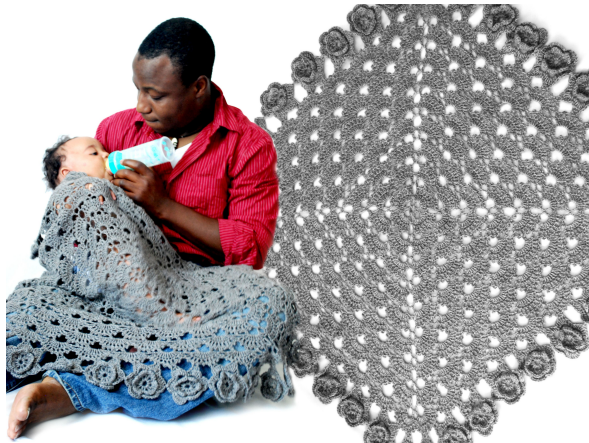




Floral Baby Blanket

Crochet Pattern by Ira Rott



ABBREVIATIONS:

Ch	Chain
Sc	Single crochet
Sl st	Slip stitch
Dc	Double crochet
Picot	Ch3; join last and first ch with sl st
Lp(s)	Loop(s)
St(s)	Stitch(s)
Ea	Each

FINISHED SIZE:

33" x 33" (84 cm x 84 cm)

MATERIALS:

- Any Sport weight wool yarn (5 ply/12 wpi/ 2 : Fine)

CROCHET HOOK:

- 3 mm

GAUGE:

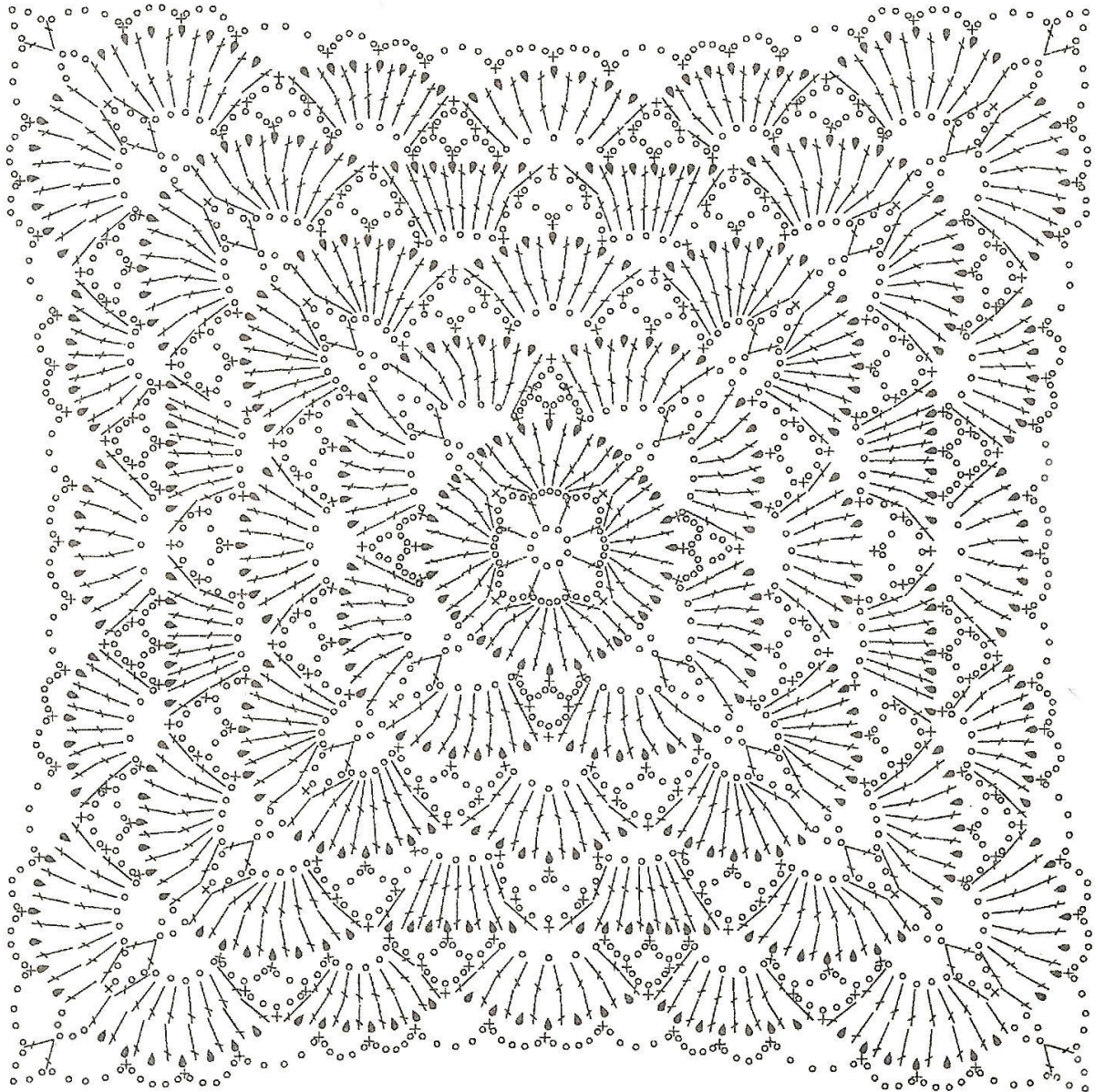
gauge and finished size will vary depending on yarn you use and your tension. You can work more or less rows to alter finished blanket size.

