

**BERNAT FADE OUT KNIT BLANKET** 

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#### **MATERIALS**

Bernat® Blanket Perfect Phasing™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 220 yds/201 m)

Contrast A Deep Teal (43005) 1 ball Contrast B Crimson (43002) 1 ball Contrast C Fuchsia (43003) 1 hall Contrast D Dark Blue (43006) 1 ball

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





### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**Alt** = Alternate(ing) K2(3)tog = Knit next**Rem** = Remaining Approx = 2(3) stitches together Rep = Repeat**Approximately Kfb** = Increase **RS** = Right side **Cont** = Continue 1 stitch by knitting **St(s)** = Stitch(es) **Dec** = Decrease(ing) **Tog** = Together into front and back Inc'd = Increased loop of next stitch **WS** = Wrong side  $\mathbf{Yo} = \mathbf{Yarn} \ \mathbf{over}$ K = Knit**Pat** = Pattern

### **MEASUREMENTS**

Approx 40" x 50" [101.5 x 127 cm], excluding tassels.

## **GAUGE**

7 sts and 14 rows = 4'' [10 cm] in garter stitch.

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### Notes:

- Beg working from lightest end of yarn.
- To maintain ombre effect join next ball from opposite end so shades match (lightest end to lightest end or darkest end to darkest end) as necessary, resulting in a fade from dark-tolight to light-to-dark, and back again across the Blanket.

· Work Kfb increases loosely to prevent edges from puckering.

# **BLANKET** Rectangle 1

Make 1 each in A and D \*\*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 side edge measures 18" [45.5 cm], ending

on a WS row.\*\*



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Cont work even as follows:

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

2nd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows until longest side from beginning measures 27" [68.5 cm].

\*\*\*Cont 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 B and C.

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

Cont work even as follows:

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

3 sts. K2tog. K1. **2nd row:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rows until longest side

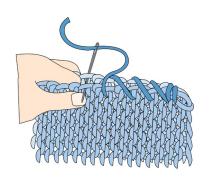
measures 27" [68.5 cm].

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

**Blocking:** Pin all completed Rectangles to measure 18" x 27" [45.5 x 68.5 cm]. Cover with a damp towel to dry.

### **FINISHING**

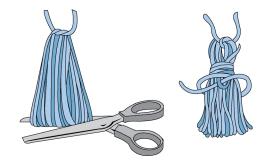
Sew 4 Rectangles tog as seen in Assembly Diagram on page 3 using a flat seam.



FLAT SEAM

## **Tassels**

Make 1 each in A, B, C and D. Cut a piece of cardboard 7" [18 cm] wide. Wind yarn around cardboard 30 times, Break yarn leaving a long end and thread end through needle. Slip needle through all 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 corresponding corner of Blanket.





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