



 KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly)

Beg = Begin(ning)

K = Knit

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

Kfb = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch

P = Purl

Pat = Pattern

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat

RS = Right side

Sl1P = Slip next stitch purlwise

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 54" x 65" [137 x 165 cm].

GAUGE

12 sts and 17 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking st.

INSTRUCTIONS

Cast on 148 sts. (Multiple of 6 sts + 18 sts). **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle in rows, proceed as follows:

Bottom Border: 1st row: (WS). Sl1P. Knit to end of row.

2nd row: Sl1P. Knit to end of row. Rep these 2 rows 6 times more, then rep 1st row once.

Next row: (RS). Sl1P. (K15. Kfb) 8 times. K19. 156 sts.

Proceed in Body Pat as follows:

1st row: (WS). Sl1P. K6. *K4. P2. Rep from * to last 11 sts. K11.

2nd row: Sl1P. K6. *P4. K2. Rep from * to last 10 sts. P4. K7.

3rd and 4th rows: Rep 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: As 1st row.

6th row: (RS). Sl1P. Knit to end of row.

7th row: Sl1P. K6. *K1. P2. K3. Rep from * to last 11 sts. K1. P2. K8.

8th row: Sl1P. K6. *P1. K2. P3. Rep from * to last 11 sts. P1. K2. P1. K7.

9th and 10th rows: Rep 7th and 8th rows.

11th row: As 7th row.

12th row: (RS). Sl1P. Knit to end of row.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Maker Outdoor™ (8.8 oz/250 g; 249 yds/228 m)
Sandy Beach (99002) **9 balls**

Size U.S. 11 (8 mm) circular knitting needle 36" [91.5 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

BERNAT® BASKETWEAVE KNIT THROW | KNIT

Rep these 12 rows for Basketweave Pat, with garter st borders, until work from beg measures approx 63" [160 cm], ending on a 5th or 11th row of pat.

Next row: (RS). S1P. (K14. K2tog) 8 times. K19. 148 sts.

Top Border: 1st row: (WS). S1P. Knit to end of row.

2nd row: S1P. Knit to end of row. Rep these 2 rows 6 times more. Cast off knitwise (WS).

Tassel Braids (make 18)

Cut 22" [56 cm] lengths of yarn. Taking 9 strands of yarn tog, fold in half. With 6" [15 cm] length of yarn, tie all strands tog at fold.

Do not cut yarn - folded edge of Tassel Braid will be sewn to Blanket. Divide all strands into 3 sections (6 strands in each section). Braid 3 sections tog until approx 4" [10 cm] rem unbraided. Taking 1 length of rem yarn, wind around end of Braid tightly and fasten securely. Trim ends even to create tassel at end of braid.

Sew 9 Tassel Braids evenly across each end of Blanket, having 1 Tassel Braid in each corner.