KEYS:

- - Ch
- ⤵ - Sl st
- ↓ - Sc
- † - Dc
- ⬮ - Picot
- ↪ - Sc in back st
- - Ch 4(6), join ch with a sl st to form a ring
- ⤴ - Ch space

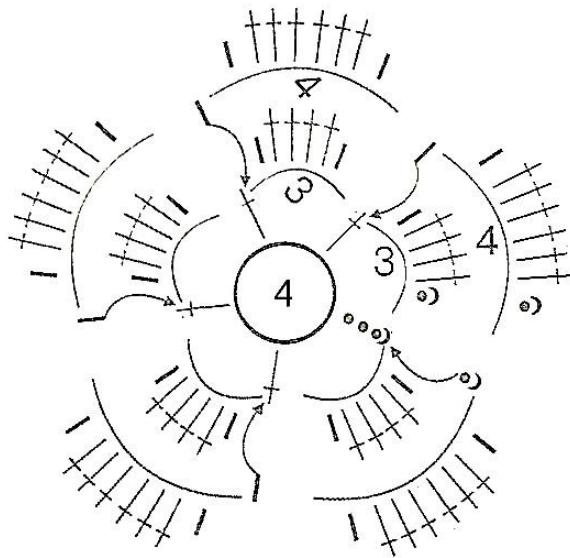


LARGE SHELL STITCH PATTERN





5 PETALS FLOWER MOTIF:



To Begin: ch 4, join ch with a sl st to form a ring

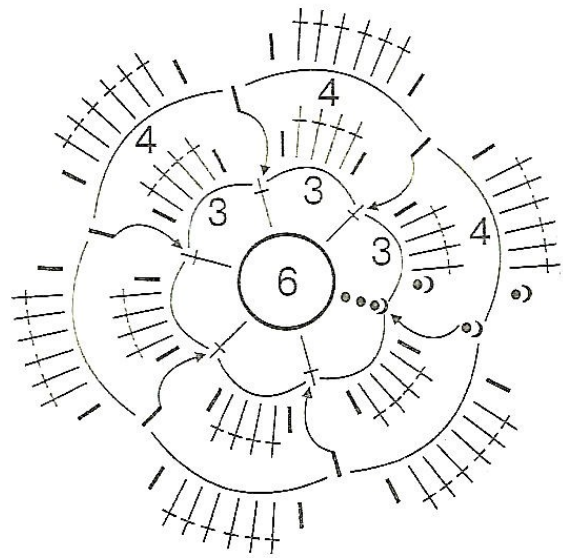
Rnd 1: ch3 (count as dc); ch3; [dc in ring; ch 3] 4 times; sl st in to to last of beg ch 3 = 5 dc sts

