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CARON MEET ME IN THE MIDDLE KNIT PILLOW



MATERIALS

Caron[®] Cloud Cakes[™] (8.5 oz/240 g; 760 yds/695 m) **Contrast A** Royal Treatment (48011) 1 ball

Contrast B Bold Blue (48004)

1 ball

Size U.S. 7 (4.5 mm) knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge. Stitch marker. Yarn needle. 20" [51 cm] square pillow form.



🧭 KNIT I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly) **Beg** = Begin(ning) **Center dec** = Slip next stitch purlwise. K2tog, then pass slipped stitch over K2tog – center dec made (2 sts decreased). **K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches together **K** = Knit

 $\mathbf{P} = Purl$ **PM** = Place marker **Rem** = Remain(ing)(s) **Rep** = Repeat **RS** = Right side **St(s)** = Stitch(es) **Tog** = Together **WS** = Wrong side

Approx 20" [51 cm] square.

GAUGE

18 sts and 34 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter st.

INSTRUCTIONS

MEASUREMENT

FRONT

Motif (make 4 alike) With A, cast on 63. 1st row: (WS). Knit. 2nd row: K30. Center dec. PM on last st. K30. 3rd row: Knit. 4th row: Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. PM on last st. Knit to end of row.

5th row: Knit. Rep 4th and 5th rows until 3 sts rem. Next row: Center dec. Fasten off.

Motif Assembly: Sew 4 Motifs tog as shown in photo.

Front Edges: Section 1: **With

RS facing and B, pick up and knit 63 sts evenly across 2 Motifs as shown in Diagram on page 2. Knit 25 rows (garter st). Cast off.**

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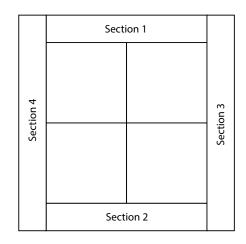
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Section 2: Rep from ** to **.

Section 3: ***With RS facing and B, pick up and knit 90 sts evenly across Edges and Motifs as shown in Diagram. Knit 25 rows (garter st). Cast off.***

Section 4: Rep from *** to ***.



BACK (make 2 pieces alike)
With B, cast on 100 sts.
1st row: (RS). *K2. P2. Rep from * to end of row.
Rep 1st row for 2" [5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Next row: Knit. Next row: Purl. Rep. last 2 rows up

Rep last 2 rows until work from beg measures 12" [30.5 cm]. Cast off.

Pillow Assembly

With RS tog, overlap Back pieces to match Front, with ribbed sections in center to create opening to insert pillow form. Sew outer edge seams. Turn RS out.



FRONT



BACK

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