

# Baby Diamonds Blanket

An Anti-Craft Pattern

## Materials

- Pram/bassinet blanket: Approx 330m (200g) of 10ply yarn (I used Red Heart With Love Yarn in 'Blue Hawaii' colour)
- Cot blanket: Approx 730m (440g) of 10ply yarn
- Pair of 6mm needles; larger size will need a 6mm circular needle to accommodate the number of stitches



## Instructions

Cast on 83 (131) stitches

Knit 8 rows

Row 9: K9, \*P1, K7, repeat to last 10 stitches, P1, K9

Row 10: K5, P3 \*K1, P1, K1, P5, repeat to last 11 stitches, K1, P1, K1, P3, K5

Row 11: K7, \*P1, K3, repeat to last 8 stitches, P1, K7

Row 12: K5, P1, \*K1, P5, K1, P1, repeat to last 5 stitches, K5

Row 13: K5, \*P1, K7, repeat to last 6 stitches, P1, K5

Row 14: K5, P1, \*K1, P5, K1, P1, repeat to last 5 stitches, K5

Row 15: K7, \*P1, K3, repeat to last 8 stitches, P1, K7

Row 16: K5, P3 \*K1, P1, K1, P5, repeat to last 11 stitches, K1, P1, K1, P3, K5

Repeat rows 9-16 eighteen (25) times

Repeat row 1

Knit 7 rows

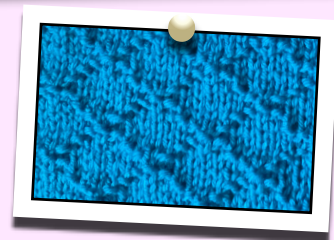
Cast off loosely

Sew in ends and block to measurements.

## Measurements

Pram/bassinet blanket: Approx 59cm x 75cm  
[standard Australian bassinet mattress is 40cm x 76cm]

Cot blanket: Approx 93cm x 100cm  
[standard Australian cot mattress is 77cm x 103cm]



## Gauge

14 stitches x 22 rows to 10cm square (over pattern)

[note that this is a slightly looser gauge than recommended on the band of the yarn]

## Autism Fact

Autism presents differently in girls. The diagnostic criteria for autism are based largely on how it presents in males, so females are under-diagnosed. Girls may also be diagnosed later than boys due to their ability to mask their autistic characteristics.

Autism: Awareness, Acceptance, Appreciation



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