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FLUFFY MERINGUE STITCH BLANKET | CROCHET



## **MATERIALS**

**Patons® Beehive Baby Fingering™** (3.5 oz/100 g; 418 yds/382 m) Vintage Lace (35007) **5 balls** 

Size U.S. E/4 (3.5 mm) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.

## **ABBREVIATIONS:**

Approx =
Approximate(ly)
Ch = Chain(s)
Dc = Double crochet
Dcbp = Yoh and draw
up a loop around
post of next stitch at
back of work, inserting hook from right

to left. (Yoh and draw

through 2 loops on hook) twice.

**Dcbp2tog** = (Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next dc at back of work, inserting hook from right to left. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice. Yoh and

draw through all 3 loops on hook Pat = Pattern Rep = Repeat Rnd(s) = Round(s) Sc = Single crochet Sl st = Slip stitch Sp(s) = Space(s) Yoh = Yarn over hook CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

### **MEASUREMENT**

Approx 30" [76 cm] square.

#### **GAUGE**

 $21\frac{1}{2}$  sc and 24 rows = 4" [10 cm].

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Ch 5. Join with sl st to first ch to form a ring. (See diagram on page 3).

**1strnd:** Ch4(counts as dc and ch 1). (1 dc. Ch 1) 7 times in ring. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of ch 4.

2nd rnd: SI st in first ch-1 sp. Ch 7 (counts as dc and ch 4). 1 dc in same sp as last sl st. \*(1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc) in next ch-1 sp – corner V-st made.\*\* (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of ch 7.

**3rd rnd:** SI st in first ch-4 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). 8 dc in same sp as sI st. \*Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* 9 dc in next ch-4 sp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once more. Join with sI st to top of ch 3.

4th rnd: Ch 2 (does not count as st).

1 dc in same sp as sl st. (Ch 3. Sl st in 3rd ch from hook –picot made.

1 dc in next dc) 8 times. \*Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* Miss next dc. (1 dc in next dc. Picot) 8 times. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dc.

**5th rnd:** Ch 2 (does not count as st). 1 dcbp around first dc. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp around next dc) 4 times. \*Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* Miss next dc. (1 dcbp around next dc. Ch 3. Miss next dc) 4 times. 1 dcbp around next dc. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dcbp.

6th rnd: Ch7 (counts as d cand ch4). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. \*(1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) 3 times. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp. Miss next dc.\*\* (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of ch 7.



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7th rnd: SI st in first ch-4 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). 8 dc in same sp as sl st. \*(1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) twice.1scinnextch-3sp.9dcinnext ch-4 sp. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp. \*\* 9 dc in next ch-4 sp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once more. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

8th rnd: Ch 2 (does not count as st). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. (Picot. 1 dc in next dc) 8 times. \*1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dcin next dc. Picot) 8 times. 1 dcin next dc. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp. \*\*Missnextdc.(1dcinnextdc.Picot) 8 times. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dc.

**9th rnd:** Ch 2 (does not count as st). 1 dcbp around first dc. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp around next dc) 3 times. Ch 3. Miss next dc. \*(Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next dc at back of work, inserting hook from right to left. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice. Yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook – dcbp2to made (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp aroundnext dc) 4 times. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* Miss next dc. (1 dcbp around

next dc. Ch 3. Miss next dc) 4 times. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dcbp.

10thrnd:Ch7(countsasdcandch4). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. \*(1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) 3 times. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp2tog. (1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) 3 times. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp. Miss next dc.\*\* (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of ch 7.

11th rnd: SI st in first ch-4 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). 8 dc in same sp as sl st. \*[(1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) twice. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. 9 dc in next ch-4 sp]twice. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* 9 dc in next ch-4 sp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once more. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

12thrnd:Ch2(doesnotcountasst). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. (Picot. 1 dc in next dc) 8 times. \*[1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc in next dc. Picot) 8 times.

in next ch-1 sp.\*\* Miss next dc. (1 dc in next dc. Picot) 8 times. 1 dc **15th rnd:** SI st in first ch-4 sp. in next dc. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dc.

13thrnd:Ch2(doesnotcountasst). 1 dcbp around first dc. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp around next dc) 3 times. Ch 3. Miss next dc. \*Dcbp2tog. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp around next dc) 3 times. Ch 3. Miss next dc. Dcb p2tog. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp around next dc) 4 times. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* Miss next dc. (1 dcbp around next dc. Ch 3. Miss next dc) 4 times. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dcbp.

**14thrnd:**Ch7(countsasdcandch4). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. \*[(1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) 3 times. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp2tog] twice. (1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) 3 times. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp. Miss next dc.\*\* (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once.

Ch 3 (counts as dc). 8 dc in same sp as sl st. \*[(1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) twice. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. 9 dc in next ch-4 sp] 3 times. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* 9 dc in next ch-4 sp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once more. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**16th rnd:** Ch 2 (does not count as st). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. (Picot. 1 dcin next dc) 8 times. \*[1 scin next ch-3 sp. Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc in next dc. Picot) 8 times. 1 dc in next dc] 3 times. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* Miss next dc. (1 dc in next dc. Picot) 8 times. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dc.

17thrnd:Ch2(doesnotcountasst). 1 dcbp around first dc. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp around next dc) 3 times. Ch 3. Miss next dc. \*[Dcbp2tog. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp around next dc) 3 times. Ch 3. Miss next dc] twice. Dcbp-2tog. (Ch 3. Miss next dc. 1 dcbp

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around next dc) 4 times. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp.\*\* Miss next dc. (1 dcbp around next dc. Ch 3. Miss next dc) 4 times. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first dcbp.

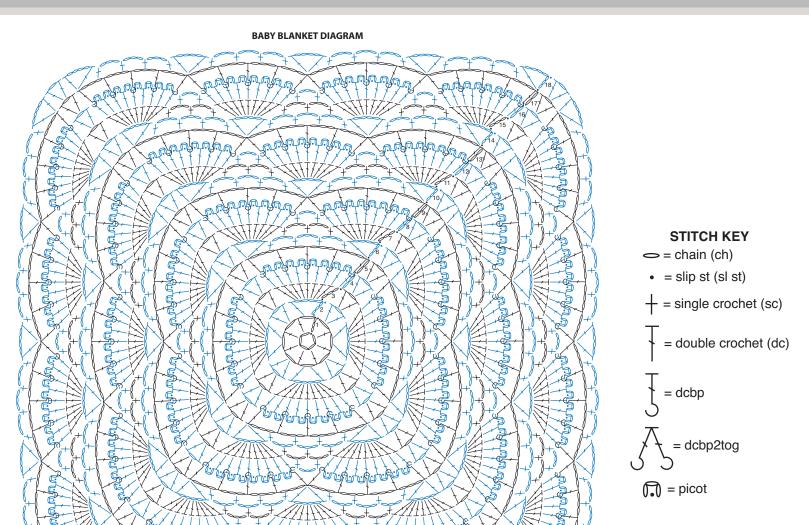
**18th rnd:** Ch 7 (counts as dc and ch 4). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. \*[(1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) 3 times. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc. Ch 4. 1dc) in next dcbp2tog] 3 times. (1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3) 3 times. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Corner V-st in next ch-1 sp. Miss next dc.\*\* (1 dc. Ch 4. 1 dc) in next dcbp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of ch 7. Rep 15th to 18th rnds for pat, noting rep in [ ] will be repeated 1 more time in subsequent rnds, until Blanket measures 30" [76 cm] square, ending on 16th rnd of pat. Fasten off

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