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Sweet Dreams Blanket

A Sunflower Cottage Crochet Pattern

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Pattern Specifics:

Materials:

- #4 weight yarn of your choosing
- 5mm (H) hook
- Scissors
- Tapestry needle
- 2 Stitch Markers optional to mark first or last stitch of the row optional.
- Measuring Tape optional.

Gauge: 15 hdc sts wide and 20 rows per 4"

Sizing: This pattern is written for baby size:

	Width (inches)	Height (inches)	Yardage (approx)
Baby Blanket	30	35	1218 yards

Abbreviations used:

- CH(s) - chain(s)
 St(s) - stitch(es)
 Rep - repeat
 Sk (sk'd) – skip (skipped)

Ss – slip stitch

SC – single crochet

HDC – half double crochet

DC –double crochet

PS – puff stitch

Xdc – crossed double crochet

YO - yarn over

FO - fasten off

FHDC - Foundation Half Double Crochet

[] – everything between these brackets are worked into the same stitch.

Pattern Notes:

- Written in US Terms
- CH1 stitches at the beginning of each row **do not** count as a st unless otherwise stated.
- If you need to adjust the starting chain or foundation row you will need to amend row 1 by a multiple of 3 sts.
- Even numbered rows are right side rows. Odd numbered rows are wrong side rows.
- Please read the pattern and ensure you are comfortable with it before starting your project.

Special stitches:



Foundation Half Double Crochet: Foundation stitches give a more even finish to your projects that a chain start might. You can find out video tutorials on how to work these stitches at:

Right-handed

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wPHOG4Vli_Q&t=200s

Left-handed -

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UqkTFzCja-A&t=28s>

Puff Stitch: *YO, insert hook into space / stitch to be worked, YO and pull up a loop to height of row* Rep from * to * twice more, YO and pull through all 7 loops on hook.

Note – for this pattern puff stitches are always worked between the legs of the crossed double crochets from the row below.

Crossed double crochet: sk next st, dc in next st, dc in sk'd st

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Row 1: FHDC 112,

OR

CH 113, hdc into second ch from hook and each ch across. (112 sts).

Row 2: Turn, Ch1, dc in 1st st, *sk next st, dc in next st, dc in sk'd st (crossed double crochet completed), dc in next st.* Rep from * to * across.

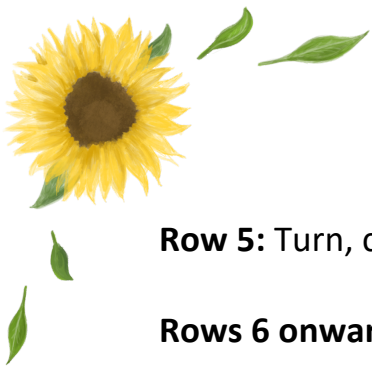
Note: you will end the row having completed the entire repeat.

Row 3: Turn, Ch1, sc in first st, * ch2 PS between the legs of the next xdc (see Figure 1) ch2, sc in next dc*. Rep from * to * across.

Note: you will end with a sc in the last dc of the row below.

Row 4: Turn, Ch1, dc in 1st st, *sk the ch2 and the PS, dc in next ch2 sp, dc in sk'd ch2 space, dc into the sc from the previous row* Rep from * to * across.

Note you will end with a dc into the sc from the previous row.



Row 5: Turn, ch1, hdc in first st and each st across.

Rows 6 onwards: Rep rows 2-5 until your blanket measures approximately 35" tall. I would recommend ending with a row 5 so that your blanket ends how it began i.e. with a hdc row.

Border:

You can add any border that you choose to your blanket. However, because it is so full of texture I choose a simple 1 round sc border for my blanket to avoid a clash of textures.

To work this :

Turn, ch1, sc in first st and each st across until you reach the end of the row. [sc, ch1, sc] into the corner stitch.

Turn your blanket so that you are working down the side, sc evenly down the side of the blanket.

Note: I found that working 1 sc into the end of rows 3 and 5 and 2 sc into the end of rows 2 and 4 worked well for me.

[sc, ch1, sc] into the corner / last stitch of the side.

Turn your blanket so that you are working along the bottom edge, sc in each st across. [sc, ch1, sc] into the corner stitch.

Turn so that you are working up the final side of your blanket and sc evenly up. [sc, ch1, sc] into the corner / last stitch

FO and weave in ends.

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