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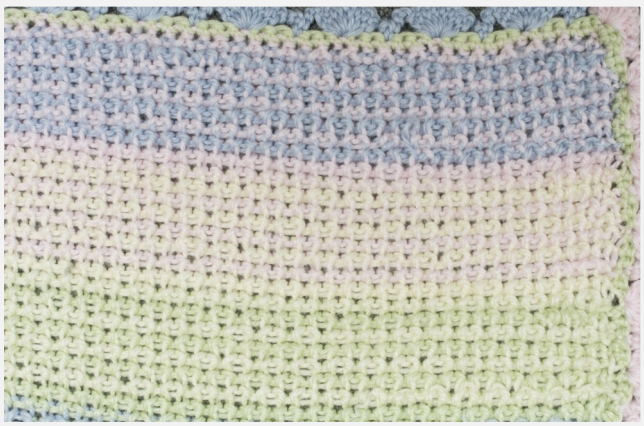

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Pattern uses both knitting and optional crochet elements. The main body is knit and it has a shell pattern crocheted edge or fringe.

Skill Level:

Easy/Intermediate

Size:

Approx. 40”x 30”

Materials:

Cascade Yarns® Cherub Aran
55% Nylon / 45% Acrylic
100 g (3.5 oz) / 240 yds (220 m)
A - 1 skein of color #04 (Baby Pink)
B - 1 skein of color #64 (Marine Blue)
C - 1 skein of color #10 (Lemon)
D - 1 skein of color #11 (Key Lime)
US 10 knitting needles
Crochet Hook Size I (5.50 mm)
Yarn Needle

Gauge:

14 sts x 20 rows = 4” (10 cm) in pattern stitch.
Optional: 3 shells x 8 rows = 4” (10 cm) in Shell Pattern.

Abbreviations:

BO	= Bind Off
CO	= Cast On
Ch	= Chain
Dc	= Double Crochet
K	= Knit
P	= Purl
Sc	= Single Crochet
Sk	= Skip
St(s)	= Stitch(es)

Note: *If it helps you, write in the colors you will be using below.*
Color B never meets color C, and color A never meets color D.

Color A: Color B: Color C: Color D:

Pattern stitch:

Row 1. K1, *[P1, K1 in the stitch below]; repeat from * to last st, end with K1.
Row 2. Knit across all sts.
Row 3. K1, *[K1 in the st below, P1]; repeat from * to last st, end with K1.
Row 4. Knit across all sts.

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Begin Pattern:
CO 134 sts with color A, Knit 1 row.
Attach color B and work 2 rows in pattern.
Work 2 rows with color A.
Do this 4 times. (16 rows total)
Cut color B.
Attach color C.
Work 2 rows in pattern with color A, then 2 rows with color C.
Do this 4 times.
Cut color A. Attach color D.
Work 2 rows in pattern with color C, then 2 rows with color D.
Do this 4 times.
Cut color C. Attach color B.
Work 2 rows in pattern with color D, then 2 rows with color B.
Do this 4 times.
Cut color D. Attach color A.
Repeat the above sequence a total of 3 times.
This gives 12 bars of complementary colors.
BO with color B.

Optional edgings:
Sc around entire blanket using whichever color you choose (the 1 you have the most of).
Working shell design around edges using 1 color for each side of the blanket.

Shell pattern:
7 dc in 1 st, ch 3, sk 2 sts, sc, ch 3, repeat around blanket.

Alternate edge:
Use left-over yarn to make multicolor fringe and attach on short ends of blanket.

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