

Daisy Farm Crafts

Crochet Baby Adventure Sweater



Pattern by Tiffany Brown

MATERIALS

Red Heart Super Saver (100% acrylic, 198 g/7 oz, 333 meters/364 yards, 4 weight, worsted)

2 skeins Aran, 1 skein each Paddy Green, Cherry Red, Saffron and Black

Size H/5.00mm hook, tapestry needle, scissors

4 elongated 1.5 inch buttons

Tape measure, stitch markers

Optional Link to YouTube Video Tutorial: <https://youtu.be/8dHptfcoNxE>

SIZE

12 months to about size 4T

Gauge taken from sweater: 2 inches = 5 rows and 6 Herringbone Half Double Crochet

STITCHES

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.

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

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

PATTERN

With Aran, **chain 44.**

Row 1: Begin in the 3rd chain from the hook with 1 HHDC. HHDC in each chain across the row, CH 1 and turn. (42)

Mark the 8th, 13th, 29th, and 34th stitches

Row 2: Work 1 HHDC in each st to the marked st. In each marked st, work "HHDC, CH 2, HHDC." CH 1 and turn at the end of the row.

Row 3: Work 1 HHDC in each st to the ch 2 space. In each ch 2 space work "HHDC, CH 2, HHDC." CH 1 and turn at the end of the row.

Repeat row 3 until size needed. 12 month: 9 rows, 18 month, 11 rows, 24 month-2 Toddler, 13 rows, 3 to 4 Toddler 15 rows. CH 1 and turn after each row.

Joining for armholes: (This will be either row 10, 12, 14, or 16 depending on size.) *Work HHDC in each st to the ch 2 space, work 1 HHDC into the chain 2 space, chain 2, skip over all stitches to the next ch 2 space, work 1 HHDC into the chain 2 sp. Repeat from * to make the next armhole. Work HHDC in each st to the end of the row, CH 1 and turn.

Row 11, 13, 15 or 17: Work 1 HHDC in each st and work 2 HHDC around the ch 2 space that makes the armhole. CH 1 and turn.

Row 12, 14, 16, or 18: Work 1 HHDC in each st, Pull through with Paddy Green in last step of last st. CH 1 and turn. (Don't cut aran)

Body of sweater: Work 2 rows in green, 2 rows in aran, 2 rows in red, 2 rows in aran, 2 rows in saffron, 2 rows aran, 2 rows black, 1 row in aran. Always ch 1 and turn, cutting the color after each use and pulling aran up along the edge of the row when needed. CH 2 and turn after finishing the last row of aran to begin the bottom edge ribbing.

Bottom edge ribbing: Work 1 DC into each stitch across the bottom of sweater. CH 2 and turn. *Work 1 FPDC around next DC. Work BPDC around next DC. Repeat from * across the row. Work 1 DC around the turning chain, CH 2 and turn.

Repeat ribbing for 3 to 5 rows to your preference. For the smaller size, I preferred 3 rows, larger, 5 rows. Tie off.

Sleeves Round 1: Pull up a loop with Aran, in between the 2 sts in the ch 2 space of the armhole. CH 1 and HHDC in that same sp. Work Herringbone 2 together (HHDC2tog) around the side (post) of next stitch and into ch 2 space. HHDC into each stitch around. HHDC2tog into ch 2 sp and around side (post) of next st. Work 1 HHDC next to starting stitch, join with a slip st to starting st. CH 2 and turn.

Sleeves Round 2: Turning chain counts as first st. Work HHDC into the next st and each st around. When it's time to change color, pull through with color on the sl st, CH 2 and turn. Keep ends to the inside of the sleeve.

Repeat rounds according to color changes in body of sweater.

Wrist: *Work 1 DC into each of the next 4 sts, skip 1 st, repeat from * around. Join with a slip st to first st. CH 2 and turn. Work alternating front and back post DC for 3 to 5 rows depending on width wanted. Tie off.

Hood Row 1: Pull up a loop with aran in neck corner. CH 1 and HHDC into that same sp. Work 1 HHDC in each sp around to the other next corner. CH 1 and turn.

Hood Row 2: Work 1 HHDC in each stitch, CH 1 and turn.

Repeat Row 2 to size needed: 12 month: 18 rows, 18 month: 20 rows, 24 month 2T: 22 rows, 3T-4T: 24 rows.

Front Placket and Hood Ribbing: Pull up a loop in bottom corner. CH 2. Work 2 DC per row of DC, work 3 DC per each 2 rows of HHDC all the way up the side around the hood edge and back to the other bottom corner. CH 2 and turn. Work 3 or 5 rows of alternating front and back post DC as desired. End with 1 round of single crochet in each st if desired.

Tie off and weave in all the ends.

xo, Tiffany

Baby Size Chart

Baby's size	3 months	6 months	12 months	18 months	24 months
Chest (in.)	16	17	18	19	20
(cm.)	40.5	43	45.5	48	50.5
Center Back Neck-to-Cuff	10.5	11.5	12.5	14	18
	26.5	29	31.5	35.5	45.5
Back Waist Length	6	7	7.5	8	8.5
	15.5	17.5	19	20.5	21.5
Cross Back (Shoulder to Shoulder)	7.25	7.75	8.25	8.5	8.75
	18.5	19.5	21	21.5	22
Sleeve Length to Underarm	6	6.5	7.5	8	8.5
	15.5	16.5	19	20.5	21.5
Upper arm	5.5	6	6.5	7	7.5
	14	15.5	16.5	17.5	19
Armhole depth	3.25	3.5	3.75	4	4.25
	8.5	9	9.5	10	10.5
Waist	18	19	20	20.5	21
	45.5	48	50.5	52	53.5
Hips	19	20	20	21	22
	48	50.5	50.5	53.5	56