# DUFA BABY BLANKET

#### FREE KNITTING PATTERN



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Skill level: easy

#### One size

Finished measurements about: 23" x 28" (57 x 70 cm)

#### **MATERIALS**

DK (11 wpi; 8 ply; no 3: Light) such as Sublime Yarns Baby Cashmere Merino Silk DK in two colors both about 100g or 255y

Knitting needles size US 8 (5 mm) or to obtain gauge 4"x 4"(10 x 10 cm) = 20 sts x 25 rows (in garter stitch)

Tapestry needle

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

MC and CC – main and contrast color RS and WS – right and wrong side of the work St(s) – stitch or stitches

K- knit

P - purl

Yo – yarn over

### PATTERN NOTES

Before you start, check your gauge

The blanket is knitted bottom up

#### THE BLANKET

Cast on with MC (white) 106 stitches and work garter sts for 4 rows.

Continue in the pattern:

Row 1 (CC yarn - blue): Knit all sts

Row 2 (CC yarn): Knit all sts

Row 3 (MC yarn): K6 \*1 YO, K1, 2 YO's, K1, 3 YO's, K1, 2

YO's, K1, 1 YO, K6\*, repeat from \*-\* all across

Row 4 (MC yarn): Knit all sts dropping the YO's off the

needle

Row 5 (CC yarn): Knit all sts

Row 6 (CC yarn): Knit all sts

**Row 7 (MC yarn):** K1 \*1 YO, K1, 2 YO's, K1, 3 YO's, K1, 2 YO's, K1, 1 YO, K6\*, repeat from \*-\* all across ending the

last repeat with k1

Row 8 (MC yarn): Knit all sts dropping the YO's off the

needle

Repeat rows 1-8, until the blanket measures about 24" (60 cm). If you want to add length to the blanket, work more rows.

Continue with CC in garter stitch for 3" (7 cm), work 4 rows with MC and change back to CC for last 10 rows, bind off all sts.

## **BOW**

With MC cast on 15 sts, knit garter stitch for 10 rows and bind off all sts.

Wrap some CC around the middle of the piece making it into a bow and with cast on and bind off edges horizontally, seam it to the MC color stripe.

Weave in all ends. Block the blanket



