

BERNAT **KNIT DIAMOND STRIPES BLANKET**

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MATERIALS

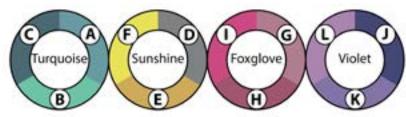
Bernat® Blanket™ O'Go™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 220 yds/201 m)

Turquoise (42053) 2 O'Gos

Sunshine (42061) 10'Go

Foxglove (42052) 2 O'Gos

Violet (42054) 2 O'Gos



Size U.S. 11 (8 mm) Susan Bates[®] circular knitting needle 36" [91.5 cm] long or size needed to obtain gauge. Susan Bates® yarn needle. Piece of cardboard 7" [18 cm] wide for tassels.







ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate(ing)

Approx =

Approximately

Cont = Continue

Dec = Decrease(ing)

Inc'd = Increased

 $\mathbf{K} = Knit$

K2(3)tog = Knit next2(3) stitches together

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

Pat = Pattern

Rem = Remainind(s)

Rep = Repeat

RS = Right side

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side

 $\mathbf{Yo} = \mathbf{Yarn} \ \mathbf{over}$

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 50 x 60" [127 x 152.5 cm], excluding tassels.

GAUGE

8 sts and 16 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter stitch.

INSTRUCTIONS

Working with O'Go:

• To begin working with the O'Go format, carefully cut plastic tie where the ends of the O'Go meet.

- Pull tie to remove.
- For this pattern, colors can be easily separated by gently pulling apart and cutting at the color transition. Each color is ready to use.
- Follow color guide shown in Materials section for O'Go (Contrast A to L). You may find it helpful to place each color section in its own resealable (zip lock) bag and label the bags – A to L.



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Stripe Pat 1

Work 22 rows each in the following sequence: L, D, F, A, J, H, B.

Stripe Pat 2

Work 22 rows each in the following sequence: G, E, K, B, I, C, L.

Stripe Pat 3

Work 22 rows each in the following sequence: I, L, J, H, A, F, D.

Stripe Pat 4

Work 22 rows each in the following sequence: K, B, G, C, E, I, J.

RECTANGLE 1: Make 1 each in Stripe Pat 1 and 3.

Note: Work Kfb increases loosely to prevent edges from puckering.

**Cast on 1 st.

1st row: (RS). (K1. yo. K1) all in same st. 3 sts.

2nd and alt rows: Knit

3rd row: (Kfb) twice. K1. 5 sts. **5th row:** (K1. Kfb) twice. K1. 7 sts.

7th row: K1. Kfb. Knit to last 2 sts.

Kfb. K1. – 2 sts inc'd.

8th row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows until there are 45 sts, ending on a WS row (last row of 3rd stripe in Stripe Pat).**

Cont in Stripe Pat, work even as follows:

1st row: (RS). K1. K2tog. Knit to last 2 sts. Kfb. K1. 45 sts.

2nd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 10 times more (ending with last row of 4th stripe in Stripe Pat).

***Cont in Stripe Pat, dec as follows:

1st row: (RS). K1. K2tog. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.

2nd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows until there are 5 sts.

Next row: K1. K3tog. K1.

Next row: K3tog. Fasten off.***

RECTANGLE 2: Make 1 each in Stripe Pat 2 and 4.

Work from ** to ** as given for Rectangle 1.

Cont in Stripe Pat, work even as follows:

1st row: (RS). Kfb. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.

2nd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 10 times more (ending with last row of 4th stripe in Stripe Pat).

Work from *** to *** as given for Rectangle 1.

FINISHING

Sew 4 Rectangles tog as seen in Assembly Diagram using a flat seam taking care to match stripes.

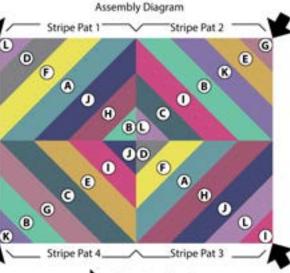
Tassels

Make 1 each in L, D, C and I. Cut a piece of cardboard 7" [18 cm] wide. Wind yarn around cardboard 60 times, Break yarn leaving a long end and thread end through needle. Slip needle through all loops and tie tightly. Remove

loops and tie tightly. Remove cardboard and wind yarn tightly around loops 2" [5 cm] below fold. Fasten securely. Cut through rem loops and trim ends evenly. Sew 1 Tassel to each corner of Blanket.



TASSEL



FLAT SEAM