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### **BERNAT** SIMPLE STRIPES CROCHET BLANKET



#### MATERIALS

Bernat <sup>®</sup> Forever Fleece <sup>™</sup> (9.9 oz/280 g; 194 yds/177 m)	
Contrast A White Noise (61004)	4 balls
Contrast B Branch (61047)	2 balls
Contrast C Beech (61046)	2 balls

Size U.S. M/13 [9 mm] crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Yarn needle. 7" [18 cm] wide piece of cardboard for tassels.



#### CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

Approx = Approximately Ch = Chain(s) Cont = Continue(ity) Dc = Double crochet Pat = Pattern Rep = Repeat Rnd = Round RS = Right side Sc = Single crochet SI st = Slip stitch Sp(s) = Space(s) St(s) = Stitch(es) WS = Wrong side

#### **MEASUREMENTS**

Approx 44" x 59" [112 x 150 cm].

#### GAUGE

10.5 sts and 11 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Linen St Pat.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### Stripe Pat

With A, work 2 rows. With C, work 2 rows. With A, work 2 rows. With B, work 2 rows. These 8 rows form Stripe Pat.

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With A, ch 116. **Set up row:** (WS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. \*Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from \* to end of chain. Turn. 115 sts. First row of Stripe Pat is now complete. Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. \*1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Rep from \* to last 2 sts. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in last sc. Turn. **2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. \*Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* to last 2 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in last sc. Turn. These 2 rows form Linen St Pat.

Cont in Linen St Pat, keeping cont of Stripe Pat, until work from beg measures approx 58" [147.5 cm], ending after 8th row of Stripe Pat. Work 2 rows in A. Fasten off.

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Border: With RS facing, join A with sl st to any corner sp. 1st rnd: Ch 2 (does not count as st). Work 1 rnd of dc evenly around perimeter of Blanket, working 3 dc into each corner sp. Join with sl st to first dc. Fasten off.

Tassels: (make 4). Wrap B around a 7" [18 cm] piece of cardboard 30 times. Tie securely at one end. Cut across other end. Wrap yarn 6 times around tassel 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" [4 cm] from tied end and fasten securely. Attach Tassels to each corner of Blanket.



