



Lightly Laced Pillow (to knit)

Measurement

Approx. 12 x 16 ins [30.5 x 40.5 cm].

Materials

Patons® Decor (100 g/3.5 oz)
Main Color (MC) (Blue) **2 balls**
Contrast A (Aran) **1 ball**

Size 4½ mm (U.S. 7) knitting needles
or size needed to obtain tension.
One 12 x 16 ins [30.5 x 40.5 cm]
pillow form.

Tension

20 sts and 26 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] in
stocking st.

Instructions

With MC, cast on 63 sts.
**Work 4 rows in stocking st.
Next row: K3. *yfwd. K2tog. K5. Rep
from * to last 4 sts. yfwd. K2tog. K2.
Beg with a purl row work 4 rows in
stocking st.
Next row: Knit (fold line).
Beg with a knit row work 4 rows in
stocking st.
Next row: K3. *yfwd. K2tog. K5. Rep
from * to last 4 sts. yfwd. K2tog. K2.
Beg with a purl row work 3 rows in
stocking st.**

Proceed in stripe pat as follows:
1st row: (Right side). With A, knit.
2nd row: Purl.
3rd row: With MC, knit.
4th row: Purl.
5th and 6th rows: As 1st and 2nd
rows.

7th and 8th row: As 3rd and 4th rows.
9th to 14th rows: Rep 7th to 8th rows,
3 times.
These 14 rows form pat.

Rep last 14 rows 13 more times, then
work 1st to 6th rows once more. Work
from ** to **. Cast off.

FINISHING

Twisted cord: Cut 6 strands of A, 2 yds
(180 cm) long. With both strands
together hold one end and with someone
holding other end, twist strands to the
right until they begin to curl. Fold the
2 ends together and tie in a knot so they
will not unravel. The strands will now
twist themselves together. Adjust length
if desired.

Sew cast on and cast off edges of hems to
wrong side, matching eyelets. Sew top
and bottom edges together matching
stripes. Insert pillow form. Thread cord
through eyelets as illustrated.

