CARO등 CROCHET COLORFUL HALF-STRIPE BABY BLANKET Designed by Tiffany Brown from Daisy Farm Crafts


## ABBREVIATIONS

| Approx = Approximately | Rnd(s) = Round(s) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Beg = Beginning | Sc = Single crochet |
| Ch $=$ Chain(s) | SI st = Slip stitch |
| Hdc = Half double crochet | Sp(s) = Space(s) |
| Pat $=$ Pattern | St(s) $=$ Stitch $($ es $)$ |
| Rep $=$ Repeat | Yoh $=$ Yarn over hook |



## MATERIALS

Caron ${ }^{\circledR}$ Simply Soft ${ }^{\oplus}$ ( $\left.6 \mathrm{oz} / 170 \mathrm{~g} ; 315 \mathrm{yds} / 288 \mathrm{~m}\right)$
Caron ${ }^{\circledR}$ Simply Soft ${ }^{\oplus}$ Heathers ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ ( $5 \mathrm{oz} / 141 \mathrm{~g} ; 250 \mathrm{yds} / 228 \mathrm{~m}$ )
Main Color (MC) White (39701) 4 balls

Baby Girl Version
Contrast A Persimmon (39754) 1 ball
Contrast B Gold (39782) 1 ball
Contrast C Light Country Peach (39737) 1 ball
Contrast D Victorian Rose (39721) 1 ball
Contrast E Gray Heather (H9509) 1 ball
Neutral Version
Contrast A Persimmon (39754) 1 ball
Contrast B Gold (39782) 1 ball
Contrast C Woodland Heather (H9503) 1 ball
Contrast D Bone (39703) 1 ball
Contrast E Gray Heather (H9509) 1 ball
Baby Boy Version
Contrast A Dark Country Blue (39711) 1 ball
Contrast B Gold (39782) 1 ball
Contrast C Light Country Blue (39709) 1 ball
Contrast D Country Blue (39710) 1 ball
Contrast E Gray Heather (H9509) 1 ball
Size U.S. I/9 ( 5 mm ) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.

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## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 34" x 37" [86.5 x 94 cm ].

## GAUGE

14 hdc and 14 rows $=4$ " $[10 \mathrm{~cm}$ ].

## INSTRUCTIONS

## Stripe Pat

Using D as Color 1 and $C$ as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using B as Color 1 and A as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using C as Color 1 and E as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using A as Color 1 and B as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using C as Color 1 and D as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using E as Color 1 and A as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using B as Color 1 and C as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using A as Color 1 and D as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using C as Color 1 and E as Color 2, work 6 rows.
Using D as Color 1 and B as
Color 2, work 6 rows.

Notes: Ch 2 at beg of row does not count as st.


Starting in second row, all sts are worked in space to left of each post in previous row (see diagram). Final st of each row is worked between final hdc post and starting ch.
Start new colors at appropriate points. To change color, work to last 3 loops on hook, yoh with new color. Pull through 3 loops on hook to complete st and proceed in new color.
When working stripe pattern, wind small balls of the colors to be used, one for each separate area of color in the design.

WIth MC, ch 112.
1st row: 1 hdc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 hdc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 110 sts.
2nd to 6th rows: Ch 2 . Working in horizontal bar only, created by hdc at front of work, 1 hdc in each st to end of row. Turn. Proceed in Stripe Pat as follows:
7th to 12th rows: Ch 2.1 hdc in each of next 20 sps. Break MC. Join Color 1.1 hdc in each of next 35 sps. Break Color 1. Join Color 2. 1 hdc in each of next 35 sps. Break Color 2. Join MC. 1 hdc in each sp to end of row. Turn.
13th to 18th rows: With MC, ch 2. 1 hdc in each sp across. Turn.

Following Stripe Pat, rep 7th to 18th rows 9 times more. Do not fasten off. Do not turn.

Border: 1st rnd: 3 hdc in corner. Work 138 hdc down length of Blanket. 3 hdc in corner. Work 1 hdc in each sp across bottom. 3 hdc In corner. Work 138 hdc up length of Blanket. 3 hdc in corner. 1 hdc in each sp across top. Do not join. Do not turn work.

2nd rnd: Work 1 hdc in each sp around, having 3 hdc in each corner sp. Do not join. Do not turn work.
3rd rnd: Work 1 hdc in each st around, having 3 hdc in each corner sp. Join with sl st to first hdc. Fasten off.

