of color high: Continue switching colors every 6 rows and work as explained in rows 2 through 12.

BORDER

(This border is worked slightly different than the one shown on Yarnspirations.com and in the YouTube tutorial.)

Round 1: Before starting the border, weave in all the ends. In any corner, pull up a loop with White. Chain 2. Work 2 DC into the corner. Work 1 DC in each stitch around, working 3 DC into each corner. Work 8 DC per 6 rows of color on the sides of the blanket or as evenly spaced as possible. Work 1 DC in starting corner, slip stitch to the first DC, CH 2 and turn.

Rounds 2 - 4: HHDC in each stitch around, working three into each corner. Do not join when finishing a round and do not turn. Slip stitch to the first stitch of round 4 and tie off, weave in the end.

xo, Tiffany