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3. Kitty Blanket X

EASY



MEASUREMENTS

Approx 30 ins [76 cm] square.

GAUGE

28 sts and 36 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] in stocking st.

MATERIALS

Bernat Baby (50 g/1.75 oz)

Main Color (MC) (00402 White)

4

balls

Contrast A (00469 Pink)

1

ball

Size 3.25 mm (U.S. 3) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

STITCH GLOSSARY

Alt = Alternate.

Approx = Approximately.

Beg = Beginning.

Dec = Decrease.

K = Knit.

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together.

M1 = make one st by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and knitting into back of loop.



P = Purl.

Pat = Pattern.

P2tog = Purl 2 stitches together.

Pss = Pass slipped stitch over.

Rep = Repeat.

RS = Right side.

Sl1 = Slip next stitch knitwise.

St(s) = Stitch(es).

WS = Wrong side.

Yfwd = Yarn forward.

INSTRUCTIONS

With A, cast on 189 sts.

1st row: (RS). K1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to end of row.

Rep last row of Seed st pat 9 times more, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to MC and proceed as follows:

1st row: Knit.

2nd and alt rows: Purl.

3rd row: K7. *K1. K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pss. K8. Rep from * to end of row.

5th row: K7. *K2tog. yfwd. K3. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pss. K7. Rep from * to end of row.

7th row: K7. *K2. yfwd. Sl1. K2tog. pss. yfwd. K9. Rep from * to end of row.

8th row: As 2nd row.

Rep last 8 rows until work from beg measures approx 29 ins [73.5 cm], ending with 8th row of pat.

Change to A and knit 1 row.

Proceed in Seed st pat for 9 rows, ending with RS facing for next row. Cast off in pat.

Side Edging: With RS of work facing and A, beg at lower right corner of Blanket, pick up and knit 199 sts along Right side edge.

Work 9 rows in Seed st pat, ending with RS facing for next row. Cast off in pat.

Rep for Left side edge.

Hood: With MC, cast on 55 sts.

1st row: (RS). K1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to end of row.

2nd row: K1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to last 2 sts. P2tog.

3rd row: *P1. K1. Rep from * to end of row.

4th row: *K1. P1. Rep from * to last 2 sts. K2tog.

Rep last 4 rows to 2 sts.

Next row: K2tog. Fasten off.

Front Edging: With RS of work facing and A, pick up and knit 71 sts across longest side of triangle.

Work 5 rows in Seed st Pat. Cast off. Sew Hood in position to upper left corner of Blanket, leaving Blanket edging free.

Kitty Ears (make 2)

With A, cast on 6 sts.

1st and alt rows: (WS). Purl.

2nd row: *K1. (M1. K1) twice. Rep from * once. 10 sts.

4th row: (K1. M1. K3. M1. K1) twice. 14 sts.

6th row: (K1. M1. K5. M1. K1) twice. 18 sts.

8th row: (K1. M1. K7. M1. K1) twice. 22 sts.

10th row: (K1. M1. K9. M1. K1) twice. 26 sts.

12th row: (K1. M1. K11. M1. K1) twice. 30 sts.

14th row: (K1. M1. K13. M1. K1) twice. 34 sts.

15th row: Purl. Break A.

16th row: (Picot row). With MC, K2. *y fwd. K2tog. Rep from * to end of row.

17th and alt rows: Purl.

18th row: K1. (Sl1. K1. pss0. K12. K2tog) twice. K1. 30 sts.

20th row: K1. (Sl1. K1. pss0. K10. K2tog) twice. K1. 26 sts.

22nd row: K1. (Sl1. K1. pss0. K8. K2tog) twice. K1. 22 sts.

23rd row: Purl.

Cont dec 4 sts on next and every following alt row to 10 sts.

Next row: K1. (Sl1. K1. pss0. K2tog) twice. K1. 6 sts.

Next row: Purl. Cast off.

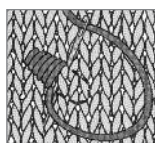
FINISHING

Pin Blanket to measurements and cover with a damp cloth, leaving cloth to dry.

Fold Kitty Ears along Picot row and sew to Hood of Blanket, having A as inside of ear as shown in picture.

With A, embroider Kitty's nose using Satin stitch and whiskers using Chain stitch (see Diagrams). 

Satin stitch



Chain stitch

