



How to Knit a Corner to Corner Baby Blanket

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Skill level: Beginner/Easy

The finished blanket approximately measures 40 by 40 inches (102 cm by 102 cm) in size.

Supplies you will need:

- One 31-inch long Circular needle, Size 11 US or 8mm
- Super Bulky (6) yarn - I have used here [Bernat Softee Chunky Yarn](#) in colors –1 skein of the Teal, 2 skeins of the Sea Green, 2 skeins of the Natural, 2 skeins of the Glowing Gold and 1 skein of the Baby Pink. That's a total of 8 skeins to create the stripe pattern that I have. If you were to make this blanket in one solid color you would probably only need 5 or 6 skeins. I would say 6 skeins to be on the safer side.

Gauge/ tension:

2.75 stitches = 1 inch, 11 stitches= 4 inches, knit in stockinette stitch
Adjust your needle size accordingly to obtain mentioned tension.

Notes:

- The entire blanket is knit in one piece.
- The blanket is knit in stripes of stockinette stitch and garter stitch
- Although you are using circular needles, do not join to complete the loop, but work back and forth in rows instead. The circular needles are used here only to accommodate the large number of stitches.
- The row at which you change from color 1 to color 2 becomes your right side. Make sure that all of other color changes occur on this side itself.

Abbreviations:

KFB: Make one stitch by knitting in the front and then in the back of the same stitch
K2tog: Decrease one stitch by knitting two stitches together.

How to:*Stockinette Increase Stripe:*

Even Rows: KFB of first stitch, Knit till the end

Odd Rows: KFB of first stitch, Purl till the end.

Garter Increase Stripe:

All Rows: KFB, Knit till the end.

Stockinette Decrease Stripe:

Even Rows: K2tog, Knit till the end

Odd Rows: K2tog, Purl till the end.

Garter Decrease Stripe:

All Rows: K2tog, Knit till the end.



Cast on 1 stitch with the circular needles.

Rows 1-10: With Dark Blue yarn, Stockinette Increase Stripe

Rows 11-20: With Lighter Blue yarn, Garter Increase Stripe

Rows 21-30: With Dark Blue yarn, Stockinette Increase Stripe

Rows 31-40: With Lighter Blue yarn, Garter Increase Stripe

Rows 41-50: With Dark Blue yarn, Stockinette Increase Stripe

Rows 51-60: With Lighter Blue yarn, Garter Increase Stripe

Rows 61-70: With Dark Blue yarn, Stockinette Increase Stripe

Rows 71-80: With Lighter Blue yarn, Garter Increase Stripe

Rows 81-90: With Dark Blue yarn, Stockinette Increase Stripe

Rows 91-100: With Lighter Blue yarn, Garter Increase Stripe

Rows 101-110: With Cream yarn, Stockinette Increase Stripe

Rows 111-120: With Lighter Blue yarn, Garter Increase Stripe

Rows 121-125: With Cream yarn, Stockinette Increase Stripe

Rows 126-130: With Cream yarn, Stockinette Decrease Stripe

Rows 131-140: With Yellow yarn, Garter Decrease Stripe

Rows 141-150: With Cream yarn, Stockinette Decrease Stripe

Rows 151-160: With Yellow yarn, Garter Decrease Stripe

Rows 161-170: With Baby pink yarn, Stockinette Decrease Stripe

Rows 171-180: With Yellow yarn, Garter Decrease Stripe

Rows 181-190: With Baby pink yarn, Stockinette Decrease Strip

Rows 191-200: With Yellow yarn, Garter Decrease Stripe

Rows 201-210: With Baby pink yarn, Stockinette Decrease Stripe

Rows 211-220: With Yellow yarn, Garter Decrease Stripe

Rows 221-230: With Baby pink yarn, Stockinette Decrease Stripe

Rows 231-240: With Yellow yarn, Garter Decrease Stripe

Rows 241-250: With Baby pink yarn, Stockinette Decrease Stripe, Bind off loosely. Tuck in stray yarn ends. For more pictures of the steps, visit www.smilingcolors.com