



Babies deserve to be cuddled and swaddled in the softest blankets ever. This blanket drapes beautifully but it is still nice and sturdy enough to hold baby. It is slightly on the smaller side but it is perfect for newborns and infants and I have added instructions to make it larger.

**Skill Level** Easy

**Hook Size** 4 mm

**Yarn Weight** DK

**Yarn used in the sample** Cotton Gold Batik Design by Alize

**Yardage** 792.0 yards (724.2m)

**Finished size** 27 by 25 inches (instructions included to make larger or smaller but that will change the needed yardage)

### **Other materials needed**

A tapestry needle for weaving in the ends

## **Abbreviations**

SC Single Crochet

CH Chain

DC Double Crochet

## **Reading the pattern**

Stitches between asterisks \*...\* are to be repeated

This pattern is written in US English.

Making a different size

If you want to make a larger size, chain more than 120 in even numbers. If you want to make it smaller chain less than 120 in even numbers too.

## **Pattern**

Foundation chain : CH 120.

In the next row you will SC in the chains, you can either SC in the top of the chain or turn it over and SC in the back ridges. Stitches in the back ridge make the edge look cleaner but if you are not comfortable or prefer other wise then just SC in the top as normal.

Row 1: Turn, SC in the next chain from the hook, SC in each stitch across the row.

Row 2: Turn, CH 3 (counts as first DC), skip first stitch, \*2 DC in next stitch, skip 1 stitch\* until the last stitch, DC in the last stitch.

Row 3: Turn, CH 1, SC in same stitch, \* SC in next stitch, CH 1, Skip 1 stitch \* , until last stitch (top of the CH 3 in the previous row), SC in last stitch.

Row 4: Turn, CH 1, SC in same stitch, \* SC in next chain space , CH 1, Skip 1 stitch \* , until last stitch, SC in last stitch.

Row 5: Turn, CH 1, SC in same stitch, \* SC in next chain space , CH 1, Skip 1 stitch \* , until last stitch, SC in last stitch.

Row 6: Turn CH 3 (counts as first DC), skip first stitch, \*2 DC in chain space, skip 1 stitch\* until the last stitch, DC in the last stitch.

Repeat Row 3 - 6 until the blanket is as long as you want it to be

Row 7 : Turn, CH 1, SC in same stitch, SC in each stitch across the row.

Finish off and weave in any ends

## Chart for the stitch pattern

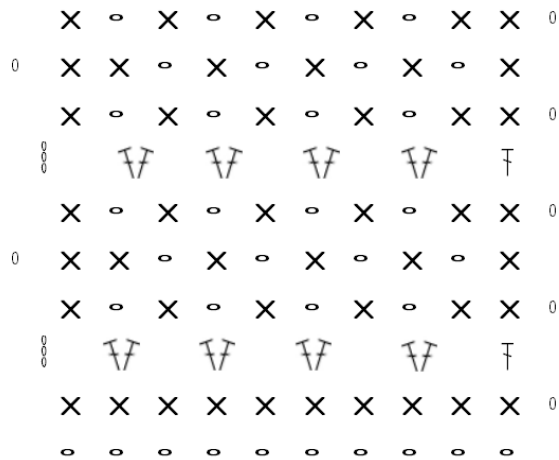


Chart Symbols	
X	Single Crochet
	2 Double Crochet in same stitch
O	Chain stitch

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