Eyelet Baby Blanket

Knit a blanket in a gender-neutral shade and have it ready for the next baby shower. This soft beautiful blanket will cushion baby while playing or when a little comfort is needed.

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Blanket measures 35" x 38".

Red Heart® Plush Baby™: 5 balls 9251 Lemon.

Circular Knitting Needles: 5mm [US 8] – 36".

Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 14 sts = 4"; 22 rows = 4" in pattern. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATION
Loop = [Move st on right needle back to left needle, K1] two times.

BLANKET
Cast on 121 sts.
Row 1 (Right Side): K8; [P7, K7] eight times; K1.
Row 2: P8; [K7, P7] eight times; P1.
Row 3: K4, yo, K2tog, K2; [P3, yo, P2tog, P2, K3, yo, K2tog, K2] eight times; K1.
Row 4: Repeat Row 2.
Row 5: K2, K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog, K1; [P1, P2tog, yo, P1, yo, P2tog, P1, K1, K2tog, yo, K1, yo, K2tog, K1] eight times; K1.
Row 6: Repeat Row 2.
Row 7: K3, K2tog, yo, K3; [P2, P2tog, yo, P3, K2, K2tog, yo, K3] eight times; K1.
Row 8: Repeat Row 2.
Repeat Rows 2-8 eighteen more times.
Last Row: K8; [P7, K7] eight times; K1.
Bind off all sts.

Shell Edging
Row 1 (Right Side): Beginning at bound-off edge, *[pick up and K6 sts across next square] 19 times; continuing along next side [pick up and K6 sts across next square] 16 times; pick up and K5 sts across next square; repeat from * one more time – 430 sts; place marker for beginning of row.
Row 2: Purl.
Row 3: K1; *work 5 sts in next st; turn; P5, slip next st, turn; K2tog; [Loop; K1, pass first stitch on needle over next st] three times; Loop; K2tog, pass first stitch on needle over next st; bind off 3 sts; repeat from * to end. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Red Heart® Plush Baby™, Art 796 available in solid color 3.5 oz (100g), 176 yd (161m) and multicolor 3 oz (85 g), 150 yd (137 m) balls.

ABBREVIATIONS: K = knit; K2tog = knit two together; mm = millimeters; P = purl; P2tog = purl two together; st(s) = stitch(es); yo = yarn over; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated; [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.
14-st repeat

- k on RS, p on WS
- p on RS, k on WS
- yarn over
- k2tog on RS, p2tog on WS
- p2tog on RS, k2tog on WS

7-row repeat