

Pattern Collection: Children



Sugar Drops Blanket

Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Width: 29" Length: 32"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn *Little Bird* (100% microfiber acrylic; 100g/344 yds)

- 112 Ghostie Gray (MC) 2 balls
- 105 Wee Violet (CC1) 1 ball
- 110 New Leaf (CC2) 1 ball
- 102 Bright Sun (CC3) 1 ball

Needles: US Size 5 (3.75 mm) 32" circular (or longer) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

US Size 3 (3.25 mm) 32" circular (or longer)

Notions: Tapestry needle

GAUGE

25 sts x 36 rows = 4" in Sugar Drops patt using larger ndl 25 sts x 50 rows = 4" in garter stitch using smaller ndl Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

In the Sugar Drops pattern, there is only one color used per row. Color is changed every 4 rows. Leave the unused color hang at the side of the work.

STITCH GUIDE

Right Cross (RC): K2tog but do not slip sts from ndl, knit first st again, slip both sts to right ndl. Left Cross (LC): Going behind the first st on the left

ndl, knit the second st on the left ndl through the back lp, then knit the skipped st, slip both sts to right ndl.

Long Stitch (LS): Insert ndl into corresponding st 5 rows below next st and k1, dropping unworked st above from left ndl and letting it unravel down to where long stitch was worked.

Sugar Drops

(multiple of 6 sts + 3)

Row 1 (RS): With MC, knit. Row 2 (WS): With MC, purl.

Row 3: With MC, k2, * RC, k1, LC, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 4: With MC, purl. Row 5: With CC, knit. Row 6: With CC, purl.

Row 7: With CC, k2, LC, k1, RC, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 8: With CC, purl.

Row 9: With MC, k4, * LS, k5; rep from * to last 5 sts, LS, k4.

Row 10: With MC, purl.

Row 11: With MC, k2, * RC, k1, LC, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 12: With MC, purl.

Row 13: With CC, k1, * LS, k5; rep from * to last 2 sts, LS, k1.

Row 14: With CC, purl.

Row 15: With CC, k2, LC, k1, RC, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 16: With CC, purl. Rep Rows 9-16 for patt.

BLANKET

With MC and smaller ndl, cast on 171 sts. Knit 8 rows. Switch to larger ndl.

Stripe 1

Using CC1 as CC, work Rows 1-16 of Sugar Drops patt, then rep Rows 9-16, 2 more times.

Stripe 2

Using CC2 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 3

Using CC3 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 4

Using CC1 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 5

Using CC2 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 6

Using CC3 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 7

Using CC1 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 8

Using CC2 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 9

Using CC3 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 10

Using CC1 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times.

Stripe 11

Using CC2 as CC, rep Rows 9-16, 3 times, then rep Rows 9-10, 1 more time. Switch to smaller ndl. Knit 8 rows. Bind off all sts.

Long Edging

With MC and smaller ndl, pick up and knit 200 sts along long side of piece. Knit 7 rows. Bind off all sts. Rep for other side.

FINISHING

Weave in ends and block.

Abbreviations

ndl

circ circular k knit

k2tog knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)

needle

patt pattern р purl rep repeat RS right side stitch(es) st(s) together tog WS wrong side yarn over yo

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