

Patchwork Baby Blanket (2 versions)

Supplies:

2 8 oz. skeins of worsted weight yarn

Size 13 circular needles

Cast on 73 stitches with two strands of yarn-entire blanket is knit with yarn doubled

Knit in garter stitch for 6 rows

7th row, this is the FIRST row of the pattern: knit 4, place a marker, k 13, p

13,k13,p13,k13,place marker, k4

8th row, this is the wrong side now, k4, slide marker, p13,k13,p13k13,p13,slide marker, k4

Continue with these two rows until 18 rows have been completed

19th row, k4, slide marker, p13,k13,p13,k13,p13, slide marker, k4

20th row, k4, slide marker, k13,p13,k13,p13,k13,slide marker, k4

Continue with established pattern until either 5 or 7 blocks have been completed

On right side, begin knitting the 6 rows of garter stitch.. After completing these 6 rows, bind off the stitches loosely (to match the cast on texture)

2nd Baby Blanket:

Red Heart or similar – 4skeins, working 2 yarns together

Or Lion Brand Homespun – 2 skeins, working w 1 yarn

Knitting needles, size 17

Directions: 1. Working one yarn or multiple yarns together, cast on 96 stitches

2. Row 1: *K6,P6; rep from * to end.

3. Rows 2-5 : Repeat row 1

4. Row 6: *P6,K6; rep from * to end

5. Rows 7-10: Repeat row 6

6. Repeat row 1-10 until piece measures 36" or desired length

7. Cast off