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What you will need:

RED HEART® Anne Geddes Baby™, 1 ball each of 764 Taffy **A**, 556 Jam **B**, 261 Tangerine **C**, 226 Bumble **D**, and 691 Grass **E**

Susan Bates® Knitting Needles: 5.5 mm [US 9]

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 4 mm [US G-6]

GAUGE: 18 sts = 4" (10 cm); 32 rows = 4" (10 cm) in Garter Stitch. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

3 LIGHT

RED HEART® Anne Geddes Baby™, Art. 805 available in solid 3.5 oz (100 g) 334 yd (305 m) and multi 3.5 oz (100 g) 272 yd (248 m)

Bright Stripes Blanket

Baby will love the stimulating stripes of this soft comforting knit blanket with crochet edging. It's wonderful in vibrant colors but, if you prefer, lighter pastels would be beautiful, too.

Finished Size
32½" (82.5 cm) square

Special Stitches
Knit Increase – Knit into the front and the back of the next stitch (1 stitch increase).
Picot – Ch 3, work slip st into second ch from hook (picot made).

BLANKET

With **A**, cast on 3 sts.
Row 1 (Right side): Knit across.
Row 2: Knit increase, K1, knit increase: 5 sts.
Row 3: Knit across.
Row 4: Knit increase, K3, knit increase: 7 sts.
Rows 5-32: K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 32, cut **A**.
Rows 33-48: With **B**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 48, cut **B**.
Rows 49-64: With **C**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 64, cut **C**.
Rows 65-74: With **D**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 74, cut **D**.
Rows 75-84: With **C**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 84, cut **C**.
Rows 85-94: With **A**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 94, cut **A**.
Rows 95-98: With **E**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 98, cut **E**.
Rows 99-118: With **A**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 118, cut **A**.
Rows 119-126: With **D**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 126, cut **D**.
Rows 127-130: With **E**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 130, cut **E**.
Rows 131-134: With **C**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 134, cut **C**.
Rows 135-158: With **B**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 158, cut **B**.
Rows 159-164: With **A**, K3, Yo, knit across, at the end of Row 164, cut **A**.
Rows 165-180: With **C**, K3, Yo, knit across.

Rows 181-186: K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 186, cut **C**.
Rows 187-204: With **D**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 204, cut **D**.
Rows 205-220: With **A**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 220, cut **A**.
Rows 221-226: With **B**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 226, cut **B**.
Rows 227-230: With **E**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 230, cut **E**.
Rows 231-234: With **B**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 234, cut **B**.
Rows 235 and 236: With **E**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K tog, knit across, at the end of Row 236, cut **E**.
Rows 237-246: With **B**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 246, cut **B**.
Rows 247-268: With **A**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 268, cut **A**.
Rows 269-278: With **C**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 278, cut **C**.
Rows 279-302: With **D**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 302, cut **D**.
Rows 303-308: With **C**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 308, cut **C**.
Rows 309-312: With **B**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 312, cut **B**.
Rows 313-330: With **A**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 330, cut **A**.
Rows 331 and 332: With **E**, K2, K2tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across, at the end of Row 332, cut **E**.
Row 333: With **C**, K2, K2 tog, Yo, K2tog, knit across.
Repeat Row 333 for pattern until 7 sts remain.
Next Row: K2 tog, K3, K2tog: 5 sts.
Next Row: Knit across.
Last Row: K2 tog, K1, K2tog: 3 sts.
Bind off all sts in knit.

EDGING

With right side facing and using crochet hook to work in ends of rows, join **C** with sc in any corner.

Round 1 (Right side): Work 2 sc evenly in ends of rows, work Picot, (work 3 sc evenly in ends of rows, work Picot) around to third corner, fasten off; join **A** with sc in next end of row, work 2 sc evenly in ends of rows, work Picot, (work 3 sc evenly in ends of rows, work Picot) around; join with slip st to first sc. Fasten off.

ABBREVIATIONS

ch(s) = chain(s); **cm** = centimeter; **K** = knit; **mm** = millimeter; **sc** = single crochet(s); **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tog** = together; **Yo** = yarn over.