

Pattern Collection: Children



Wraparound Blankie Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

SIZES One Size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS Length: 30½" Width: 30½"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn *Uptown DK Magix* (100% anti-pilling acrylic; 100g/273 yds)

- 702 Purple Party (A) 1 skein
- 706 Swing Set (B) 1 skein

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- 109 Purple (C) 1 skein
- 114 Sea (D) 1 skein

Needles: US Size 7 (4.5 mm) 32" circular *or size needed to obtain gauge* **Notions:** Tapestry needle

GAUGE

20 sts x 27 rows = 4" in St st 1 Square meas 6" across Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

The patterning in this little throw looks more complicated than it actually is. The beauty of Uptown DK Magix is that the stripes and dots appear...like magic! Pick two of your favorite Magix colorways, pair them with two coordinating colors of Uptown DK, and get ready for some fun.

This blanket is worked in pieces and sewn together, making it a great travel project.

BLANKET

SQUARE A-C (make 2)

With A, cast on 2 sts.

Increase Section Row 1 (RS): [Kfb] 2 times – 4 sts. Row 2 (WS): [Pfb, p1] 2 times – 6 sts. Row 3: With C, k2, m1, knit to last 2 sts, m1, k2 -2 sts inc'd, 8 sts. Row 4: With C purl. Row 5: With C k2, m1, knit to last 2 sts, m1, k2 -2 sts inc'd, 10 sts. Row 6: With C p2, m1p, purl to last 2 sts, m1p, p2 – 2 sts inc'd, 12 sts **Rows 7-8:** With A, rep Rows 3-4 – 14 sts. **Rows 9-10:** With C, rep Rows 5-6 – 18 sts. Rows 11-12: With C, rep Rows 3-4 – 20 sts. **Rows 13-14:** With A, rep Rows 5-6 – 24 sts. **Rows 15-16:** With C, rep Rows 3-4 – 26 sts. **Rows 17-18:** With C, rep Rows 5-6 – 30 sts. Rows 19-20: With A, rep Rows 3-4 – 32 sts. Rows 21-22: With C, rep Rows 5-6 – 36 sts. **Rows 23-24:** With C, rep Rows 3-4 – 38 sts. **Rows 25-26:** With A, rep Rows 5-6 – 42 sts.

Decrease Section

Row 1: With C, k1, ssk, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 2 sts dec'd, 40 sts rem.
Row 2: With C, purl.
Row 3: With C, k1, ssk, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 2 sts dec'd, 38 sts rem.
Row 4: With C p1, p2tog, purl to last 3 sts, ssp, p1 – 2 sts dec'd, 36 sts rem.
Rows 5-6: With C, rep Rows 1-2 – 34 sts rem.
Rows 7-8: With A, rep Rows 3-4 – 30 sts rem.
Rows 9-10: With C, rep Rows 1-2 – 28 sts rem.
Rows 11-12: With C, rep Rows 3-4 – 24 sts rem.

Rows 13-14: With A, rep Rows 1-2 – 22 sts rem. Rows 15-16: With C, rep Rows 3-4 – 18 sts rem. Rows 17-18: With C, rep Rows 1-2 – 16 sts rem. Rows 19-20: With A, rep Rows 3-4 – 12 sts rem. Rows 21-22: With C, rep Rows 1-2 – 10 sts rem. Rows 23-24: With C, rep Rows 3-4 – 6 sts rem. Rows 25-26: With A, rep Rows 1-2 – 4 sts rem. Rows 27-28: With C, [p2tog] 2 times – 2 sts rem. Bind off all sts.

SQUARE B-D

Make as for Square A-C, substituting B for A, and D for C.

Assemble Squares using diagram as guide. Sew sides of Squares tog.

Squares Edging

D Edging (make 2)

With D, cast on 6 sts, work even in St st until piece meas 12". Bind off all sts. Sew one side of D Edging to one side of Assembled Squares. Sew the other D Edging to opposite side of Squares.

C Edging (make 2)

With C, cast on 6 sts. Work even in St st until piece meas 14½". Bind off all sts. Sew C Edgings to other two sides of Assembled Squares.

Border Strip A (make 2)

With A, cast on 34 sts. Work in St st until piece meas $21\frac{3}{2}$. Bind off all sts.

Border Strip B (make 2)

With B, cast on 34 sts. Work in St st until piece meas 21¹/₄". Bind off all sts.

Sew Border Strips to Assembled Squares with Edgings, using diagram as a guide. Sew ends of Border Strips to sides of touching Border Strips as necessary.

Outer Edging C

With C and RS facing, pick up and knit 140 sts evenly along edge of Assembled Squares with Borders. Knit 7 rows in garter st. Bind off all sts. Rep for opposite side.

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Outer Edging D With D, pick up and knit 6 sts along side of Outer Edging C, 140 sts along edge of Assembled	St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
Squares with Borders, and 6 sts along side of	st(s)	stitch(es)
other Outer Edging C. Knit 7 rows in garter st.	tog	together
Bind off all sts. Rep for opposite side.	WS	wrong side

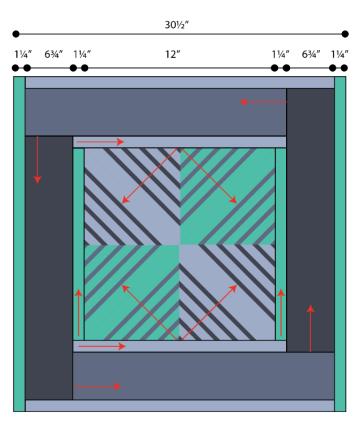
FINISHING

Weave in ends and block.

Abbreviations

Abbieviations	
dec('d)	decrease(d)
garter st	knit every row
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st
	dec'd)
kfb	knit into front and back of next st
	(1 st inc'd)
m1	insert left needle from front to
	back under horizontal strand of
	yarn lying between st just
	worked and next st, knit or purl
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	this st through the back loop (1
	st inc'd)
m1p	insert left needle from back to
	front under horizontal strand
	of yarn lying between st just
	worked and next st, purl this st
	through the front loop (1 st
	inc'd)
meas	measures
р	purl
p2tog	purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
pfb	purl front and back (1 st inc'd)
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
RS	right side
ssk	slip next 2 sts individually
	knitwise, slip them back to left
	needle in this position, knit
	them together through the
	back loops (1 st dec'd)
6 G B	slip next 2 sts individually
ssp	
	knitwise, slip them back to left
	needle in this position, purl
	them together through the back
	loops (1 st dec'd)

St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS
	rows, purl on WS rows; in the
	rnd, knit every rnd)
st(s)	stitch(es)
tog	together
WS	wrong side



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