

Free Knitting Pattern from Lion Brand Yarn Lion Brand, Babysoft, Faux Patchwork Baby Blanket

Pattern Number: 10126AD

SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: One Size About 25 x 35 in. (63.5 x 89 cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Apr 29, 2010. To check for later updates, click here.

MATERIALS

- 920-100 Lion Brand Babysoft Yarn: White
- 1 Ball (A)
- 920-101 <u>Lion Brand Babysoft Yarn: Pastel Pink</u> 1 Ball (B)
- 920-106 Lion Brand Babysoft Yarn: Pastel Blue
- 1 Ball (C)
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles Size 6 [4.00 mm]
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

GAUGE:

20 sts = 4 in. (10 cm) in Garter st (k every row). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE. When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. If it takes you less stitches and rows to make a 4 in. [10 cm] square, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

STITCH EXPLANATION:

V-STITCH EMBROIDERY

V-st Embroidery is worked back and forth between adjoining Strips to join, then across color change lines. V-Stitch Embroidery is worked in 2 steps:

Step 1

Thread large-eyed blunt needle with a length of C, doubled. Working from left to right, work diagonal sts (as when doing cross stitch), spaced about $\frac{1}{2}$ in. (1 cm) apart, across seam or color change line.

Step 2

BLANKET

STRIPS I AND V

With A, cast on 35 sts. Working in Garter st (k every row), work 5 in. (12.5 cm) each with A, B, C, B and A. Bind off.

STRIPS II AND IV

With B, cast on 35 sts. Working in Garter st (k every row), work 5 in. (12.5 cm) each with B, C, A, C and B. Bind off.

STRIP III

With C, cast on 35 sts. Working in Garter st (k every row), work 5 in. (12.5 cm) each with C, A, C, A and C. Bind off.

FINISHING

Lay Strips out in numerical order from left to right. With C, join strips with V-stitch Embroidery. Once strips are joined, work V-Stitch Embroidery across Blanket color change lines, to create a "faux patchwork." With C, work Blanket stitch along outside edge of Blanket, working 3 sts in each corner. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
$\underline{k} = knit$	<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>

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*<u>Baby Soft</u> (Article #920) is a Medium sportweight yarn, 60% acrylic, 40% polyamid. Solids are packaged in 5 oz/141g (459 yd/420m) balls, prints in 4 oz/113g (367 yd/336m) balls.



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