

#### **CARON**® **CITRUS CABLES CROCHET BABY BLANKET | CROCHET**



## **MATERIALS**

**Caron® Baby Cakes™** (3.5 oz/100 g; 231 yds/211 m) Citrus Delicious (50004) 6 balls

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.



## CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**Approx** = Approximate(ly)

Ch = Chain(s)

**Beg** = Begin(ning)

**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.

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

**Hdc** = Half double crochet

Pat = Pattern

**Rep** = Repeat

**Sc** = Single crochet

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**Tog** = Together

**Trfp** = (Yoh) twice and draw up a loop around post of indicated stitch at front of work, inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times.

**WS** = Wrong side **Yoh** = Yarn over hook

**MEASUREMENT** 

Approx 38" [96.5 cm] square.

**GAUGE** 

13 sc and 14 rows = 4'' [10 cm].

**INSTRUCTIONS** 

**Note:** Ch 2 at beg of row does not count as hdc.

Ch 132. See diagram on page 2. 1st row: (WS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook. 1 hdc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 130 hdc.

2nd row: Ch 2. 1 hdc in first hdc. \*(1 dcfp around next st) twice. 1 hdc in each of next 2 hdc. Skip next 3 sts. (Trfp around next st) 3 times. Working in front of sts just worked, 1 trfp around each of 3 skipped sts. 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. Skip next 3 sts. (Trfp around next st) 3 times. Working in back of sts just worked, 1 trfp around each of 3 skipped sts. 1 hdc in each of next 2 hdc. Rep from \* to last 3 sts. (1 dcfp around next st) twice. 1 hdc in last hdc. Turn.



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**3rd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first hdc. \*(1 dcbp around next st) twice. 1 hdc in each of next 2 sts. 1 dcbp around each of next 6 sts. 1 hdc in each of next 3 sts. 1 dcbp around each of next 6 sts. 1 hdc in each of next 2 sts. Rep from \* to last 3 sts. (1 dcbp around next st) twice. 1 hdc in last hdc. Turn.

**4th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first hdc. \*(1 dcfp around next st) twice. 1 hdc in each of next 2 sts. 1 dcfp around each of next 6 sts. 1 hdc in each of next 3 sts. 1 dcfp around each of next 6 sts. 1 hdc in each of next 2 sts. Rep from \* to last 3 sts. (1 dcfp around next st) twice. 1 hdc in last hdc. Turn.

5th row: As 3rd row.

Rep 2nd to 5th rows for pat until work from beg measures approx 37½" [95.5 cm], ending on 3rd row.

**Next row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each st across. Fasten off.



