



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Ch = Chain(s)
Cont = Continue
Inc = Increase(ing)
Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)

Sc = Single crochet
Sl st = Slip stitch
Sp(s) = Space(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 14½" [35.5] diameter
 x 14½" [35.5] high.

GAUGE

7 sc and 7 rows = 4" [10 cm] with
 2 strands of yarn held together.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Join all rnds with sl st to first sc.

With 2 strands of A held tog, ch 2.

1st rnd: 8 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Join.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 2 sc in each sc around. Join. 16 sc.

3rd rnd: Ch 1. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * around. Join. 24 sc.

4th rnd: Ch 1. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc. Rep from * around. Join. 32 sc.

5th rnd: Ch 1. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 3 sc. Rep from * around. Join. 40 sc.

6th rnd: Ch 1. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 sc. Rep from * around. Join. 48 sc.

7th rnd: Ch 1. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. Rep from * around. Join. 56 sc.

8th rnd: Ch 1. *2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc. Rep from * around. Join. 64 sc.

9th to 13th rnds: Cont in this manner, inc 8 sc evenly around (as established). 104 sc at end of 13th rnd.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Baby Blanket™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 220 yds/201 m)

Contrast A Baby Pink (03200) **2 balls or 290 yds/265 m**

Contrast B Baby Peach (03512) **1 ball or 135 yds/124 m**

Contrast C Baby Yellow (03615) **1 ball or 75 yds/69 m**

Contrast D Seafoam (03736) **1 ball or 110 yds/100 m**

Contrast E Baby Blue (03202) **1 ball or 150 yds/137 m**

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

Next rnd: Ch 1. Working in back loops only, 1 sc in each sc around. Join. Place marker at end of rnd.

Next rnd: Ch 1. Working in both loops, 1 sc in each sc around. Join.

Next rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join.

Rep last rnd twice more, joining B at end of last rnd.

With B, rep last rnd 5 times, joining C at end of last rnd.

With C, rep last rnd 5 times, joining D at end of last rnd.

With D, rep last rnd 5 times, joining E at end of last rnd.

With E, rep last rnd twice.

Next rnd (Handle openings):

Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 21 sc.

Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in each of next 8 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in each of next 42 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in each of next 8 sc. Ch 1.

Skip next sc. 1 sc in each sc to end of rnd. Join.

Next rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc and ch-1 sp around. Join.

Next rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join. Fasten off.

Handles: With 2 strands of E held tog, ch 26.

Thread chain through first ch-1 sp of Handle opening rnd and back out through second ch-1 sp of same rnd. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring, being careful not to twist.

Next rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each ch around, rotating chain through Handle opening for ease of working. Join. Fasten off.

Rep for second Handle.

