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CARON


## MATERIALS

## Caron ${ }^{\circledR}$ Simply Soft ${ }^{\circledR}$ ( $6 \mathrm{oz} / 170.1 \mathrm{~g} ; 315 \mathrm{yds} / 288 \mathrm{~m}$ )

Main Color (MC) Dark Country Blue (39711)

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or Red (39729)
4 \text { balls}
Contrast A Bone (39703) 4 balls
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Size U.S. 11 ( 8 mm ) circular knitting needle 36 " $[91.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] long or size needed to obtain gauge.


## ABBREVIATIONS:

| Approx = | Cont = Continue | Pat = Pattern | St(s) = Stitch(es) |
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| Approximate (ly) | K = Knit | Rep = Repeat | Tog = Together |
| Beg = Beginning | P = Purl | RS = Right side |  |

KNIT | SkILL LEVEL: beGinNer

## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 45" [114.5 cm] x 49" [124.5 cm].

## GAUGE

12 sts and 14 rows $=4$ " $[10 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] in stocking st with 2 strands held tog.

## INSTRUCTIONS

With 2 strands of $M C$ held together (tog), cast on 133 stitches (sts). Do not join. Working back and forth across needle in rows, proceed as follows:
1st row: [Right side (RS)]. Knit 3 (K3). *Purl 1 (P1). K2. Repeat (Rep) from * to last 4 sts. P1. K3.
2nd row: K4. *P2. K1. Rep from * to last 3 sts. K3.
3rd row: As 1st row.
4th row: Knit.
These 4 rows form Waffle St pattern (pat).

Continue (Cont) in pat until work from beginning (beg) measures approximately (approx.) 7" [18 cm], ending on a 4th row. Break MC. Join A.
With A , cont in pat for a further 7" [18 cm], ending on a 4th row. Break A. Join MC.
Cont as established, working 7" [18 cm], in alternating stripes of MC and A until Blanket measures approx 49" [124.5 cm], ending with MC stripe of 7 " $[18 \mathrm{~cm}$ ].
Cast off.


