

# Daisy Farm Crafts

Crochet Gray Plaid Baby Blanket



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## MATERIALS

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

3 skeins in Gray Marl (medium shade), 2 skeins in Flannel (dark shade), 2 skeins in White

Size H/5.0mm hook, Tapestry needle, Scissors

Graph (see below)

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

## SIZE

Finished size 28 in x 30 in

Gauge: 4 inches = 14 st and 11 rows of HHDC

## STITCHES

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

## PATTERN

With Gray Marl, chain 105.

**Row 1:** Following the graph starting in the bottom right-hand corner working right to left, HHDC into the second chain from the hook and into each of the next 3 chains. Change to White to work the next 4 stitches.

*How to change color: on the last step of the stitch, pull through with the new color, work the next stitches in the new color while bringing the other color along the row and crocheting over it. To keep the yarn colors from twisting, keep one to the front of the work and one to the back when switching colors.*

Continue along the row following the chart for the remaining color changes. (Repeat stitches 45 to 64, 2 times to finish to the end of the row.) Always CH 1 and turn, now and throughout the entire blanket.

**Row 2:** Carry the White around the end of the row to crochet over it. Read the graph from left to right.

**Rows 3 and 4:** continue following the graph.

**Row 5:** Cut the White, but not the Gray Marl. The Gray Marl will be used throughout the entire blanket. Add in the Flannel on the last step of the stitch in row 4.

Repeat the graph for 76 rows. Tie off and weave in the ends.

## BORDER

**Round 1:** Pull up a loop in any corner with white, CH 2. Work 2 HHDC into the same space. Skip 2 stitches, work 3 HHDC into the next stitch. Repeat across the top. Work 3 HHDC into the corners. For the sides of the blanket, work 3 HHDC per 2 rows. Join with a slip stitch to first stitch, CH 2, don't turn.

**Rounds 2 and 3:** work 1 HHDC into each stitch and 3 HHDC into the middle corner stitch. Slip stitch to the first stitch, CH 2, don't turn. Tie off at the end of round 3, weave in the ends.

xo, Tiffany

