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## Baby Blanket

*Just Stripes Crochet Blanket*

### MEASUREMENTS

Approx 34 ins [86.5 cm] long by 25 ins [63.5 cm] wide.

**MATERIALS:** Bernat Baby Bouclé (113 g/4 oz)

**Main Color (MC)**

(36412 Seashell Stripes) **3 balls**

Contrast A (36413 Sugar Baby Stripes) **3 balls**

Size 6.5 mm (U.S. K or 10½) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

**GAUGE:** 9½ hdc and 6 rows = 4 ins [10 cm].

**INSTRUCTIONS:** This yarn is designed to create stripes while you crochet. There are long sections of two colors, each approx 14 yds [12.9 m] long with short sections approx 9 ins [23 cm] long.

**Note:** Ch 2 does not count as st.

With **white** section of MC, ch 61. Leave rem length of white section unworked (you may cut it and weave it in later) and join next long **pink** section from the same ball with sl st.

**1st row:** (RS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook. 1 hdc in each ch to end of ch. 59 hdc. Turn.

**\*\*2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. *At this point pink section has been worked and white section is ready for next row.*

**3rd row:** With long **white** section, ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. Turn.

**4th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. *At this point white section has been worked.*

Join long **pink** section of A with sl st and proceed as follows:

**5th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. Turn.

**6th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. *At this point pink section has been worked.*

**7th row:** With long **purple** section, ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. Turn.

**8th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. *At this point purple section has been worked.*

Join long **white** section of MC with sl st and proceed as follows:

**9th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. Turn.\*\*

Rep from \*\* to \*\* until work from beg measures approx 34 ins [86.5 cm], ending with pink color. Fasten off.