Rnd 2: [sc in next ch 3 sp; 4 dc in same sp; sc in same sp] 5 times = 5 shells

Rnd 3: ch1; sl st in back st; [ch 4; skip 6 petal sts; sl st in back st of next dc] 4 times; ch4; skip 6 petal sts; join with sl st to beg ch = 5 ch4 sps

Rnd 4: ch1; [sc in next ch 4 sp; 6 dc in same sp; sc in same sp] 5 times; join with sl st to beg ch = 5 petals

6 PETALS FLOWER MOTIF:



To Begin: ch 6, join ch with a sl st to form a ring

Rnd 1: ch3 (count as dc); ch3; [dc in ring; ch 3] 5 times; sl st in to to last of beg ch 3 = 6 dc sts

Rnd 2: [sc in next ch 3 sp; 4 dc in same sp; sc in same sp] 6 times = 6 shells

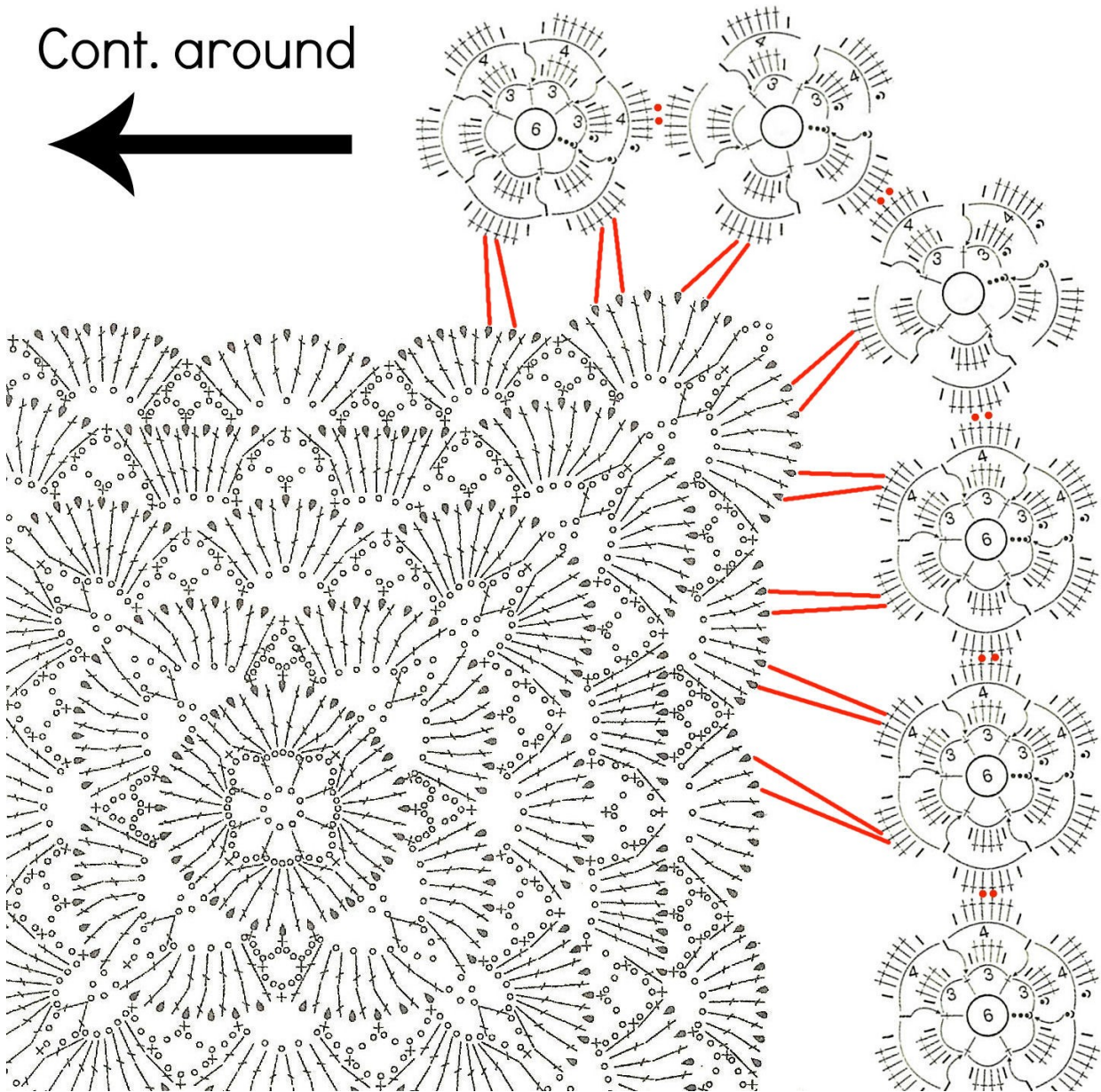
Rnd 3: ch1; sl st in back st; [ch 4; skip 6 petal sts; sl st in back st of next dc] 5 times; ch4; skip 6 petal sts; join with sl st to beg ch = 6 ch4 sps

