



KNIT
SKILL LEVEL
EASY

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Baby Boy Chevron Blanket

Chevrons are the perfect pattern for wrapping a modern baby in soft comfort. This pattern is perfect in any colors. Knit yours to suit baby's nursery or gender.

Blanket measures: 36" wide x 36"
(91 cm x 91 cm)

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

K2tog = Knit 2 stitches together. Insert the right needle into two stitches at the same time and knit. This will result in a decrease of one stitch. This decrease will slant to the right.
YO = Yarn over needle

STITCH

Garter Stitch = Knit every row.

RIPPLE PATTERN (over 12 sts)

Row 1: Knit across row.

Row 2: Purl across row.

Row 3: *(K2tog) twice, (yo, K1) 4 times, (K2tog) twice*, repeat from * to end.

Row 4: Knit across row.

Repeat Rows 1-4 for Ripple Pattern.

NOTE

Blanket is worked back and forth on circular needle, do not join.

TIPS & HINTS

Join a new ball of yarn when there are color changes and/or approximately 6" [15 cm] of yarn left from the old ball. Weave these ends in neatly on the wrong side of the fabric in a zig-zag pattern for a few inches, and then trim off excess.

BLANKET

With **A**, cast on 150 sts.

Rows 1-5: Work in Garter st (3 ridges).

Cut **A** and attach **B**.

Next Row: With **B**, K3, place marker, work Ripple Pattern to last 3 stitches, place marker, K3.

Note: Continue to work K3 on first and last 3 stitches on every row to establish border pattern and work Ripple Pattern inside markers.

*Continue in pattern until 8 rows (2 repeats) have been worked.

Next Rows: Cut **B** and attach **C**. With **C**, work in Garter st 4 rows (2 ridges).

Next Rows: Cut **C** and attach **A**. With **A**, work in Ripple Pattern until 12 rows (3 repeats) have been worked.

Next Rows: Cut **A** and attach **C**. With **C**, work in Garter st 4 rows (2 ridges).

Repeat from * until 7 full repeats have been worked.

Next Rows: Cut **C** and attach **B**. With **B**, work 8 rows in Ripple Pattern.

Next Rows: Cut **B** and attach **A**. With **A**, knit 6 rows in Garter st.

*Bind off 6 sts, k2tog, bind off the k2tog; repeat from *, binding off remaining sts at end. This keeps bind off from being too loose.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C = Colors A, B, C; **cm** = centimeters; **k** = knit; **k2tog** = knit 2 sts. together; **mm** = millimeters; **p** = purl; **RS** = right side; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **yo** = yarn over; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated; **WS** = wrong side.

What you will need:

RED HEART® Soft Baby Steps®:
2 balls each 9505 Aqua A, 9600 White B, 9932 Puppy Print C

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

Yarn needle, stitch markers

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4" [10 cm] in Garter Stitch and 24 rows = 4" [10 cm] for one Ripple Pattern repeat.
CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.

4 **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

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