Daisy Farm Crafts

Crochet Woodland Heather Baby Blanket



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MATERIALS

Caron Simply Soft (100% acrylic, 170 g/6 oz, 288 m/315 yds Caron Simply Soft Heathers (100% acrylic, 141.7 g/5 oz, 228 m/250 yds) 3 skeins White, 2 skeins Woodland Heather, 1 skein Black Size H/5.00mm hook, tapestry needle, scissors Optional Link to YouTube Video Tutorial: https://youtu.be/Kis3DqDSbmg

SIZE

Finished size 30 in x 44 in

STITCHES

Herringbone Double Crochet (DC): (Yarn over) YO, insert your hook, YO, pull up a loop and pull directly through first loop on hook, YO and pull through one loop, YO and pull through 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.

Front and Back Post Double Crochet (FPDC & BPDC): A front post DC means you insert your hook from front to back around the post of the next DC and work your DC. A back post DC means you insert your hook from the back to the front and work a DC.

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

PATTERN

Chain 95 (or any number) with White.

Row 1: Starting in the 3rd chain from the hook, work 1 Herringbone DC in each chain. CH 2 and turn. (93)

Row 2: I counted the chain 2 as my first stitch, so I started crocheting into the second space of the row below. (Or if that's confusing, another way to say it is that I went into the 4th chain from the hook). Work 1 Herringbone DC in each stitch across the row. CH 2 and turn.

Repeat row 2 for the remainder of the blanket with the following color changes: *3 rows White, 1 row Black, 3 rows White, 1 row Black, 3 rows Woodland Heather. Repeat from * three times, and then repeat black and white rows to match the other end of the blanket.

When you finish the blanket, weave in all your ends with a tapestry needle.

BORDER

Round 1: Pull up a loop in any corner with White and chain 3. DC around the entire blanket, work 3 DCs into each corner stitch.

Round 2: When you reach the corner you started with, work 3 DCs into that corner, then go around the blanket again, this time alternating front and back post double crochet. When you get to the corners of this row, you will want to continue the pattern of alternating front and back post double crochet, but you will work three stitches around the corner post.

Rounds 3 - 5: When you finish row 2, work 3 alternating front post/back post DCs into the corner you started with and repeat row 2 three more times around the blanket, until you have five rows total, always making sure your post DCs are popping out in the same direction as the previous row.

Round 6: When I finished my fifth row, I worked one round of SC around the entire blanket to even out the tops of the stitches. I worked 3 SCs into the top of each corner stitch and when I reached the corner I started with, I slip stitched into the first stitch and tied off.