



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate

Approx = Approximately

Beg = Beginning

K = Knit

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

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

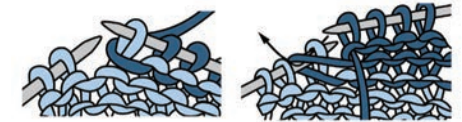
Rep = Repeat

Sl1Pwyif = Slip next stitch purlwise with yarn in front of work

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

W&T = Bring yarn to front of work. Slip next stitch purlwise. Bring yarn to back of work. Slip stitch back onto left-hand needle. Turn.



WS = Wrong side

MEASUREMENT

Approx 18" [45.5 cm] diameter.

GAUGE

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

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Pillow Front and Back are worked in a spiral using short-turn rows.

FRONT and BACK (make 2 alike)

First Wedge

Cast on 25 sts.

1st row: Knit.

2nd row: K23. W&T.

3rd and alt rows: (WS). Sl1Pwyif. Purl to last 2 sts. K2.

4th row: K22. W&T.

6th row: K21. W&T.

8th row: K20. W&T.

10th row: K19. W&T.

12th row: K18. W&T.

14th row: K17. W&T.

16th row: K16. W&T.

18th row: K15. W&T.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Velvet Twist™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 229 yds/209 m)

Midnight Teal (40002), **or** Bewitching Rose (40008), **or** Bittersweet Bronze (40014)

2 balls

Size U.S. 10½ (6.5 mm) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 18" [45.5 cm] circular pillow form. Stuffing. Yarn needle.

20th row: K14. W&T.
22nd row: K13. W&T.
24th row: K12. W&T.
26th row: K11. W&T.
28th row: K10. W&T.
30th row: K9. W&T.
32nd row: K8. W&T.
34th row: K7. W&T.
36th row: K6. W&T.
38th row: K5. W&T.
39th row: As 3rd row.
40th row: Knit across all sts, knitting each st tog with extra wrap. 25 sts.
41st row: Knit.

Second to Sixth Wedges

**Knit 2 rows.

Rep 2nd to 41st rows as for First Wedge.**

Rep from ** to ** 4 times more.

Cast off.

Sew cast on and cast off edges tog.

FRONT and BACK CENTERS

(make 2 alike)

Cast on 3 sts.

1st row: Knit.

2nd row: Kfb. K1. Kfb. 5 sts.

3rd row: Knit.

4th row: K2tog. K1. K2tog.

5th row: Knit.

Cast off.

Sew Front and Back Centers to middle of Front and Back.

PILLOW SIDE STRIP

Cast on 12 sts.

1st row: Knit.

2nd row: Purl.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows until Strip measures length of circumference of Pillow Front and Back when slightly stretched, ending on a purl row. Cast off.

Sew cast on and cast off ends tog.

Sew edge of Pillow Side Strip to edge of Front. Rep for Back, inserting pillow form and adding stuffing to fill completely before closing edge fully.

Stitch through all thicknesses, including pillow insert, sew around pillow centers of Front and Back creating a tufted effect.

