CUDDLE SOFT BABY BLANKET

Approximate Size: 30 x 36 without border.
Materials:
6 skeins of Red Heart Baby Teri 3 oz skeins.
Crochet Hook size I

Special Stitches

Beginning Shell (Beg Shell): ch 3, dc, ch 2, 2 dc space indicate.
Shell: 2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc in space indicated.
Front Post Double Crochet (FPdc): Insert hook around post of the dc in the previous row, going in from front of work, pull loop up even with row you are working and work dc as normal.
Back Post Double Crochet (BPdc): Insert hook from back of work around the post of the dc in the previous row, pull up loop even with row you are working and dc as normal.

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Row 1: Dc in 4th ch from hook (sk chs count as 1 dc), dc in the next 3 dc *sk next 2 chs, shell in next ch, sk next 2 chs, dc in the next 5 chs. Repeat from * across. 10 shells
Row 2: Right Side. Ch 3 turn (counts as 1st dc now and throughout), dc in next dc, FPdc in next dc, * dc in next 2 dc, shell in ch 2 sp of shell, sk next 2 dc of shell, (Shell in Shell just made), dc in next 2 dc, FPdc in next dc. Repeat from * across ending with dc in last 2 dc.
Note: When working FPdc you will always be working in the BPdc of the previous row and when working the BPdc you will be working it around the FPdc of the previous row. This gives the cable effect on the front side of the blanket.
Row 3: Ch 3 turn, dc in next dc, *BPdc around FPdc of previous row, dc in next 2 dc, shell in shell, dc in next 2 dc, Repeat from * across ending in BPdc around FPdc of previous row, dc in last 2 dc.
Rows 4-68: Repeat rows 2 and 3.
Row 69: Ch 3 turn, dc in next dc, FPdc around next dc *dc in next 2 dc, ch 2, sc in ch 2 sp of shell, ch 2, dc in next 2 dc, FPdc around next dc, repeat from * to end. **Do Not Fasten Off**

Border
Rnd 1: working in top of last dc made, ch 1 and 3 sc in same space (corner). ◊Working along the long edge of the blanket 2 sc in the end of each row, across the bottom of the work, work 3 sc in first stitch for corner, *sc in at the bottom of each dc, 2 sc in next sp, sc in bottom of shell, 2 sc in next sp. Repeat from * across to end, 3 in next sp for corner, repeat from ◊ around to beginning sc. Join with sl st to first sc.
Rnd 2: sl st in next sc, (2nd sc of corner) work beg shell, *dc in next 3 sc, sk next 2 sc, shell, sk next 2 sc, repeat from * around working shell in each corner. Join.
Rnd 3: Sl st to 1st ch 2 sp, work beg shell, ch 2, 2 dc in same space. *sk next dc and shell in next dc (2nd dc of 3 dc group), shell in shell. Repeat around and in each corner work shell, ch 2, 2 dc. Join.
Rnd 4: sl st to 1st ch 2 sp. Work shell, ch 2, 2 dc in same space for corner. Work shell in shell around, working shell, ch 2, 2 dc in each corner.
Fasten off, weave in end.