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What you will need:
RED HEART ${ }^{\text {® }}$ Super Saver Chunky ${ }^{\text {TM }: ~} 2$ skeins each 334 Buff A, 316 Soft White B, 512 Turqua C

Susan Bates ${ }^{\circledR}$ Knitting Needles: 6.5mm [US 10.5]

Yarn Needle
GAUGE: 13 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 20 rows 4" [10 cm] in Textured Diamond Stitch pattern. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.

RED HEART ${ }^{\text { }}$
Super Saver Chunky ${ }^{\text {m }}$, Art. E306 available in Solids: 5 oz (141g), 173yds (158m); Heathers: 5 oz (141g), 168yds (154m)


## Diamonds for Baby Knit Blanket

The classic knit diamond pattern has an updated modern vibe. The trio of colors in chunky weight yarn means it won't take you as long to knit this blanket as you might think!

Blanket measures 36" x 36" [91 cm x 91 cm]

## NOTE

Blanket and borders are worked at same time in one piece.

## Pattern Stitches <br> Garter Stitch

Row 1 (Right Side): Knit.
Row 2 (Wrong Side): Knit.
Repeat Rows1-2 for Garter Stitch.

## Textured Diamond Stitch

(multiple of $6+7$ sts)
Row 1 (Right Side): K3, p1, *k5, p1*
repeat from * to * to last 3 sts, k3.
Row 2 (Wrong Side): P2, k1, p1, k1, *p3, k1, p1, k1* repeat from * to * to last 2 sts, p2.
Row 3 (Right Side): K1, *p1, k3, p1, k1* repeat from * to * to end of row.
Row 4 (Wrong Side): K1, *p5, k1* repeat from * to * to end of row.
Row 5: Repeat Row 3.
Row 6: Repeat Row 2.
Repeat Rows 1-6 for Textured Diamond Stitch pattern.

## BLANKET

With A, cast on 115 sts. Bottom Border
Row 1 (Wrong Side): Knit to end of Row. Row 2 (Right Side): Knit to end of Row. Row 3: (Wrong Side): Knit to end of Row.
Set up Pattern and Side Borders
Next Row (Right Side): K3 sts (border), work center 109 sts in Textured Diamond Stitch pattern, k3 sts (border). Continue in established pattern, working first and last 3 sts in Garter Stitch (knit every row) for borders and following Textured Diamond Stitch pattern until piece measures $12^{\prime \prime}$ [ 30 cm ] from cast on edge, ending on a Wrong Side row. Cut A.

Next Row (Right Side): With B, continue to work in established pattern until piece measures $24^{\prime \prime}$ [ 61 cm ] from cast on edge, ending on a Wrong Side row. Cut B.
Next Row (Right Side): With C, continue to work in established pattern until piece measures $35^{\prime \prime}$ [89 cm ] from cast on edge, ending with Row 1 on a Right Side row.
Next Row (Wrong Side): Work in Garter Stitch (knit every row) for 3 rows. Last Row (Right Side): Bind off all sts knitwise.

## FINISHING

Block Blanket to measurements. Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS

cm = centimeters; $\mathbf{k}=$ knit; $\mathbf{m m}=$ millimeters; $\mathbf{p}=$ purl; st (s) = stitch(es; * to * repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.


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