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# **BERNAT** GEOMETRIC INTERSECTION STRIPED CROCHET BLANKET



### MATERIALS

Bernat<sup>®</sup> Blanket<sup>™</sup> (10.5 oz/300 g; 220 yds/201 m)

**Contrast A** Stormy Green (10881) **Contrast B** Vintage White (10006)

Contrast C Smoky Green (10855)

3 balls or 538 yds/492 m 3 balls or 590 yds/539.5 m 2 balls or 324 yds/296.5 m

Size U.S. L/11 (8 mm) Susan Bates<sup>®</sup> Silvalume<sup>®</sup> crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates<sup>®</sup> yarn needle. T-pins for blocking.



CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

# **ABBREVIATIONS**

Approx = Approximately Ch = Chain(s) Cont = Continue(ity) Dec = Decrease(ing) Inc = Increase(ing) Pat = Pattern Rem = Remaining Rep = Repeat Rnd(s) = Round(s)

### **MEASUREMENTS**

Approx 50½" x 61" [128.5 x 155 cm] excluding fringe.

### GAUGE

7 sc and 8 rows = 4" [10 cm].

### INSTRUCTIONS BLANKET Notes:

- To join new color, work to last loops on hook of previous color. Yoh with new color, draw through rem loops and proceed with new color.
- Carry color not in use loosely up side of work.

RS = Right side
Sc = Single crochet
Sc2tog = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 stitches. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook.
SI st = Slip stitch
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Yoh = Yarn over hook

### **BIAS STRIPED PANEL**

**Stripe Pat 1** With A, work 2 rows. With B, work 2 rows. These 4 rows form Stripe Pat 1.

With A, ch 2. **1st row:** (RS). 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 2 sc in each of 2 sc. Turn. 4 sc.

**3rd row:** With B, ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc. Turn. 6 sc.

**4th row:** Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc. Turn. 8 sc.

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Keeping cont of Stripe Pat 1, rep 4th row (inc 2 sc each row,) 46 times more (50 rows total). Turn. 100 sc.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat 1 proceed as follows:

Keeping Sides Even: 1st row: (RS).
Ch 1. 2 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each sc to last 2 sc. sc2tog. Turn. 100 sc.
2nd row: Ch 1. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc. Turn 100 sc.

**3rd to 12th rows:** Keeping cont of Stripe Pat 1, rep last 2 rows, 5 times more, keeping sides even. 100 sc.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat 1 proceed as follows:

**Dec Section: 1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Sc2tog. Turn. 98 sc.

**2nd to 48th rows:** Rep last row 47 times more until 4 sc rem.

**49th row:** (RS). With A, ch 1. (Sc2tog) twice. Turn. 2 sc. **50th row:** Ch 1. Sc2tog. Fasten off.

**Blocking:** Pin completed Bias Striped Panel to measure 40" [101.5 cm] wide x 49½" [125.5 cm] long. Cover with a damp towel to dry.

## **TOP STRIPED PANEL**

# Stripe Pat 2

With C, work 2 rows. With B, work 2 rows These 4 rows form Stripe Pat 2.

Work across top edge of blocked Bias Striped Panel as follows: **1st row:** (RS). Join C with sl st to corner of Bias Striped Panel to work across top edge (as shown in photo). Ch 1. Work 87 sc evenly across top edge of Bias Striped Panel. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

**3rd to 40th rows:** Keeping cont of Stripe Pat 2, rep 2nd row 38 times more.

Fasten off.

### Edging

**Note:** While working Edging, switch yarn to match Panels (A around edge of Bias Striped Panel; C around edge of Top Striped Panel).

**1st rnd:** (RS). Join C with sl st to first C st along right edge of Blanket (side of first row of Top Striped Panel). Ch 1. Work sc evenly around Blanket, enclosing yarn carried up sides of work, switching to A when you reach Bias Striped Panel, and working (1 sc. Ch 2. 1 sc) in each corner. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.



**Top Edge Fringe:** Cut lengths of C 14" [35.5 cm] long. Taking 1 strand, knot into fringe in every st along top edge of Blanket (as shown in photo). Trim fringe evenly.

**Bottom Edge Fringe:** Work as for Top Edge Fringe using A.