Rnd 4: ch1; [sc in next ch 4 sp; 6 dc in same sp; sc in same sp] 6 times; join with sl st to beg ch = 6 petals

FLOWER EDGING (JOINING MOTIFS):

Join flower motifs with sl st "as you go" when working last rnd of motifs, following chart below.
 • 2 (5 petals) motifs on each corner and • 8 (6 petals) motifs on each side of the blanket

Cont. around





BLANKET BASE:

(Diagram on page 2)

To Begin: ch 9, join ch with a sl st to form a ring

Rnd 1: ch3 (count as dc); ch5; [dc in ring; ch 5] 7 times; sl st in to to last of beg ch 3 = 8 dc sts

Rnd 2: sl st in ea of next 3 chs; [8 dc in next ch5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp] 3 times; 8 dc in next ch5 sp; sl st in 3rd of beg sl sts = 4 shells

Rnd 3: sl st in next st; ch3 (count as dc); picot; [dc in next st; picot] 6 times; dc in next st; ch 5; * dc in first st on next shell; [picot; dc in next st] 6 times; ch 5; rep from * 2 more time; join rnd: ch 2; dc in top of beg ch 3 = 4 large shells

Rnd 4: ch3 (count as dc); ch 5; dc in same sp; ch 5; skip 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip 2 picot sts; * (dc; ch 5; dc) in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; skip 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip 2 picot sts; rep from * 2 more times; join with sl st in to to last of beg ch 3 = 20 ch 5 sps

Rnd 5: sl st in ea of next 3 chs; [7 dc in next ch5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next ch 5 sp; 7 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp] 4 times = 8 shells

Rnd 6: sl st in next st; ch3 (count as dc); [picot; dc in next st] 6 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 6 times; ch 5; * dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 6 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 6 times; ch 5; rep from * 1 more time; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 6 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 6 times; join rnd: ch 2; dc in top of beg ch 3 = 8 large shells

Rnd 7: ch3 (count as dc); ch 5; dc in same sp; ch 5; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch5; * (dc; ch 5; dc) in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch5; rep from * 2 more times; join with sl st in to top of beg ch 3 = 32 ch 5 sps

Rnd 8: sl st in ea of next 3 chs; [8 dc in next ch5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next ch 5 sp; 8 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; 8 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp] 4 times = 12 shells

