

Pastel Rainbow Ripple Afghan



Materials

J/10 6.00 mm crochet hook

1 (7 ounce) skein Caron 'Simply Soft' Soft Pink yarn

2 (5 ounce) skeins Caron 'Simply Soft Eco' Peachy (or one 7 oz. skein of 'Simply Soft' Light Country Peach) yarn

2 (5 ounce) skeins Caron 'Simply Soft Eco' Sundrop (or one 7 oz. skein of 'Simply Soft' Soft Yellow) yarn

1 (7 ounce) skein Caron 'Simply Soft' Soft Green yarn

2 (5 ounce) skeins Caron 'Simply Soft Eco' Aqua Mist yarn

1 (7 ounce) skein Caron 'Simply Soft' Soft Blue yarn

1 (7 ounce) skein Caron 'Simply Soft' Orchid yarn

3 (7 ounce) skeins Caron 'Simply Soft' Off-white yarn

Yarn needle

Pattern Abbreviations

ch: chain

sc: single crochet

dc: double crochet

st: stitch

BLO: Back Loops Only

*: Repeat directions between *-*



Gauge: 3 ½ inches from valley to valley after 10 rows/5 ridges completed

Finished size: 52 inches W x 74 inches L

Ch 284 with Off-white yarn

Row 1: In 2nd ch from hook, work *1 sc into the back loop of each of 8 ch, 3 sc into next ch, 1 sc into each next 8 ch, skip 2 ch*, repeat between * down ch (ending with 3 sc into 1 ch, 1 sc into each of 8 sc), ch 1, turn

Row 2: *Working in BLO, skip over 1st sc (on this and all rows throughout), 1 sc into each of 8 sc, 3 sc into next sc, 1 sc into each next 8 sc, skip 2 sc*, repeat to end of row (on last 8 sc, skip over the 2nd to last sc (on this all rows throughout), ch 1, turn.

Rows 3-8: Repeat row 2 (for a total of 8 rows/4 ridges of Off-white), changing yarn to Soft Pink on last sc, ch 1, turn

Rows 9-18: Repeat rows 2-8 (5 ridges), change yarn to Off-white on last sc

Row 19: In BLO, skip over 1st sc, work (1 stitch in each sc) *sc, dc, sc, dc, sc, dc, sc, dc; into next sc work 1 sc, 1 dc, and 1 sc (all in the same stitch), then 1 dc, sc, dc, sc, dc, sc, dc, sc in each next 8 sc, skip 2 sc*, repeat pattern stitch down the row, ch 2, turn

Row 20: Repeat row 19 except work all stitches through both loops, change yarn to Soft Pink on last sc

Rows 21-30: Repeat rows 9-18 (5 ridges), change yarn to Off-white on last sc

Rows 31-34: Repeat rows 19-20 twice, changing to peach on last sc

Repeat as above throughout afghan, you will have two 5-ridge sections of each color (divided by one ridge of sc/dc Off-white), and two ridges of sc/dc Off-white dividing each color change, ending with 8 rows/4 ridges of Off-white:

Off-white (8 rows/4 ridges)

Soft Pink (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (2 rows/1 ridge)

Soft Pink (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (4 rows/2 ridges)

Peach (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (2 rows/1 ridge)

Peach (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (4 rows/2 ridges)

Sundrop (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (2 rows/1 ridge)

Sundrop (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (4 rows/2 ridges)

Soft Green (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (2 rows/1 ridge)

Soft Green (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (4 rows/2 ridges)

Aqua Mist (10 rows/5 ridges)

Off-white (2 rows/1 ridge)

Aqua Mist (10 rows/5 ridges)



Off-white (4 rows/2 ridges)
Soft Blue (10 rows/5 ridges)
Off-white (2 rows/1 ridge)
Soft Blue (10 rows/5 ridges)
Off-white (4 rows/2 ridges)
Orchid (10 rows/5 ridges)
Off-white (2 rows/1 ridge)
Orchid (10 rows/5 ridges)
Off-white (8 rows/4 ridges)

For finishing, weave in all ends except beginning chain end (leave as a place marker), crochet one row of sc in Off-white along both long side edges, then work a row of alternating sc and dc stitches around entire afghan beginning at the chain end, weave in all remaining ends.

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