



CROCHET
SKILL LEVEL
INTERMEDIATE

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®: 1 skein 324 Bright Yellow **A**, 1 skein 311 White **B**, 1 skein 672 Spring Green **C**

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9]

Yarn needle, stitch holders (optional)

GAUGE: Daisy Motif measures 6" (15 cm) square. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**



RED HEART® Super Saver®, Art. E300

available in solid color 7 oz (198 g), 364 yds (333 m); prints, multis and heathers 5 oz (141 g), 236 yds (215 m); flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins

Daisy Garden Blanket

Fresh as a summer daisy, this pretty blanket is perfect for baby or toddler. Crochet it in bright shades as shown, or softer colors if you please. Then add a ruffle for the perfect finishing touch!

Throw measures 41" x 41" (104 cm x 104 cm)

Special Stitch

Surface slip st

Holding yarn behind work, insert hook from front to back between the posts of two stitches on the previous round as indicated, yarn over and pull loop though to make a slip stitch. Do not pull stitches too tightly, or edge will pucker.

DAISY MOTIF (Make 36)

With **A**, ch 4, join with slip st in first ch to form ring.

Round 1 (Right Side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc now and throughout), work 11 dc into ring; slip st in top of ch-3 to join—12 dc. Fasten off.

Round 2: Join **B** in any dc, ch 3, dc in the same dc, * 2 dc in next dc; repeat from * around; slip st in top of ch-3 to join—24 dc (12 pairs). Fasten off.

Note: For Round 3, work into the spaces between sts, NOT into the sts.

Round 3: Join **C** in the space between any pair of dc, (ch 3, dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in the same space, * [ch 1, skip 2 dc, 2 dc in next space] twice, ch 1, skip 2 dc,** (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next space; repeat from * twice, then from * to ** once; slip st in top of ch-3 to join—32 dc and 16 ch-1 spaces.

Round 4: Slip st in the next dc and ch-1 space, (ch 3, 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same ch-1 space, * [skip 2 dc, 3 dc in next ch-1 space] 3 times, skip 2 dc,** (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in ch-1 corner space; repeat from * twice, then from * to ** once; slip st in top of ch-3 to join—60 dc and 4 ch-1 spaces. Fasten off.

Round 5: Join **B** in any ch-1 corner space, ch 1 (does not count as a st now and throughout), * 3 hdc in ch-1 space, hdc in next 15 dc; repeat from * around; slip st in first hdc to join—72 hdc. Fasten off.

Round 6: Join **C** in the second hdc of Round 5 (the corner st), ch 1, * 3 hdc in the corner st, hdc in next 17 hdc; repeat from * around; slip st in first hdc to join—80 hdc. Fasten off and weave in ends.

Joining Motifs

Note: Seams are worked by holding 2 Motifs with Wrong Sides together and inserting the hook through the stitches of both Motifs, then drawing up a loop and completing the new stitch. (It may be helpful to use stitch holders to connect the unworked sides and edges of the Motifs so the strips of Motifs will hold together until all Seams are completed.)

Horizontal Seam (Make 5): Match both upper right corner hdc; join **A** in corner; ch 1, * sc in corner hdc and next 20 hdc, ending in upper left corner—21 sc.

Without breaking yarn, continue joining pairs of Motifs until there is a strip of 2 rows of 6 Motifs each. Fasten off.

Add the next Motif by matching a loose

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Motif to the Motif at the top right of the strip of 12 Motifs (Wrong sides together). Work a Horizontal Seam across these 2 Motifs.

Continue working, joining Motifs across the top of the strip of 12 Motifs. When the third horizontal row is completed, there will be a strip of 18 Motifs.

Continue joining Motifs in the same way until you have 6 strips of 6 Motifs each. Fasten off.

Vertical Seam (Make 5): Turn partially joined Blanket and work the unjoined Motifs in the same way as the Horizontal Seams, crocheting over the tops of the Horizontal Seams. Fasten off and weave in ends.

BORDER

Round 1 (Right Side): Join **A** in any corner hdc, ch 1, *3 hdc in the corner st; hdc in each hdc across the side up to the corner, working into the side of the sc from the Seam instead of in the hdc from Round 6 as needed—123 hdc. Repeat from * 3 times; slip st in first hdc to join—492 hdc.

Round 2: Ch 3, dc in the same hdc, 2 dc in each hdc around; slip st in top of ch-3 to join—984 dc.

Round 3: Ch 3, dc in each dc around; slip st in top of ch-3 to join. Fasten off.

Round 4: With slip knot on hook, join **B** in the space between any pair of dc, surface slip st around the post of each dc from Round 3 (see Special Stitch above); slip st in first st to join. Fasten off and weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C, etc; **ch** = chain; **cm** = centimeters; **dc** = double crochet; **g** = grams; **hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **oz** = ounces; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **yds** = yards; **()** = work all directions in parentheses in the indicated stitch or space; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; *** or **** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.