



# Popcorn Baby Blanket

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This is a great sized blanket for an infant it is about 30" X 38". It is made

with "I Love This Yarn" yarn and is easy to make but so cute to handle. Enjoy this one.

Materials: Crochet hook Size I, I love This Yarn (100% Cotton): colors- 2 skein Pistachio, 3 skeins Mulberry, and 2 skeins Ivory, Darning needle. Skeins size is a size 4 medium yarn, 3.5 ounces- 180 yards.

CC = Change Color

CH = Chain

SL = Slip Stitch

SC = Single Crochet

DC = Double Crochet

DC5tog = Double Crochet 5 together

Square Motif – Make 6 mulberry square and 6 pistachio squares

Base: CH 24

Row 1: Start in 3<sup>rd</sup> CH from hook, 22 DC, Ch 1, turn.

Row 2: SC, \*DC 5tog in next sp, 4 SC, Rep from \* 3 times, SC, Ch 2, turn.

Row 3: Sk 1 SC sp, 21 DC, CH 1, turn.

Row 4: \* 4 SC, DC5tog in next sp, Rep from \* 3 times, 2 SC, Ch 2 turn.

Row 5: Rep row 3.

Row 6-15: rep Rows 2-5, you should end with a rep of row 3.

Row 16: 22 SC, Tie off and hide string. Do not turn your work. CC to Ivory

Perimeter:

Rnd 1: Connect Ivory to right top corner (right side facing you), 21 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 21 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 21 SC, 3 SC in corner, 21 SC, 2 SC in 1<sup>st</sup> SC sp, SL to 1<sup>st</sup> sc made, CH 1, turn.

Rnd 2: SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 23 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 23 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 23 SC, 3 SC in next, 21 SC, SL to 1<sup>st</sup> SC made, CH 1, turn.

Rnd 3: 23 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 25 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 25 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 25 SC, 3 SC in corner sp, 1 SC, SL to 1<sup>st</sup> Sc made, Tie off hide string.

After making all 12 squares sew the squares together with ivory yarn in a checkered pattern in any chosen manner.

After sewing all the motifs together with right side facing you next step is the border.

Border:

Rnd 1: SC around the blanket, 3 SC in corner sps, then sl to 1<sup>st</sup> SC made, CC to mulberry.

Rnd 2: CH 2, DC around blanket, 3 DC in corner sps, SL to 1<sup>st</sup> DC made, CH 1, turn.

Rnd 3: 2 SC, \*DC5tog, 4 SC, rep from \* around blanket, 3 SC in corner sps, SL to 1<sup>st</sup> SC made, Ch 2, turn.

Rnd 4: DC around perimeter of blanket 3 DC in corner spaces, SL to 1<sup>st</sup> DC made, Tie off and hide string.

Now you have a fabulous blanket!