



KNIT
SKILL LEVEL
EASY



Self-Striping Baby Blanket

You'll love how colorful this blanket is without having to add new colors of yarn! This yarn does the color changing for you while you just keep knitting. Start now and have the perfect gift ready for the next baby shower.

Blanket measures 36" x 38" (91 cm x 96 cm)

TEXTURE PATTERN

Row 1 (Right Side): Knit.

Row 2 (Wrong Side): K3, purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Rows 3-4: Repeat Rows 1-2.

Rows 5-6: Knit.

Rows 7-8: Repeat Rows 1-2.

Rows 9-10: Knit.

Row 11: K3, *(K2tog, YO); repeat from * to last 3 sts, K3.

Row 12: Knit.

Repeat Rows 1-12 for Texture Pattern.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

K2tog = Knit 2 sts together as one (decrease).

YO = Yarn over needle (increase).

NOTE:

Blanket is worked back and forth in rows on circular needles, do not join.

BLANKET

With smaller size needles, cast on 118 sts.

Rows 1-5: Knit.

Next Rows: Change to larger size needles and begin working in Texture Pattern. Continue in Texture Pattern until piece measures 37" [94 cm] from cast-on edge, ending with Row 4 of Texture Pattern.

Next Rows: Change to smaller size needles and knit 6 Rows. On last Row, bind off all stitches.



FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit; **k2tog** = knit the next two stitches together; **mm** = millimeters; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **YO** = yarn over needle (increase); * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

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What you will need:

RED HEART® With Love Stripes™: 4 skeins 1973 Candy Stripe

Susan Bates® Circular Knitting Needles: 5.5mm [US 9] and 6.0mm [US 10] 29" long

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 14 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 18 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Stockinette Stitch (knit on right side, purl on wrong side). **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® With Love®, Art. E400 available in solid color 7oz (198 g), 370 yd (338 m), multicolor 5oz (141 g), 230 yd (211 m) and stripes 5 oz (141 g) 223 yds (204 m) skeins

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