

# Adeline Crochet Baby Blanket Pattern



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## Description:

A lacy, girly baby blanket pattern perfect for beginners! Uses only basic stitches, but turns out looking far more intricate!

Size: 31x42"

Gauge: 4sc = 1 in

## Skill Level:

Beginner, requires knowledge of single crochet, double crochet, half double crochet, and chain stitches.

## Materials:

700 yards DK weight yarn, 600 yards of main color, 100 yards of accent color. I used Loops and Threads Snuggly Wuggly Big!

Size H (5.00mm) crochet hook

Yarn needle to weave in ends.

## Abbreviations (American terms)

CH - chain stitch    SC - single crochet

HDC - half double crochet

DC - double crochet

V-stitch - DC, CH 1, DC in same stitch as first DC

SL ST - slip stitch

## Notes:

Chain 2 and chain 1 at the beginning of rows do not count as stitches *except as noted in the pattern.*

## Pattern:

Chain 93.

Foundation: Skip 1 CH, SC in next chain (SC in second chain from hook) and each CH to the end. (92 stitches)

Row 1: CH 1, turn. SC in same stitch as ch 1. SC across. (92 stitches)

Row 2: CH 2 (counts as DC), skip 1 stitch, V-stitch in next stitch, (skip 2 stitches, V-stitch) until 2 stitches are left. Sk 1 stitch, DC in last stitch.

Row 3: CH 2 (counts as DC), 3 DC in first chain space and each chain space across, DC in previous turning chain that counted as DC

Row 4: CH 2 (counts as DC), skip 1 stitch, V-stitch in next stitch (should be middle of 3 DC cluster). V stitch in the middle stitch of each 3 DC cluster across. Skip 1 stitch, DC in turning chain from previous row.

Row 5: CH 1, SC across. Be sure to put a SC in the turning chain from the previous row, since it counts as a stitch. 92 stitches.

Row 6: CH 2, HDC across, 92 stitches.

Row 7: CH 1, SC across, 92 stitches.

Row 8: CH 2, HDC across, 92 stitches.

Row 9: CH 1, SC across, 92 stitches.

Repeat rows 2-9 until blanket has 11 lace panels, ending on row 4.

To finish the body of the afghan, (SC across, turn) twice. 92 stitches each row. DO NOT FINISH OFF.

*Edging:* With right side facing, main color, SC across one more time to last stitch. In last stitch, SC 3 times. Place marker in middle stitch of 3 stitches. This will be your corner. DO NOT TURN.

Now we will begin to sc evenly around the long edge of the blanket. I put approximately one SC in each SC row, 1 SC in each HDC row, and 2 SC in each DC row.

SC 120 times on long edge. **In between marked corner stitches on the long edge, you should have 122 total stitches.**

3 SC in first SC of short edge. Place marker in middle stitch of 3 stitches. SC across short edge to last stitch. In last stitch, SC 3 times. Place marker in middle stitch of 3 stitch cluster. **On the short edge between marked corner stitches, you should have 92 stitches.**

SC evenly along the second long edge, just like you did previously.

In the same stitch as your beginning stitch of the first short edge, 2 SC, making your last corner and 3 stitch cluster. Join with slip stitch to first stitch of short row. Mark middle stitch of 3 stitch cluster.

**Again, in between marked corner stitches on the long edge, you should have 122 total stitches. On the short edge between marked corner stitches, you should have 92 stitches.**

\*CH 1, SC in same stitch as CH 1, SC across to marked stitch. In marked stitch, SC 3 times. In middle stitch of 3 stitch cluster, place marker.

SC across long edge to marker. SC 3 times in marked stitch. Mark middle stitch of 3 stitch cluster.

SC across second short edge to marker. SC 3 times in marked stitch. Mark middle stitch of 3 stitch cluster.

SC across second long edge to marked stitch. In marked stitch, SC 3 times. Join with SL ST to first SC. Repeat from \* once.

**At this point, you should have 126 sc on each long edge, 96 sc on each short edge, not counting the 4 marked corner stitches.**

Fasten off.

*Lace:* With accent color, SL ST into a corner stitch. CH 4, counts as DC and CH 2. V-stitch in same stitch. Mark CH 2 as your corner. Skip 1 stitch, v-stitch in next stitch. (skip 2 stitches, v-stitch in next stitch) across.

Skip last stitch before marked corner stitch. V-stitch in corner stitch, CH 2, v-stitch in same stitch. Skip 1 stitch, v-stitch in next stitch. (skip 2 stitches, v-stitch in next stitch)

across. Continue in this manner around blanket to first corner. DC in corner stitch, CH 1. SL ST into 2<sup>nd</sup> chain stitch of CH 4 from beginning of round. SL ST into CH 2 space.

CH 4 (counts as DC and CH 2). V-stitch in same CH 2 space. V-stitch in each CH 1 across to CH 2 corner. In corner, v-stitch, CH 2, v-stitch. Continue as above around blanket. In initial corner stitch, DC, CH 1, SL ST into 2<sup>nd</sup> chain of initial CH 4.

Repeat v-stitch round 3 times for a total of 4 v-stitch edge rounds.

In nearest corner stitch, 8 dc. (SC in next space between v-stitches. 5 DC in next space between v-stitches) around to next corner. 8 DC in corner space. Repeat around entire blanket. At last corner, after last SC, SL ST to first dc of 8 DC cluster. Fasten off. Weave in ends.