



MATERIALS

Bernat® Alize® Blanket-EZ™ (6.4 oz/180 g; 18 yds/16 m)

Main Colour (MC) Country Blue (37108) **1 ball**

Contrast A Cream (37013) **1 ball**

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Learn to use Bernat® Alize® Blanket-EZ™. Watch the EZ Garter Stitch Baby Blanket Tutorial.

 CRAFT | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

MEASUREMENTS

Approximately 25" x 27" [63.5 x 68.5 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: When beginning project, yarn end can start at far right or far left. Instructions are written with yarn end starting on the far left. Please reverse direction throughout the pattern if the opposite is more comfortable.

Stripe Pattern

With MC, work 4 rows.

With A, work 2 rows.

These 6 rows form Stripe Pattern.

With MC, count 35 loops for foundation row (noting yarn end is at far right and all loops are facing upwards).

1st row: Working from **right to left**, pull the 36th loop (from 'working yarn') up through 35th loop (last loop of foundation row) from behind to create a knit stitch. Pull next loop from working yarn up through the next loop of foundation row. Continue in this manner to end of row. **Do not** turn work. 35 stitches in row.

2nd row: Working from **left to right**, with working yarn in front, pull next loop from working yarn towards back through last stitch worked on previous row. *Pull next loop from working yarn towards back through next stitch. Repeat from * across to end of row. **Do not** turn.

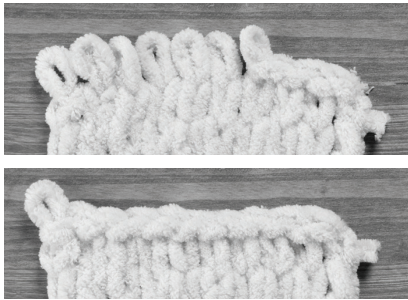
3rd row: Working from **right to left**, with working yarn in back, pull next loop from working yarn up from behind through last stitch worked on previous row. *Pull next loop from working yarn up from behind through next stitch. Repeat from * across to end of row. **Do not** turn.

4th row: As 2nd row.

First four rows of Stripe Pattern are complete. Break MC. Join A. Keeping continuity of Stripe Pattern, repeat 3rd and 4th rows 13 times more.

Bind off row: Working in **same direction as last row**, pull 2nd stitch through first stitch. Pull 3rd stitch through 2nd stitch. Pull 4th stitch through 3rd stitch. Continue in this manner to end of row.

Cut last loop to create yarn 'tail'. Tie to secure and weave in ends.



Pompoms (make 4).

With A, count out 11 loops for pom-pom. Draw 2nd loop through first loop; draw 3rd loop through 2nd loop; draw 4th loop through 3rd loop; continue in this manner until 8 loops have been worked. Cut next 3 unworked loops to create yarn 'tail'. Weave yarn tail through 8th loop to fasten off. Weave tail through 1st loop to form a ring. Weave yarn tail through each loop around **top** edge of ring. Weave same yarn tail through each loop around **bottom** edge of ring. Pull tail tight to cinch pom-pom. Use tail to affix Pompoms to each corner of Blanket.



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