



CROCHET
SKILL LEVEL
EASY

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Soft Baby Steps®:
2 balls each 9700 Baby Pink A,
9505 Aqua B and 9620 Baby
Green C

Susan Bates® Crochet Hooks:
5mm [US H-8]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 17 sts = 4" (10cm); 16
rows = 4" (10cm) in pattern st.
CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any
size hook to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® Soft
Baby Steps®, Art. E746
available in solid color

5 oz (141 g), 256 yd (234 m);
prints 4 oz (113 g), 204 yd
(187 m) balls.

Pretty in Pastels Baby Blanket

This happily striped crocheted blanket features wonderful fringe that is made as you do each row. It's the perfect way to welcome baby made in the nursery colors, or any colors you wish.

SHOP KIT

Finished Size: 36" x 36" (91cm x 91cm),
without fringe.

Notes

Fringe is worked as you go. Weaving in ends every few rows helps keep them manageable. To change color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and complete stitch. Proceed with new color and fasten off old color.

BLANKET

With A, ch 125.

Row 1 (Right Side): Slip st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of the next 12 chs, *ch 1, skip next ch, sc in next ch; repeat from * across to last 14 sts, ch 1, skip next ch, slip st in next 13 chs. Fasten off A.

Row 2: Skip the next 13 sl sts; join A with sc in first ch-1 sp, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, changing to B in last st, turn. Fasten off A.

Row 3: Ch 14, slip st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of the next 12 chs, skip next ch, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, turn.

Row 4: Ch 14, slip st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of the next 12 chs, skip next ch, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, changing to C in last st, turn. Fasten off B.

Row 5: Ch 14, slip st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of the next 12 chs, skip next ch, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, turn.

Row 6: Ch 14, slip st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of the next 12 chs, skip next ch, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, changing to A in last st, turn. Fasten off C.

Row 7: Ch 14, slip st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of the next 12 chs, skip next ch, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, turn.

Row 8: Ch 14, slip st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of the next 12 chs, skip next ch, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, changing to B in last st, turn. Fasten off A.

Row 9-140: Repeat Rows 3-8, 22 times. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends. Block, if desired.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C etc; **ch** = chain; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.