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CARON FAIR AND SQUARE CROCHET BABY BLANKET | CROCHET



MATERIALS

Caron[®] One Pound™ (16 oz/453.6 g; 812 yds/742 m)	
Contrast A Denim (10623)	1 ball
Contrast B Sunflower (10549)	1 ball
Contrast C Off White (10514)	1 ball

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.

ABBREVIATIONS:

Rnd(s) = Round(s) **Approx** = Approximate(ly) **Beg** = Begin(ning) **RS** = Right side Ch = Chain(s)**Sc** = Single crochet Dc = Double crochet**SI st** = Slip stitch **Rep** = Repeat(ing) Sp = Space(s)

Tog = Together **WS** = Wrong side

CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 40" [101.5 cm] square.

GAUGE:

12 dc and 6 rows = 4'' [10 cm].Motif = Approx 8" [20 cm] square.

INSTRUCTIONS MOTIF

Make 9 with C as Color 1 and A as Color 2. Make 8 with B as Color 1 and A as Color 2.

Note: Carry color not on use up WS of work.

With Color 1, ch 5. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring. (See diagram on page 2). 1st rnd: Ch 4 (counts as 1 dc and ch-1 sp). (3 dc. Ch 1) 3 times in ring. 2 dc in ring. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of ch-4.

2nd rnd: Join Color 2 with sl st to 1st ch-1 sp. Ch 1. (1 sc. Ch 3. 1 sc) in same sp as last sl st. Ch 3. *(1 sc. Ch 3. 1 sc) in next ch-1 sp. Ch 3. Rep from * twice more. Join with sl st to first sc.

3rd rnd: Join Color 1 with sl st to first corner ch-3 sp. Ch 4 (counts as 1 dc and ch-1 sp). 3 dc in same sp as last sl st. 3 dc in next ch-3 sp. *(3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc) in next ch-3 sp. 3 dc in next ch-3 sp. Rep from * twice more. 2 dc in first ch-3 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

4th rnd: Join Color 2 with sl st to first ch-1 sp. Ch 1. (1 sc. Ch 3. 1 sc) in same sp as last sl st - Corner. Ch 3. (1 sc in sp between next two 3-dc groups. Ch 3) twice. *(1 sc. Ch 3. 1 sc) in next ch-1 sp - Corner. Ch 3. (1 sc in sp between next two 3-dc groups. Ch 3) twice. Rep from * twice more. Join with sl st to first sc.

5th rnd: Join Color 1 with sl st to first corner ch-3 sp. Ch 4 (counts as 1 dc and ch-1 sp). 3 dc in same sp as last sl st. Make 8 with A as Color 1 and B as Color 2. 3 dc in each ch-3 sp to next Corner. *(3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc) in next Corner ch-3 sp. 3 dc in each ch-3 sp to next Corner. Rep from * twice more. 2 dc in first ch-3 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

> 6th rnd: Join Color 2 with sl st to first ch-1 sp. Ch 1. (1 sc. Ch 3. 1 sc) in same sp as last sl st - Corner. Ch 3. (1 sc in sp between next two 3-dc groups. Ch 3) 4 times. *(1 sc. Ch 3. 1 sc) in next ch-1 sp - Corner. Ch 3. (1 sc in sp between next two 3-dc groups. Ch 3) 4 times. Rep from * twice more. Join with sl st to first sc. 7th rnd: As 5th rnd. Fasten off.

Finishing

Join Motifs tog as seen in Assembly Diagram on page 2.

Border

With RS facing, join A with sl st to any corner ch-1 sp of Blanket.

1st rnd: Ch 1. Work sc evenly around entire edge of Blanket having 3 sc in each corner. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

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ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM DIAGRAM **KEY** \bigcirc = chain (ch) • = slip st (sl st) + = single crochet (sc) = double crochet (dc)

MOTIF