Rainbow SherbetBaby Ripple Blanket Crochet Pattern

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	Abbreviations – US Terms
• Scissors • tapestry needle • H, 5 mm crochet hook • 8 -4.2 oz skein - Bernat Softee Baby Cotton Yarn, 1 in of each of these colors: Cotton, Blush, Petal, Duckling, Jade Frost, Dusk Sky, Pale Periwinkle, & Soft Plum or 8 skeins each 254 yd of weight 3 yarn	• **yo** – yarn over • **hdc –** half double crochet stitch • 2**hdctog –** half double crochet stitch decrease • ch - chain

special stitch -2 half double crochet stitch decrease– Yarn over, insert hook in specified stitch and draw up a loop; three loops on the hook, Keeping these three loops on hook, yarn over and draw up a loop in the next stitch, then draw through all 5 stitches.

You can make a larger or smaller blanket by using 12 +2 chain. The pattern is 8 rows of color followed by 1 row of white repeated twice ending in violet.

Approx. 30 in x 50 in (76 cm x 127 cm)

Color A – Petal

Chain 146

Row 1 – crochet *hdc* in 3 chain from hook

*Work 1 *hdc* in each of the next 3 *ch*. In the next 2 chains, **2hdctog** (Yarn over, insert hook in specified stitch and draw up a loop; three loops on the hook, Keeping these three loops on hook, yarn over and draw up a loop in the next stitch, then draw through all 5 stitches). **2hdctog** again in the next two chains(1 stitch). Work 1 *hdc* in each of the next 3 CH, then work **2 hdc** in next CH**,** and another **2 hdc** in the next chain.

Repeat from * across to the last *ch*. 2 *hdc* into that last *ch*. *Ch* 2 and turn.

Row 2: hdc in the next stitch

*Work 1 *hdc* in each of the next 3 *ch*. In the next two chains, 2*hdctog***.** Then 2*hdctog* again in the next two chains((1 stitch). Work 1 *hdc* in each of the next 3 *ch*, then work **2 hdc** in next *ch***,** and another **2 hdc** in the next chain.

Repeat from * across to the last *ch*. Work 2 *hdc* into the top of the *ch* 2 turning chain from the previous row. *Ch* 2 and turn.

Repeat row 2 for the rest of the blanket until you reach your desired length.

Color changes:

8 rows of Petal, 1 rows of Cotton, 8 rows of Blush, 1 row of Cotton, 8 rows of Duckling, 1 row of Cotton, 8 rows of Jade Frost, 1 row of Cotton, 8 rows of Dusk Sky, 1 row of Cotton, 8 rows of Pale Periwinkle, 1 row of Cotton, 8 rows of Soft Plum, 1 row of Cotton. Repeat once ending on Soft Plum.

Knot and weave in ends using a tapestry needle. Cut off excess yarn. Enjoy your Rainbow Sherbet Ripple Crochet Baby Blanket.