Rnd 9: sl st in next st; ch3 (count as dc); [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; ch 5; * dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; ch 5; rep from * 1 more time; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; join rnd: ch 2; dc in to top of beg ch 3 = 12 large shells



Rnd 10: ch3 (count as dc); ch 5; dc in same sp; ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch5; skip 1 picot st * (dc; ch 5; dc) in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch5; skip 1 picot st rep from * 2 more times; join with sl st in to top of beg ch 3 = 44 ch 5 sps

Rnd 11: sl st in ea of next 3 chs; [8 dc in next ch5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next ch 5 sp; 8 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next ch 5 sp; 8 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp] 4 times = 16 shells

Rnd 12: sl st in next st; ch3 (count as dc); [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; ch 5; * dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; ch 5; rep from * 1 more time; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st;

[picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; join rnd: ch 2; dc in to top of beg ch 3 = 16 large shells

Rnd 13: ch3 (count as dc); ch 5; dc in same sp; ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip 1 picot st * (dc; ch 5; dc) in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch5; skip next 2 picot sts; sc in next picot st; [ch 5; skip 1 picot st; sc in next picot st] 2 times; ch 5; skip 1 picot st rep from * 2 more times; join with sl st in to top of beg ch 3 = 56 ch 5 sps

Rnd 14: sl st in ea of next 3 chs; [8 dc in next ch5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next ch 5 sp; 8 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next ch 5 sp; 8 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp; ch 5; sc in next ch 5 sp; 8 dc in next ch 5 sp; sc in next ch 5 sp] 4 times = 20 shells



Rnd 15: sl st in next st; ch3 (count as dc);
 [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next
 ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next
 st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next
 dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in
 next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in
 next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in
 next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times;
 ch 5; * dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next
 st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next
 dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; sc in
 next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in
 next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in
 next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times;
 sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot;
 dc in next st] 7 times; ch 5; rep from * 1
 more time; dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in
 next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in
 next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7 times;
 sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st; [picot;
 dc in next st] 7 times; sc in next ch 5 sp;
 dc in next dc st; [picot; dc in next st] 7
 times; sc in next ch 5 sp; dc in next dc st;
 [picot; dc in next st] 7 times; join rnd:
 ch 2; dc in 3rd of beg chs= 20 large shells

Work 4 more "large shell" rows, until you have
 36 large shells in the rnd. (1 shell row = 3 rnds)
 Work in same manner as previews 3 rnds,
 increasing 4 shells in ea shell row.

Rnd 16: 68 ch 5 sps

Rnd 17: 24 shells

Rnd 18: 24 large shells

Rnd 19: 80 ch 5 sps

Rnd 20: 28 shells

Rnd 21: 28 large shells

Rnd 22: 92 ch 5 sps

Rnd 23: 32 shells

Rnd 24: 32 large shells

Rnd 25: 104 ch 5 sps

Rnd 26: 36 shells

Rnd 27: 36 large shells

EDGING:

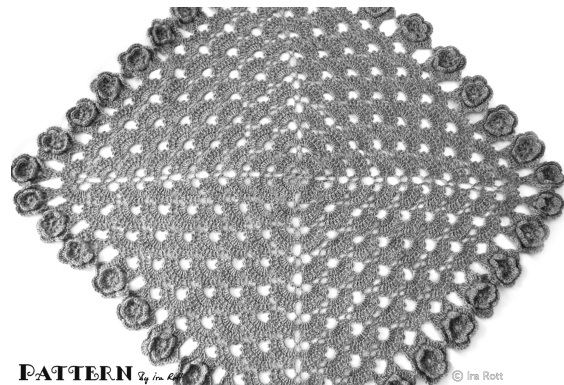
work flower motifs (pattern on page 3)

- 5 petals motifs = 8 pcs (2 on ea corner)
- 6 petals motifs = 32 pcs (8 on ea side edge)

Join flowers with sl st "as you go" when
 working last rnd of motifs (see chart on page 4)

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