

BERNAT MACRAMÉ PILLOW

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MATERIALS

Bernat® Macrame™ (8.8 oz/250 g; 44 yds/40 m)

Natural (66001)

2 balls

16" [40.5 cm] square pillow form. 16" [40.5 cm] square pillow case. Sewing needle. Matching Coats & Clark™ Dual Duty XP™ All-Purpose Thread. Comb. **Optional**: 24" [61 cm] dowel.

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately





MEASUREMENT

Approx 16" [40.5 cm] square excluding fringe.

INSTRUCTIONS PILLOW FRONT

Notes:

- Macrame Pillow Front is sewn onto pillow case
- Tape cords to flat work surface for ease of working (Optional: Attach lengths to dowel and hang for ease of working).
- Text in **bold** refers to knots illustrated with diagrams.
- Do not tie knots tightly; doing so will alter finished measurements

Instructions for Left-Right Double Half Hitch Row: First cord on left is "knotbearer". With next cord to right, tie Horizontal Left-Right Double Half Hitch Knot onto knot-bearer. Working left-to-right, continue tying Horizontal Left-Right Double Half Hitch Knots to knot-bearer using next cord to right of previously knotted cord to end of row as indicated in pattern.



HORIZONTAL LEFT-RIGHT DOUBLE
HALF HITCH

Instructions for Right-Left Double Half Hitch Row: Last cord on right is "knotbearer". With next cord to left, tie Horizontal Right-Left Double Half Hitch Knot onto knot-bearer. Working right-to-left, continue tying Horizontal Right-Left Double Half Hitch Knots to knot-bearer using next cord to left of previously knotted cord to end of row as indicated in pattern.



HORIZONTAL RIGHT-LEFT DOUBLE
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Instructions for Diagonal Left-Right Double Half Hitch Row: First cord on left is "knot-bearer". With next cord to right, tie Diagonal Left-Right Double Half Hitch Knot onto knot-bearer. Working left-to-right, continue tying Diagonal Left-Right Double Half Hitch Knot to knot-bearer using next cord to the right of previously knotted cord to end of row as indicated in pattern.



DIAGONAL LEFT-RIGHT DOUBLE HALF HITCH

Instructions for Diagonal Right-Left Double Half Hitch Row: Last cord on right is "knot-bearer". With next cord to left, tie Diagonal Right-Left Double Half Hitch Knot onto knot-bearer. Working right-to-left, continue tying Diagonal Right-Left Double Half Hitch Knot to knot-bearer using next cord to left of previously knotted cord to end of row as indicated in pattern.



DIAGONAL RIGHT-LEFT DOUBLE HALF HITCH

Macrame Pillow Front:

- 1. Cut 47 cords 65" [165 cm] long and 1 cord 95" [241.5 cm].
- 2. Tape ends of cords to work surface having 95" [241.5 cm] cord on right side.
- 3. Holding right-most cord horizontally and in front of other cords, work **Right-Left Double Half Hitch Row**.
- 4. Working from left-to-right with groups of 4 cords, tie **Square Knots** across all cords.
- 5. Skip first 2 cords. Working from right-to-left with groups of 4 cords, tie **Square Knots** across all cords. Leave remaining 2 cords unworked.
- 6. Repeat Steps 4 and 5 until work from Step 3 measures approx 5" [12.5 cm].

- 7. With first 8 cords, work Diagonal Right-Left Half Hitch Row with 8th cord as knot-bearer. *With next 8 cords, work Diagonal Left-Right Half Hitch Row, with 1st cord of group as knot-bearer. With next 8 cords, work Diagonal Right-Left Half Hitch Row, with 8th cord of group as knot-bearer. Repeat from * once more. With last 8 cords, work Diagonal Left-Right Half Hitch Row, with 1st cord of group as knot-bearer.
- 8. With first 8 cords, work Diagonal Left-Right Half Hitch Row, with 1st cord as knot-bearer. *With next 8 cords, work Diagonal Right-Left Half Hitch Row, with 8th cord of group as knot-bearer. With next 8 cords, work Diagonal Left-Right Half Hitch Row, with 1st cord of group as knot-bearer. Repeat from * once more. With last 8 cords, work Diagonal Right-Left Half Hitch Row, with 8th cord of group as knot-bearer.
- 9. Repeat Steps 4 and 5 until work from Step 8 measures approx 5" [12.5 cm].

- 10. Holding left-most cord horizontally and in front of other cords, work Left-Right Double Half Hitch Row.
- 11. Using thread, sew macrame Pillow Front to pillow case.
- 12. Trim ends to 2" [5 cm].
- 13. Un-ply loose end of each cord by twisting cord clockwise until plies loosen, separating plies from the cut end up to knot. Comb fringe and trim evenly.
- 14. Insert pillow form.



SQUARE KNOT